NauticAWT Limited

(Company Registration Number: 201108075C)
(Incorporated in the Republic of Singapore)

ANNOUNCEMENT PURSUANT TO RULE 704(4) OF THE CATALIST RULES IN RELATION TO THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Pursuant to Rule 704(4) of the Listing Rules (Section B: Rules of Catalist) of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "**SGX-ST**") (the "**Catalist Rules**"), the board of directors (the "**Board**" or the "**Directors**") of NauticAWT Limited (the "**Company**", and together with its subsidiaries, the "**Group**") wishes to announce that the Company's independent auditor, Deloitte & Touche LLP, had without modifying their opinion, included a Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern in its report (the "**Independent Auditor's Report**") on the consolidated financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 31 December 2017 (the "**Audited Financial Statements**"). A copy of the Independent Auditor's report, and the extract of the relevant note 1 to the Audited Financial Statements are annexed to this announcement as Appendix I.

The validity of the going concern assumption is contingent upon:

1) the successful completion of the negotiations with third parties to secure additional funding for the operations of the Group and also to dispose its interest in NauticAWT Energy Pte Ltd, which in turn holds the interest in NVP Georgia LLC;

2) the Group continues to receive support from its existing banks; and

3) the Group is able to generate sufficient cash flows from its operations based on management's ability to secure new contracts from customers.

Notwithstanding the above, the Board is satisfied that the use of the going concern assumption in the preparation and presentation of the financial statements is appropriate as the management of the Company is currently in negotiations for the above.

Additionally, the Board (i) is of the opinion that sufficient information has been disclosed for trading of the Company's securities to continue in an orderly manner; and (ii) confirmed that all material disclosures have been provided for the trading of the Company's shares to continue.

The Independent Auditor's Report and a complete set of the Group's Audited Financial Statements will form part of the Company's annual report for FY2017 ("**FY2017 Annual Report**") which will be released on SGXNET and sent to the shareholders of the Company in due course. Shareholders of the Company are advised to read this announcement in conjunction with the FY2017 Annual Report.

By Order of the Board

John Grønbech
Executive Director and CEO
6 April 2018

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*This announcement has been prepared by the Company and its contents have been reviewed by the Company's sponsor, SAC Capital Private Limited ("**Sponsor**"), for compliance with the relevant rules of*

*the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "**SGX-ST**"). The Sponsor has not independently verified the contents of this announcement.*

This announcement has not been examined or approved by the SGX-ST and the SGX-ST assumes no responsibility for the contents of this announcement including the correctness of any of the statements or opinions made or reports contained in this announcement.

The contact person for the Sponsor is Ms Alicia Sun, SAC Capital Private Limited, at 1 Robinson Road, #21-02 AIA Tower, Singapore 048542, telephone (65) 6532 3829.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF
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Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of NauticAWT Limited (the "**company**") and its subsidiaries (the "**group**") which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position of the group and the statement of financial position of the company as at December 31, 2017, the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows of the group and the statement of changes in equity of the company for the financial year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, as set out on pages 34 to 111.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements of the group and the statement of financial position and statement of changes in equity of the company are properly drawn up in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, Chapter 50 (the "**Act**") and Financial Reporting Standards in Singapore ("**FRSs**") so as to give a true and fair view of the consolidated financial position of the group and the financial position of the company as at December 31, 2017 and of the consolidated financial performance, consolidated changes in equity and consolidated cash flows of the group and of the changes in equity of the company for the year ended on that date.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Singapore Standards on Auditing ("**SSAs**"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the group in accordance with the Accounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority ("**ACRA**") Code of Professional Conduct and Ethics for Public Accountants and Accounting Entities ("**ACRA Code**") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Singapore, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the ACRA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern

We draw attention to Note 1 in the accompanying financial statements which indicates that as at December 31, 2017, the group's current liabilities exceeded its current assets by US$3,022,793 and the group recorded a loss of US$6,270,228 for the financial year then ended. In addition, the group breached its financial covenants on bank loans of US$1,301,810 as at December 31, 2017.

The going concern assumption of the group is dependent on the group being able to secure additional funding to finance the operations of the group, dispose the group's interest in NauticAWT Energy Pte. Ltd, obtain continued support from its existing banks, and secure new contracts from customers.

The above conditions indicate the existence of material uncertainties which may cast significant doubt on the group and company's ability to continue as a going concern. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current year. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

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Key audit matter	How the matter was addressed in the audit
Revenue recognition and construction contracts The group offers engineering and contracting services for field exploration, field development and field refurbishments including design life extensions and production enhancement for offshore and marine infrastructures. The duration of these projects may range from short-term to mid-term and some of the projects may cross over the financial year reporting period end (Note 11 and 27). Due to the nature and timing of the engineering services rendered by the group, the group has entered into fixed price contracts with customers for the provision of engineering design works, installation services (including mobilisation of equipment), engineering labour hours or delivery of materials. Subsequent changes to original contracts are supported by variation orders agreed with and acknowledged by customers. Contract revenue recognised is calculated by reference to the stage of completion of the contract which is measured by the proportion of contract costs incurred for work performed to date relative to the estimated total budgeted contract costs, except where this would not be representative of the stage of completion. The percentage of completion is dependent upon the following key estimates or judgement areas: • total budgeted project costs, including total anticipated costs to complete the projects (including estimated labour hours to completion) for projects outstanding at the end of the reporting period; • completeness of cost incurred for the projects to date; • changes to the budgeted costs as a result of variation orders with customers.	We evaluated the appropriateness of management's controls over the review and determination of the revenue to be recognised and the corresponding work in progress. We agreed total contracted revenue to the original signed customer contracts and approved variation orders. We assessed the basis of revenue recognition for the group's significant contracts and corresponding percentage of completion by determining if the services have been rendered to the end customer either by way of surveyor reports or customer acknowledged timesheets or project closing out report. We evaluated the accounting in the context of the accounting policies and contract terms. We tested the actual cost incurred by agreeing to supplier invoices, engineer timesheets and other documentation and performed cutoff testing for project costs. For significant uncompleted contracts, we examined the assumptions behind estimated costs to complete, challenging the reasonableness of these in light of supporting evidence. We recomputed the percentage of completion assessed by management based on the actual costs incurred for project life over total budgeted costs. We performed a retrospective review of the budgeted costs against the actual costs for projects completed during the year. We have also assessed and validated the adequacy and appropriateness of the disclosures in Note 3 to the financial statements under Key sources of estimation uncertainty for revenue recognition and construction contracts.

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Key audit matter	How the matter was addressed in the audit
Impairment assessment of property, plant and equipment The property, plant and equipment ("**PPE**") are the most quantitatively significant item on the consolidated statement of financial position with a net book value as at December 31, 2017 of US$8,201,501 (2016 : US$8,961,576) (Note 13). The PPE primarily comprise of freehold land and building, and other equipment and machinery that supports the group's operations. The group has recorded losses of US$6,270,228 for the year ended December 31, 2017. Management is required to carry out an impairment assessment of PPE where there are indicators of impairment. Where there are indicators of impairment, significant judgement and estimation is required in determining the recoverable amount of these PPE. The recoverable value is the higher of fair value less cost to sell and value-in-use ("**VIU**"). The impairment assessment involved significant judgement and estimates such as growth rates, gross profit margin and discount rates to determine the VIU.	We evaluated the appropriateness of management's controls over the assessment of impairment of PPE. We assessed and evaluated management's assessment for indicators of impairment of PPE. We assessed and evaluated the estimation of future cash flows, and challenged management's underlying assumptions, such as growth rates, gross profit margin and discount rates used in estimating and discounting the future cash flow projections by benchmarking against historical data/trend, market trend, publicly available independent data and our knowledge of the business operations. We performed a comparison of the estimation of future cash flow projections in the previous year to the actual cash flow achieved to support the reliability and reasonableness of management's assumptions and estimates used in the future cash flow projections in the prior year. The disclosure of the above significant estimates is provided in Note 3 to the financial statements, and further information related to the PPE is provided in Note 13 to the financial statements.

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Information Other than the Financial Statements and Auditor's Report Theron

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of Management and Directors for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the provisions of the Act and FRSs, and for devising and maintaining a system of internal accounting controls sufficient to provide a reasonable assurance that assets are safeguarded against loss from unauthorised use or disposition; and transactions are properly authorised and that they are recorded as necessary to permit the preparation of true and fair financial statements and to maintain accountability of assets.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The directors' responsibilities include overseeing the group's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SSAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

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As part of an audit in accordance with SSAs, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

(a) Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

(b) Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 group's internal control.

(c) Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.

(d) Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the group to cease to continue as a going concern.

(e) Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

(f) Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with the directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the directors with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with the directors, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current year and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

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Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

In our opinion, the accounting and other records required by the Act to be kept by the company and by those subsidiary corporations incorporated in Singapore of which we are the auditor have been properly kept in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Mr Panjabi Sanjay Gordhan.

Public Accountants and
Chartered Accountants
Singapore

April 6, 2018

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Material Uncertainty Relating to Going Concern

As at December 31, 2017, the group's current liabilities exceeded its current assets by US$3,022,793 (2016: current assets exceeded its current liabilities by US$493,731) and the group recorded a loss of US$6,270,228 (2016: profits of US$650,745) for the financial year then ended. The group's current liabilities of US$9,548,010 include bank loans and advances amounting to US$1,915,932. The group breached its financial covenants on bank loans amounting to US$1,301,810 as the group did not fulfil the minimum tangible net worth requirement as at half year ended June 30, 2017. The group had received a waiver of the breach of loan covenants, which was effective till August 31, 2017. However, the group did not receive any further waiver of the breach of covenants as at December 31, 2017, and the bank has also not called upon the loans as at the date of these financial statements. The loans have been classified as current in the financial statements as they are repayable on demand due to the breach of loan covenants.

At the date of these financial statements, management is in negotiations with third parties to secure additional funding for the operations of the group and also to dispose its interest in NauticAWT Energy Pte Ltd, which in turn holds the interest in NVP Georgia LLC (formerly known as VP Georgia LLC). The validity of the going concern assumption is contingent upon:

(a) the successful completion of these negotiations;
(b) the group continuing to receive support from its existing banks; and
(c) the group is able to generate sufficient cash flows from its operations based on management's ability to secure new contracts from customers.

The above matters represent material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt on the group's and company's ability to continue as a going concern, and therefore maybe unable to realise their assets and discharge their liabilities in the normal course of the business. Nevertheless, management is confident that the above negotiations with third parties will be concluded successfully and that the strategies put in place to improve the operating performance and financial position of the group and company will allow it to continue in operational existence for at least the next 12 months from the date of these financial statements. Hence, management has continued to adopt the going concern assumption in the preparation these financial statements.

Should the group be unable to complete the negotiations and successfully secure the additional funding to repay these loans and other current liabilities, the group and the company may not have sufficient funds to fulfil its financial obligations as and when they fall due, affecting its ability to continue as a going concern.

If the going concern assumption is no longer applicable, adjustments may have to be made to reflect the condition that assets may need to be realised other than in the normal course of business and at amounts which may differ significantly from the amounts which they are currently recorded in the statements of financial position. In addition, the group and the company may have to reclassify non-current assets and liabilities as current assets and liabilities respectively. No adjustments have been made in these financial statement in this respect.