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# **AGENDA**





### **OVERVIEW**

Sean Flanagan
Group Chief Executive Officer

### **OPERATIONAL PERFORMANCE**

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Group Chief Executive Officer

### FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

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# **OUTLOOK**

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Group Chief Executive Officer

# **OVERVIEW**



- Aveng is an international infrastructure, resources and contract mining group operating in selected markets and geographies
- Improved FY20 financial results in comparison to prior year, notwithstanding the impact of COVID-19
- Performance trajectory has continued into Q1 FY21
- Significant progress on the disposal of non-core assets
- The future performance of the Group significantly enhanced as a result of the announced restructure and recapitalisation which provides a sustainable capital structure

# STRATEGIC JOURNEY





# WHAT ACTIONS WERE TAKEN IMMEDIATELY?

- Significant changes to the board to re-establish credibility
- Eric Diack appointed executive chairman and took over the day to day running of the business
- Restructured balance sheet by writing off R6 billion
- Invested AU\$55 million into Australia to save McConnell Dowell



# WHAT DID WE NEED TO DO TO FIX IT?

- Capital restructure:
  - R493 million equity raised
     bond conversion of R1.5
     billion + new debt of R460
     million + SSLF of R400
     million
- Strategy to split business into core and non-core:
  - Started an aggressive strategy to dispose of 14 non-core businesses
- Focus on improving core business performance



# WHERE WERE WE PRE COVID?

- Core businesses starting to perform (H1 FY20 results)
- Significant progress on non-core asset disposals
- Capital structure with R2 billion debt not optimal
- Effective COVID-19 risk management





# WHERE DO WE WANT TO GET TO?

- Core operations delivering long-term growth and value potential
- Achieve sustainable operating profit of R1 billion p.a
- Restructured balance sheet with acceptable debt structure
- Aveng delivering acceptable returns
- ROCE > WACC

Phase 1 from August 2017

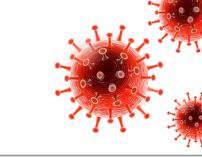
Phase 2 from July 2018 to December 2020

Phase 3 from January 2021

# **OVERVIEW** | COVID-19 RESPONSE



- Set-up a COVID-19 response team with Standard Operating Procedures
- Ensured all offices & sites had necessary procedures in place ahead of lockdown
- Tested connectivity at all sites and loaded collaboration tools to ensure all staff remained productive
- Daily engagement with staff and management
- Project sites in Australia remained open whilst lockdown commenced in New Zealand, SEA and South Africa
- Immediately implemented actions to reduce cost, preserve cash and protect livelihoods
- TERS was applied for all South African employees and similar "job keeper" programmes in Australia and New Zealand
- McConnell Dowell liquidity assisted by active support from Governments in Australia and New Zealand
- Settlement of two long-standing claims, bolstered liquidity by AUD42,5 million in McConnell Dowell



# **OVERVIEW** | COVID-19 RESPONSE



- Pandemic resulted in a R400 million liquidity shortfall in South Africa
  - R200 million raised though short term bank facility repaid in August 2020
  - R168 million from Board, management and employees foregoing one month salary
- Disposals of non-core businesses disrupted

# Aveng Group COVID-19 Tracking – 26 November 2020

Total number of employees

7 266

Total number of confirmed cases to date

297

Number of current positive cases (quarantined)

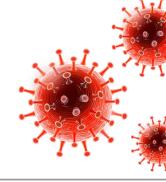
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Number of recovered cases

287

Number of COVID-19 related deaths

3



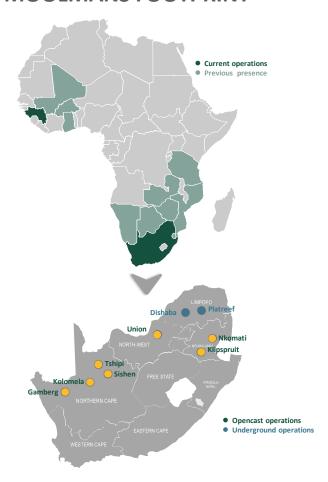
# PLANS TO MANAGE THE RISK OF COVID-19 IN SA



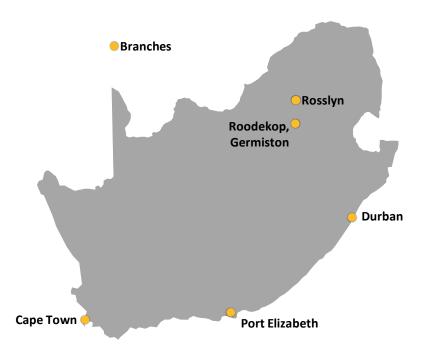


**COVID-19** risk is potentially contained by our geographic diversification across South Africa and Africa

### **MOOLMANS FOOTPRINT**



### TRIDENT SA FOOTPRINT



# PLANS TO MANAGE THE RISK OF COVID-19 IN McCONNELL DOWELL



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- McConnell Dowell has successfully navigated the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic throughout H2 FY20 and now into FY21
- The business has successfully leveraged its existing strengths and implemented timely and effective mitigation strategies to drive resilience

### **Existing Strengths**

**Geographic diversity** operates across multiple countries in the Asia Pacific Region. Many of these countries have been among the more successful to date world-wide in managing the COVID pandemic.

**Localised management teams**: invested over many years in developing local capability in-country, with established teams in all countries of operation.

**Sector and portfolio mix**: portfolio of active projects has approximately 90% with government clients and 40% in Alliance-type contract models.

**Technology utilisation**: strong investment in technology has allowed staff to remain productive during periods working remotely.

### **Mitigation Strategies**

**Commercial positioning:** active contracts reviewed to identify protective provisions and negotiated specific pandemic relief provisions into new contracts.

**Proactive overhead cost management:** Senior staff across the Group accepted 20% - 40% salary cuts for three months at the height of the first wave of the pandemic. Overheads savings through reduced travel costs and a reduction in office consumables.

**Strengthened liquidity:** Two long running commercial disputes settled resulting in cash of AUD42,5 million (R508 million) and a non-cash impairment of AUD19,5 million (R225 million).

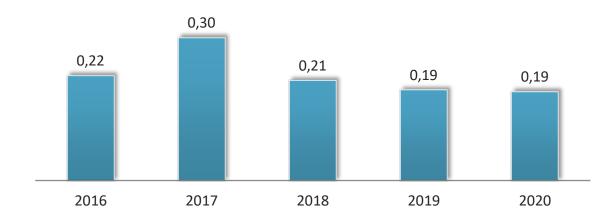
These measures see McConnell Dowell enter FY21 exceptionally **well placed to capitalise** on the 60% growth in Work in Hand achieved in FY20, and the approximately AUD1,8 billion of contracts currently in the **Preferred or Sole Source** status.

# **OVERVIEW** | SAFETY, HEALTH & ENVIRONMENT

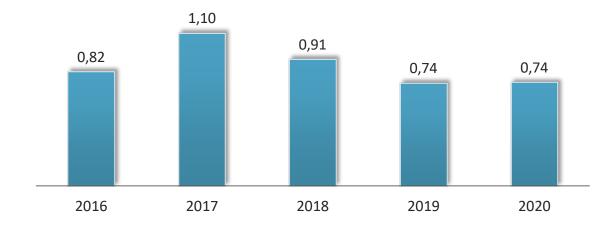


- No fatalities in FY20 financial year
- Group LTIFR 0,19 target 0,18
  - 5 years LTI free at Built Environs
  - Kolomela 1 218 LTI free days
  - Union mine 782 LTI free days
- Group TRIFR 0,74 target 0,82
- Employee wellness management
  - Pleasingly the Group reported an ICAS usage rate of 22,5%
     (2019:13%) against a market engagement rate of 9,8%
- No major environmental incidents

### **GROUP 12 MONTH ROLLING LTIFR**



### **GROUP 12 MONTH ROLLING TRFIR**



# HOW WERE WE PERFORMING H1 FY20 | LOOKING POSITIVE



	Revenue	EBIT	Cash Flow	Cost Management
Total core	H1:2020 +1.5% R6.9bn (1H2019: R6.8bn)	H1:2020 +132% R99m (1H2019: -R307m)	H1:2020 +169% R383m (1H2019: -R555m)	<ul> <li>Group Corporate headcount reduction from 200 to under 30</li> <li>Relocation - saving of R11 million p.a</li> </ul>
MCCONNELL DOWELL CREATIVE CONSTRUCTION**	<ul> <li>In line with expectations</li> <li>R4.6 billion</li> <li>12% growth in order book (AUD 1.3 billion)</li> </ul>	H1:2020 +7.3% R59m (1H2019: R55m) GP % = 10% <sub>1H20</sub>	H1:2020 +155% R110m (1H2019: -R198m)	McConnell Dowell stringent cost management despite operational requirements
<b>Moolmans</b>	<ul> <li>Revenue increase</li> <li>R2.3 billion</li> <li>Renewal of contracts &amp; rate increases</li> </ul>	H1:2020 +170%  R117m (1H2019: -R166m)  GP % = 9%  H1:2020 (from breakeven 1H19)	H1:2020 +80% R261m (1H2019: R145m)	Continuous cost saving initiatives

# **OVERVIEW** | FINANCIAL RESULTS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020



				COMMENTARY
	H1 2020	FY 2020	FY 2019	
Revenue	R11,2 billion	R20,9 billion	R25,7 billion	<ul> <li>EBIT of (R546 million) in H2 2020 included:</li> <li>Settlement of two legacy claims in McConnell Dowell which resulted in Non-cash impairment of AUD19 million (R225 million)</li> </ul>
Operating earnings/(loss)	R14 million	(R532 million)	(R1,1 billion)	COVID-19 EBIT impact – (R380 million)  FY20 EBIT excluding the above would have resulted in operating profit of
Headline loss per share	(1,1 cents)	(4,9 cents)	(9,7 cents)	R73 million
Work in Hand	R18,5 billion	R26,8 billion	R19,0 billion	41% increase in core WIH with 82% outside South Africa
Net debt	R549 million	R552 million	R540 million	Debt position prior to Balance sheet restructure
Cash	R1,4 billion	R1,3 billion	R1,6 billion	Majority of funds are held in McConnell Dowell for covenants, bonding and working capital requirements

# **OVERVIEW** | FINANCIAL RESULTS

FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2020 (UNAUDITED)



	RI	EVENUE	E	ARNING	S/(LOSS)	CASI	H FLOW
	Q:	l FY21 Rm		Q:	1 FY21 Rm	Q1	l FY21 Rm
McConnell Dowell	1	4 243		1	67	1	631
Moolmans	<b>\rightarrow</b>	1 135		1	100	1	256
Other eliminations	1	(22)		<b>↓</b>	(43)	1	(75)
Total core		5 356			124		812
Aveng Construction: South Africa	<b>₽</b>	321		1	25	1	(37)
Aveng Manufacturing	<b>₽</b>	334		1	-	1	21
Aveng Steel	<b>₽</b>	698		1	37	1	329
Total non-core		1 353			62		313

**NET OPERATING** 

**OPERATING FREE** 

### **COMMENTARY**



- Revenue at 5 year high levels
  - Q1 (y-o-y) revenue growth 48%
- >80% of projects executed at/above tender margin contributes to solid EBIT
- OFCF advance payment from customers & all business units generating cash



### **Moolmans**

- 90% of projects executed at/above tender margin contributing to solid EBIT
  - Only 1 loss-making contract impacted by sec.54 stoppages
- Solid operational performance and sale of redundant assets contributed to positive OFCF

6 709

186

1 125

# **OVERVIEW** | RESTRUCTURE & RECAPITALISATION



- In August 2019, Aveng renegotiated its debt, extending the maturity profile to June 2021 and September 2021
- At the time, the intention was to renegotiate the debt package in the last quarter of the FY20 in order to achieve a sustainable level of debt
- Since February 2020 half year results, Aveng has engaged various stakeholders and reached agreement to restructure the balance sheet
  - The introduction of a minimum of R300 million of new capital by way of a rights offer at 1.5cps, fully underwritten by Aveng's largest shareholder
  - A reduction in South African Lender debt and overdraft facility from R2,1 billion to R1,1 billion
- The balance sheet restructuring provides a sustainable capital structure and a platform from which the Group is better able to execute its growth strategy
- This agreement to restructure and recapitalise Aveng demonstrates the commitment and support of the largest shareholders and the SA Lender Group to both the strategy of the Board and the management team







# 60 years of creative construction



In 1961 two young entrepreneurial
New Zealand engineers sat down with a vision to do things better than the company they worked for.
In that moment
McConnell Dowell was born



# A YEAR OF ACHIEVEMENTS



23% Inc. Ne

Increase in New Work Won to AUD1.65 billion **50**%

Increase in Cash in Hand to AUD140 million World Record Broken

Snells Algies, NZ

- longest direct pipe drive

Tallest CLT\* building in the Southern Hemisphere

Auckland City Mission



**60**%

Increase in Work in Hand to AUD1.8 billion Increase in Preferred & ECI Contract Status to AUD1.4 billion

World 1st 'floating'
Apple Store
Singapore

Australia 1st
Stadium Hotel
Adelaide Oval



80%

Project Portfolio delivering greater than as bid margin 40%

Tender Success
Rate in Australia

5 years LTI free

**Built Environs** 

Top Decile Employee Engagement & Alignment

**In-sync Surveys** 



\*CLT - Cross laminated timber



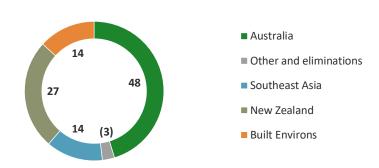
# WHY WE BELIEVE IN MCCONNELL DOWELL



### **Competitive advantage**

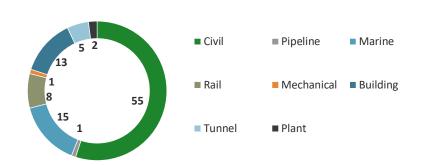
- Brand reputation
- Strong management
- Engineering and innovation excellence
- Collaborative and reliable delivery partner
- Specialist capabilities
- Diversity by sector, discipline, geography

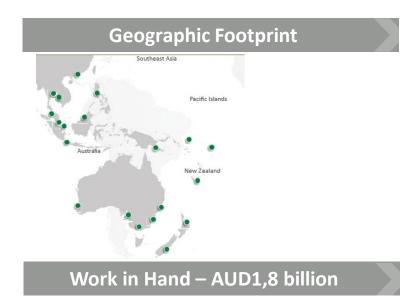
### FY20 Revenue by geography (%)

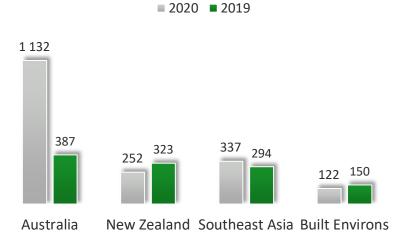


# Specialist capabilities Rail Tunnel and underground Marine Building Civils Pipelines

### FY20 Revenue by sector (%)













For more than 60 years Moolmans
has delivered specialised mining services
throughout Africa in a range of
commodities for several reputable clients







**R38m** 

**Net operating profit** 

Turn-around from R327m loss June 2019

Contract renegotiation and extensions

Nkomati, Gamsberg, Lefa, Tshipi

R191m

inflow Operating Free Cashflow

from R321m outflow in June 2019

Safety and care

Kolomela -1 218 LTI free days Union mine – 782 LTI free days R4,9bn

Work in hand

Secured 81% revenue for FY21









# **Moolmans WHY WE BELIEVE IN MOOLMANS**



### **Competitive advantage**

- Brand reputation
- African leader in open-cut contract mining
- Experience in remote and difficult environments
- Relationships with established mining houses
- R2,3 billion fleet to serve clients' on-site needs
- Diversity by client, commodity, discipline

# Specialist capabilities



Excavators/

face shovels Mass range:

> 170 - 700tonnes



trucks

Mass range:

100 - 200

tonnes







Drill rigs

Support equipment

Underground equipment







Open-cut mining

Shaft sinking

Underground mining

### **Current projects**

### **Northern Cape**

-Gamsberg

-Kolomela

-Sishen

-Tshipi

### North West

-Union mine

### **Mpumalanga**

-Klipspruit

Guinea Lefa

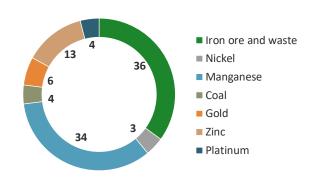
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### Limpopo

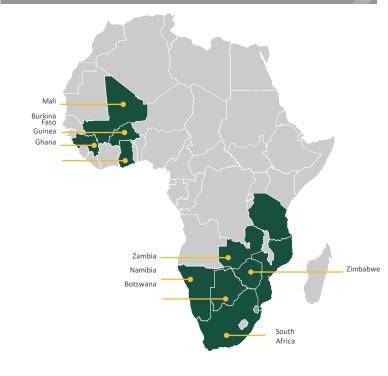
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# Work in hand - R5.0 billion (%)



# **Geographic Footprint**





# **NON-CORE ASSET** | PERFORMANCE



### Steel

- Net operating earnings of R14 million despite challenging operating environment
- Positive cash flow of R172 million (2019: R11 million outflow)
- Focussed steel service centre business
  - Multinational OEM's (Ford, Isuzu, VW, Nissan and Toyota)
  - Leading component manufactures (MA Automotive and Supreme Spring)
- Disposal process due diligence underway by four credible potential buyers

# Manufacturing

- Disposal of Dynamic Fluid Control completed
- Disposal of Duraset completed
- Automation & Control Solutions
  - Profitable and cash generative
  - Disposal process at advance stage
- Infraset
  - Operational underperformance and weak market environment
  - Disposal process underway

# **Aveng Construction and Engineering South Africa**

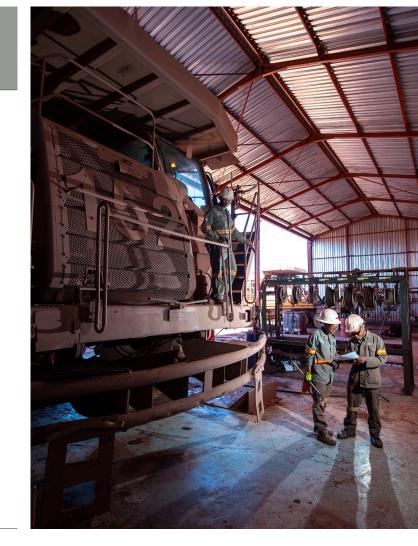
- R545m cash outflow
- Disposed of Grinaker-LTA
  - GEL disposal effective 1 July 2020
- All contracts achieved practical completion
- Good progress on reduction of bonding lines



# **FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE**



Results	FY 2020 Rm	FY 2019 Rm
Revenue	20 878	25 676
Gross margin %	4,7	4,1
Operating expenses	(1 647)	(2 247)
Net operating earnings/(loss)	(532)	(1 119)
Net interest	(429)	(406)
Impairment of PPE and equity-accounted investment	(168)	(292)
Loss for the period	(1 116)	(1 680)
Headline loss for the period	(950)	(1 545)
Headline loss per share(cents)	(4,9)	(9,7)



# **SEGMENTAL RESULTS**



### REVENUE

	FY 2020 Rm	FY 2019 Rm
McConnell Dowell	10 297	9 527
Moolmans	3 955	4 143
Other eliminations	<b>(67)</b>	(122)
Total core	14 185	13 548
Aveng Construction: South Africa	1 865	4 617
Aveng Manufacturing	1 297	2 027
Aveng Steel	3 531	5 484
Total non-core	6 693	12 128
	20 878	25 676

## **NET OPERATING EARNINGS/(LOSS)**

FY 2020 Rm	FY 2019 Rm
(162)**	110
38	(372)
(193)	(327)
(317)	(589)
(174)	(401)
(55)	(168)
14	39
(215)	(530)
(532)	(1 119)

### **OPERATING FREE CASH FLOW**

FY 2020 Rm	FY 2019 Rm
<b>506</b>	(362)
191	(201)
<b>(245)</b>	190*
452	(373)
<b>↓</b> (545)	(488)
(84)	(131)
172	(11)
(457)	(630)
(5)	(1 003)

<sup>\*</sup> Includes R497 million received net of transaction cost on disposal of non-core assets

<sup>\*\*</sup> Includes R225 million impairment on settlement of two legacy claims

# **FINANCIAL POSITION**



	Jun'20 Rm	Jun'19 Rm
Assets	11 636	12 282
Goodwill and intangible assets	115	139
Property, plant and equipment	3 180	2 814
Investments	294	187
Deferred taxation	813	622
Other assets	94	43
Working capital	3 076	3 029
Assets Held for Sale	2 309	3 843
Cash and bank balances	1 755	1 605

	Jun'20 Rm	Jun'19 Rm
Liabilities & equity	11 636	12 282
Liabilities		
Borrowings and liabilities	1 883	2 145
Borrowings and liabilities (IFRS 16)	497	-
Working capital	4 054	3 496
Deferred taxation	166	86
Other liabilities	148	137
Employee-related payables	573	528
Liabilities Held for Sale	2 051	3 436
Bank overdrafts	424	-
Equity	1 840	2 454
NAV PER SHARE (cents)	9,5	12,7
Net debt(excl. IFRS 16)	(552)	(540)
Market capitalisation	776	582

# **WORKING CAPITAL**

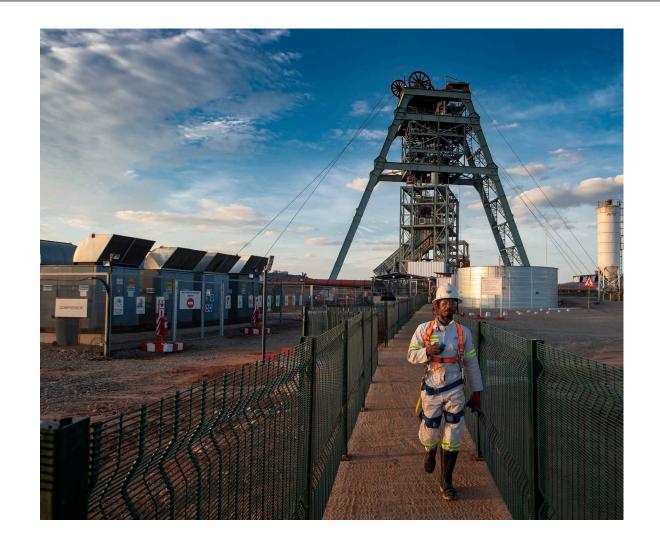


	С	ore Assets	Non-core Assets		
	Jun'20 Rm	Jun'19 Rm	Jun'20 Rm	Jun'19 Rm	
Inventory	187	214	839	1 658	
Trade and other receivables	358	194	459	1 277	
Amounts due from contract customers	2 531	2 621	8	401	
Trade and other payables	(2 764)	(2 683)	(461)	(2 194)	
Amounts due to contract customers	(1 290)	(813)	(7)	(224)	
Net working capital	(978)	(467)	838	918	

# **UNCERTIFIED REVENUE AND CLAIMS**



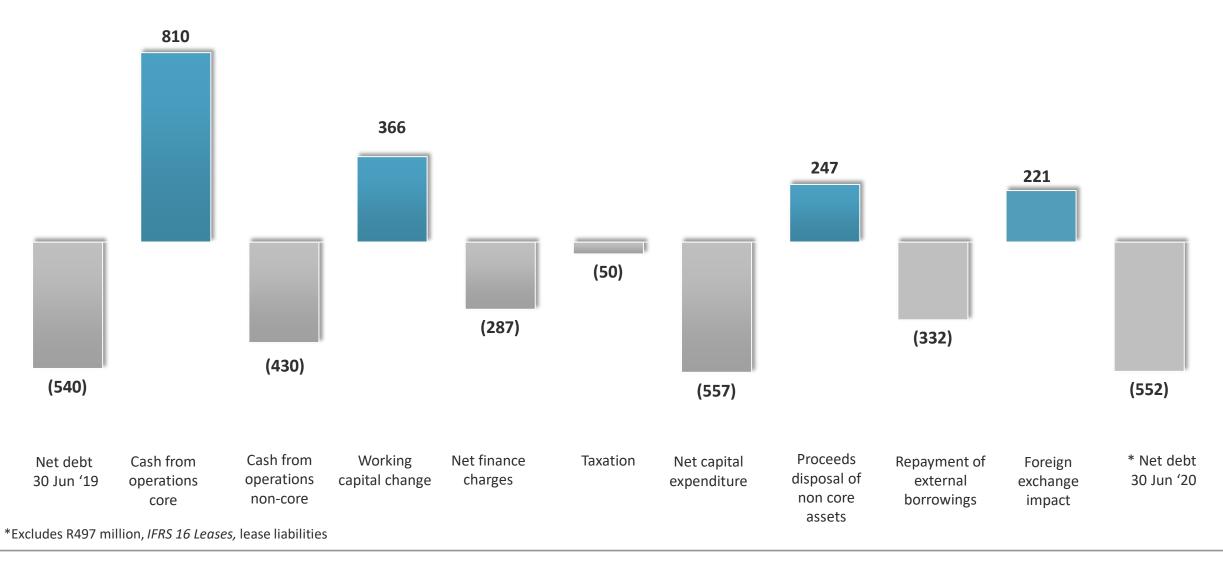
	Jun'20 * Rm	Jun'19 * Rm
Uncertified claims and variations	660	1 316
Contract contingencies	(290)	(638)
Contract and retention receivables	2 169	2 347
Provision for contract receivables	-	(3)
Amounts due from customers	2 539	3 022
Progress billings received	(1 284)	(977)
Amounts received in advance	(14)	(60)
Amounts due to customers	(1 298)	(1 037)
Net amounts due from contract customers	1 241	1 985
Foreign exchange impact	(320)	34



<sup>\*</sup>Reflects uncertified revenue and claims before Held for Sale adjustments

# **MOVEMENT IN NET DEBT**

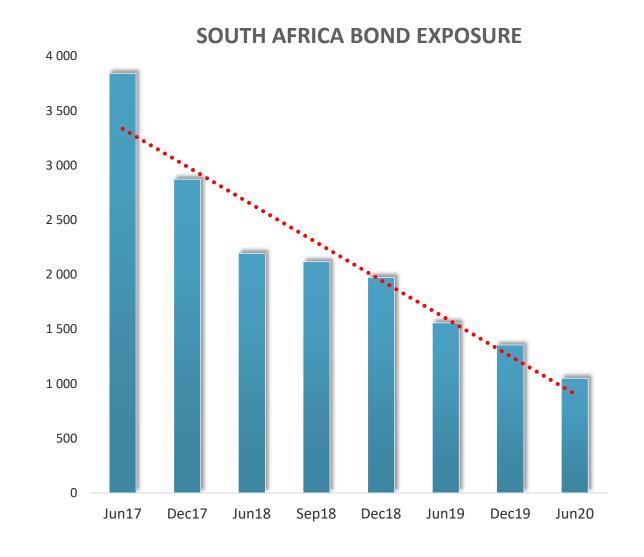




# **LIQUIDITY**



	Jun'20 Rm	Jun'19 Rm
Net Cash (including overdrafts)	1 331	1 605
South African operations	(342)	581
McConnell Dowell	1 673	1 024
Borrowings	(1 883)	(2 145)
South African operations	(1 762)	(1 967)
McConnell Dowell	(121)	(178)
Net debt	(552)	(540)
IFRS 16 Finance lease liability	(497)	-
Post IFRS 16 net debt	(1 049)	(540)



# **RESTRUCTURE & RECAPITALISATION**



### The pro-forma impact of this transaction will be:

- An increase of stated capital of R700 million
  - Introduction of R300 million of new capital by way of rights offer at 1.5cps, fully underwritten by Aveng's largest shareholder
  - Settlement of R400 million of debt by way of issue of shares for cash at 5cps
- A reduction in South African Lender debt and overdraft facility from R2,1 billion to R1,1 billion (after repaying R200 million in August)
  - Early settlement of R660 million debt at a discount, for cash of R210 million
  - A gain on settlement of debt of R450 million
  - An extension to the Group's South African Lender debt maturity profile to December 2023
  - A significant saving in ongoing interest expense
- An net increase in liquidity of approximately R90 million
- The transaction will be subject to various conditions, including Aveng shareholder approval which will be fully set out in a circular in due course

# PRO FORMA | BALANCE SHEET POST RESTRUCTURE



	30 June 2020 Rm	Cash settled 31 Aug'20	Effect of Restructure	Pro forma Rm
Borrowings	1 708			848
Overdraft (assume fully drawn at all times)	605			205
Total CTA debt	2 313	(200)	(1 060)	1 053
ABF	175			175
Total debt	2 488			1 228
Cash (adjusted for overdraft cash)	1 936	(200)	90	1 826
Net Cash/debt	(552)			598
Equity	1 840		1 150	2 990
Debt Equity ratio	135%			41%



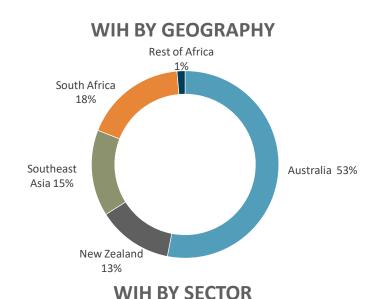
- R400m debt settled by equity issue at 5cps
- R450m gain from discount on settlement of debt

- R300m rights offer proceeds
- (R210m) early cash settlement of debt
- R300m rights offer proceeds
- R400m debt settled by equity issue at 5cps
- R450m gain from discount on settlement of debt



# **OVERVIEW** | WORK IN HAND





Mining :	19%	
Tunnel 4%		
Pipeline 1%		Civil 51%
Building 7%		
Rail 11%		
Marine	e 7%	

	FY 2020 Rm	FY 2019 Rm
McConnell Dowell	21 794	11 686
Moolmans	4 996	7 322
TOTAL	26 790	19 008



# THE YEAR AHEAD



- Implementation of the Restructure and Recapitalisation Plan
- Continued improvement of operational performance in McConnell Dowell and Moolmans
- Grow and optimise quality of work in hand
- Navigate COVID-19 challenges for the foreseeable future
  - Managing liquidity
  - Protect livelihood and well-being of employees
- Positive cash generation
- Further reduction in Group cost structure
- Complete the disposal of non-core assets
- Close out of PMO function



