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# FIRST HALF 2021 RESULTS

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### POSITIVE TRENDS ARE THE H1 FY21 STORY



#### Positive trends evident across all financial performance metrics for H1 FY21

- Revenue of \$186.0 million, ↑\$2.6m or 1.4% on pcp\* (H1 FY21 26wk v H1 FY20 27wk)
  - ↑\$8.4m or 4.7% on pcp excl. additional week in prior year (\$5.8m)
- EBITDA of \$6.8 million, 1\$0.7m or 12.4% on pcp
- NPAT of \$4.2 million, **1**\$0.8m or 23.5% on pcp
- EPS of 2.73 cents per share, up 0.53 cents or ↑24.0% on pcp

#### Acquisitions making a positive contribution to our organisation

- CCL Group delivered both Revenue and EBITDA growth, delivering upon our expectations underlying the acquisition business case
- The Instruction Company was acquired mid-Sept with full financial year effect and has delivered a first half in line with expectations

#### Increased working capital requirement due to significant Action Workforce revenue growth

- Operating Cash Flow an out flow of \$7.0 million due primarily to Action Workforce significant revenue growth across November-December (December growth 33%), so a positive story
- Increased Borrowings and reduced Cash balances fund this timing difference

#### Return to twice yearly dividends

- Delivered on our previously announced intention to return to twice yearly dividend payments
- The interim dividend of 1.8 cents per share represents a level that is 67% of the FY20 full year dividend

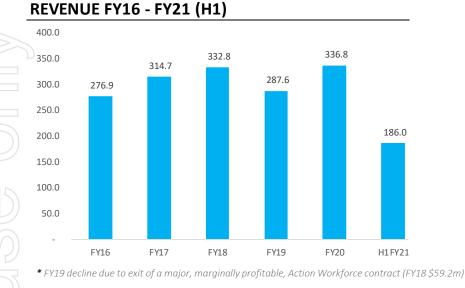
#### Impressive Safety Record continues

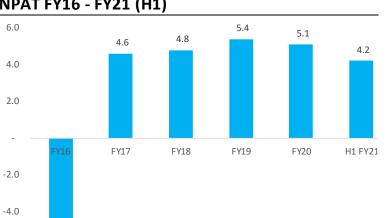
• The impressive safety performance of our company continues to represent world's best practice

\* Prior corresponding period (pcp), being H1 FY20

### H1 FY21 WELL AHEAD OF FY20 TRENDS

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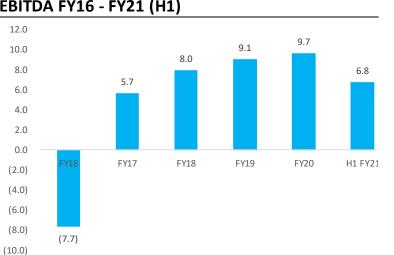


#### NPAT FY16 - FY21 (H1)

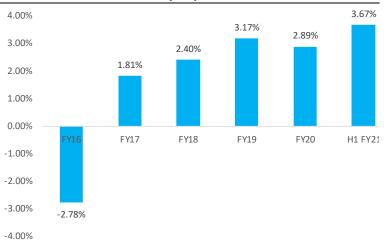
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\* FY16 & FY17 reflects Underlying EBITDA & Underlying NPAT



#### EBITDA % FY16 - FY21 (H1)



#### EBITDA FY16 - FY21 (H1)

### IMPROVED DIVISIONAL PROFITABILITY

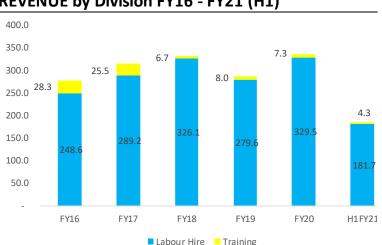
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- Labour Hire H1 FY21 Revenue \$181.7m, **1**\$2.7m (1.5%) on pcp (H1 FY21 26wk v H1 FY20 27wk)
  - 1\$8.4m (4.7%) on pcp excl. additional week in prior year (\$5.8m)
  - Action Workforce, CCL Group and Concept Retail all produced year on year revenue growth
  - Concept Engineering and Concept Recruitment Specialists both declined on pcp
- Training H1 FY21 Revenue \$4.3m  $\downarrow$ \$0.1m (-2.5%) with \$0.8m from The Instruction Company

Labour Hire H1 FY21 EBITDA \$7.5m, **1**\$0.3m with all brands delivering positive EBITDA contributions

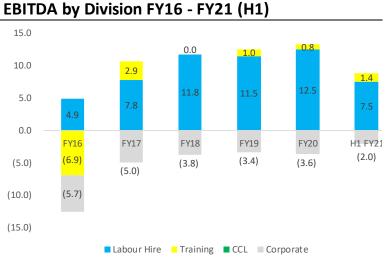
- CCL Group, Concept Retail and Concept Recruitment Specialists all had EBITDA increases on the pcp
- Action Workforce saw a slight contraction in margin over the half
- Concept Engineering was down on pcp on lower revenues

Training H1 FY21 EBITDA \$1.4m, **1**\$0.6m on pcp, with \$0.2m coming from The Instruction Company



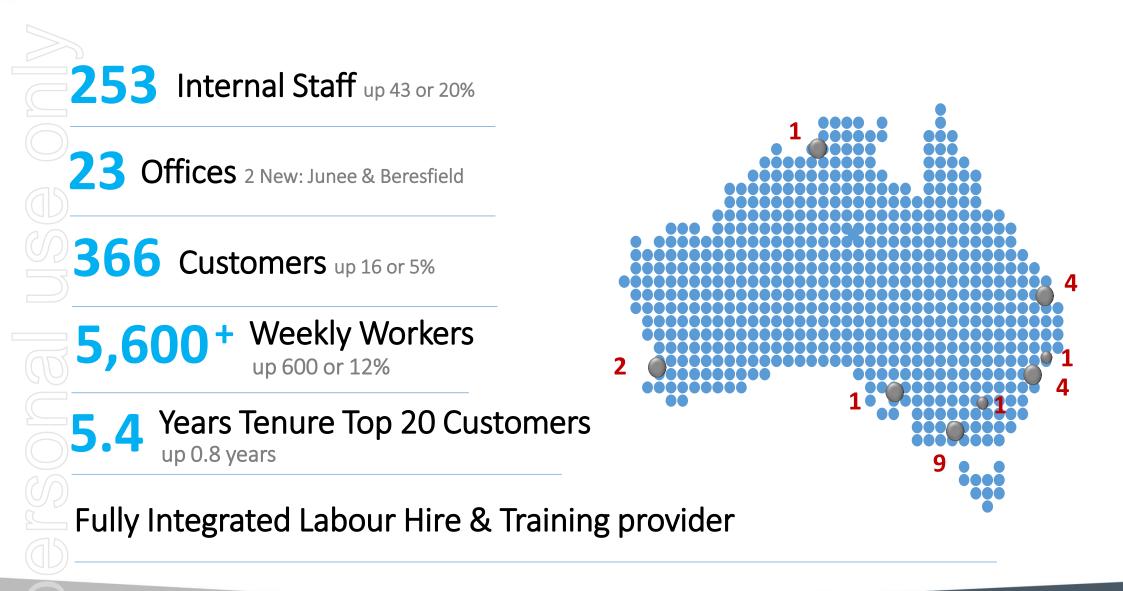
#### **REVENUE by Division FY16 - FY21 (H1)**





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### **BUSINESS GROWTH OVERVIEW**



### LABOUR HIRE DIVISION





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- Irades
- Engineering
- Technical
- Maintenance
- Construction



- Merchandising Staff
- Retail Staff
- Fitout & Project Works



- Permanent Recruitment
- Fixed term Contract
- Executive Search
- HR & IR Consulting
- Payrolling Services



- Construction Labour
- Specialist Labour
- Labourers, Trades, Plant Operators, Steel Fixers
- Traffic Management Services
- Council permits
- Authority approvals

Our Multi Branded Labour Hire division covers all of our Customer's Temporary Labour & Recruitment needs

### TRAINING DIVISION EXPANDS WITH THE INSTRUCTION COMPANY

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#### **ASH Pty Ltd** Australian Institute of **Vocational Training** The Instruction Company (RTO 20749) **Australia Pty Ltd Vocational Development** Ptv Ltd (RTO 20928) Pty Ltd (RTO 90804) Business, Business Admin Early Childhood Education and (RTO 40596) Early Childhood Education and Rail Infrastructure Care Track Protection Care Early Childhood Education and Individual Support Individual Support Shunting Care Ageing Support Warehousing Rail Track Vehicle Driving Individual Support Disability **Operations/Supply Chain** Rail Driving Ageing Support Health Services Assistance Operations Rail Track Surfacing Disability Food Processing Rail Structures Health Services Assistance national<sub>institute</sub> Warehousing Rail Signalling **Building & Construction Operations/Supply Chain** of training Terminal Train Driving Civil Construction Operations Rail Network Control Telecommunications **Tracmin Pty Ltd** Civil Construction Plant Train Driving Technology Operations (RTO 51895) Data & Voice Communications Telecommunications TIC Technology Civil Construction Plant Data & Voice Communications Australian Institute of Operations ocational Development Ageing Support Foundation Skills Disability ashley<sub>institute</sub> RACMIN of training **NTEGRACOM**

Our pre-existing Training division has 16 qualifications on scope, delivered through 4 Registered Training Organisations across three states: Victoria, Western Australia and Queensland The Instruction Company operates 11 qualifications nationally



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	6 months to	6 months to
	03-Jan-21	05-Jan-20
	\$000	\$000
Revenue	185,977	183,380
Other income	358	429
Employment costs	(176,146)	(174,287)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	(936)	(1,174)
Finance costs	(324)	(379)
Other expenses	(3,233)	(3,395)
Profit before income tax from continuing operations	5,696	4,574
Income tax expense	(1,459)	(1,143)
Profit from continuing operations	4,237	3,431
Profit/ (loss) for the period from discontinued	-	-
Profit for the period	4,237	3,431
Other comprehensive income	-	-
Total comprehensive Income for the period	4,237	3,431
Total comprehensive income for the half year is		
attributable to:		
Owners of Ashley Services Group Limited	3,924	3,165
Non-controlling interests	313	266
	4,237	3,431

	03-Jan-21	05-Jul-20		03-Jan-21	05-Jul-20
	\$000	\$000		\$000	\$000
Assets			Liabilities		
Current assets			Current liabilities		
Cash and cash equivalents	1,499	8,063	Trade and other payables	24,332	18,517
Trade and other receivables	45,910	29,418	Borrowings	1,662	-
Contract assets	697	154	Current tax payable	2,447	1,634
Other assets	2,586	1,745	Dividends payable	-	400
Total current assets	50,692	39,380	Lease liabilities	932	723
Non-current assets			Otherliabilities	2,317	1,412
Property, plant and equipment	1,102	1,060	Provisions	2,944	2,453
Right-of-use assets	2,002	2,345	Total current liabilities	34,634	25,139
Deferred tax assets	5,273	4,694	Non-current liabilities		
Intangible assets	10,855	9,322	Borrowings	4,998	-
Other assets	-	92	Deferred tax liabilities	625	764
Total non-current assets	19,232	17,513	Lease liabilities	1,110	1,716
Total assets	69,924	56,893	Other liabilities	1,973	2,762
			Provisions	404	682
			Total non-current liabilities	9,110	5,924
			Total liabilities	43,744	31,063
			Net assets	26,180	25,830

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