#### **ANNEXURE "A"**

## APN Funds Management Limited ACN 080 674 479

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DATED the 22nd day of February, 2008

Peter Nicholson Company Secretary

## APN Regional Property Fund and its Controlled Funds

ARSN 110 488 821

Consolidated Financial Report for the Half Year Ended 31 December 2007

#### Directors' report

The directors of APN Funds Management Limited (ARSN 080 674 479) ("the Responsible Entity") submit herewith the consolidated financial report of APN Regional Property Fund ("the Fund") and of its controlled funds ("the Consolidated Fund") for the half year ended 31 December 2007. In order to comply with the provisions of the Corporations Act 2001, the directors report as follows:

The names of the directors of the Responsible Entity during or since the end of the half year are:

#### Name

Christopher J Aylward Clive R Appleton Howard E Brenchley Andrew N C Cruickshank Michael Doble Charles Raymond Michael Butler John Harvey

The above named directors held office during and since the end of the half year except for:

- Michael Doble resigned 3 September 2007
- Charles Raymond resigned 3 September 2007

#### Principal activities

The Consolidated Fund is a registered managed investment fund domiciled in Australia. The principal activity of the Consolidated Fund is direct property investment and management.

There has been no significant change in the activities of the Consolidated Fund during the half year.

The Consolidated Fund did not have any employees during the half year.

#### Review of operations

The principal objective of the Consolidated Fund is to maximize unitholder value through investment in properties with strong lease covenants, secure income streams and potential for capital growth .

#### Results

The results of the operations of the Consolidated Fund are disclosed in the condensed consolidated income statement of these financial statements. The profit attributable to unitholders for the half year ended 31 December 2007 was \$2,280,000 (2006: \$9,842,000).

#### Distributions

In respect of the half year ended 31 December 2007 a final distribution of 2.2125 cents per unit was paid to the unitholders on 31 January 2008 (2006: 2.23 cents per unit).

For full details of distributions paid and payable during the half year, refer to note 2 to the financial statements.

#### Auditor's independence declaration

The Auditor's Independence Declaration is included on page 3 of the half year report.

#### Rounding off of amounts

The Consolidated Fund is a fund of the kind referred to in ASIC Class Order 98/0100, dated 10 July 1998, and in accordance with that Class Order amounts in the directors' report and the financial report have been rounded off to the nearest thousand dollars, unless otherwise stated.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the directors of the Responsible Entity made pursuant to s.306(3) of the Corporations Act 2001.

On behalf of the Di

Cive Appleton

MELBOURNE, 21 February 2008

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### Independence Declaration - APN Regional Property Fund and its Controlled Funds

In accordance with section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001, I am pleased to provide the following declaration of independence to the directors of APN Funds Management Limited, the Responsible Entity of APN Regional Property Fund and its Controlled Funds.

As lead audit partner for the review of the financial statements of APN Regional Property Fund and its Controlled Funds for the half-year ended 31 December 2007, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

- (i) the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the review; and
- (ii) any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

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Yours sincerely

**DELOITTE TOUCHE TOHMATSU** 

Peter A. Caldwell

Partner

Chartered Accountants

Melbourne, 21 February 2008

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT TO THE UNITHOLDERS OF APN REGIONAL PROPERTY FUND AND ITS CONTROLLED FUNDS

We have reviewed the accompanying half-year financial report of APN Regional Property Fund ("the Fund") and its Controlled Funds (together "the Consolidated Fund"), which comprises the condensed consolidated balance sheet as at 31 December 2007, and the condensed consolidated income statement, condensed consolidated statement of recognised income and expense, and condensed consolidated cash flow statement for the half-year ended on that date, selected explanatory notes and the directors' declaration of the consolidated entity comprising the Fund and the entities it controlled at the end of the half-year or from time to time during the half-year as set out on pages 6 to 12.

#### Directors' Responsibility for the Half-Year Financial Report

The directors of the Responsible Entity, APN Funds Management Limited, are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the half-year financial report in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Corporations Act 2001. This responsibility includes establishing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the half-year financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the half-year financial report based on our review. We conducted our review in accordance with Auditing Standard on Review Engagements ASRE 2410 Review of an Interim Financial Report Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity, in order to state whether, on the basis of the procedures described, we have become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half-year financial report is not in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 including: giving a true and fair view of the Consolidated Fund's financial position as at 31 December 2007 and its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001. As the auditor of APN Regional Property Fund and its Controlled Funds, ASRE 2410 requires that we comply with the ethical requirements relevant to the audit of the annual financial report.

A review of a half-year financial report consists of making enquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

#### Auditor's Independence Declaration

In conducting our review, we have complied with the independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001.

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#### Conclusion

Based on our review, which is not an audit, we have not become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half-year financial report of APN Regional Property Fund and its Controlled Funds is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the Consolidated Fund's financial position as at 31 December 2007 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
- (b) complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

DELOITTE TOUCHE TOHMATSU

Peter A. Caldwell

Partner

Chartered Accountants

Melbourne, 21 February 2008

#### Directors' declaration

The directors of the Responsible Entity declare that:

- a) in the directors' opinion, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Consolidated Fund will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable;
- b) in the directors' opinion, the attached financial statements and notes thereto are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including compliance with accounting standards and giving a true and fair view of the financial position and performance of the Consolidated Fund.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the directors of the Responsible Entity made pursuant to s.303(5) of the Corporations Act 2001.

On behalf of the Directors

Clive/Appleton Director

MELBOURNE, 21 February 2008

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## Condensed consolidated income statement for the half year ended 31 December 2007

	Note	Half year ended 31 December 2007 \$1000	ended
INCOME Rental income Interest Unrealised changes in the fair value of investments Realised changes in the fair value of investments Other income		3,643 126 1,090	3,529 126 8,582 139
TOTAL INCOME	<del></del>	4 940	12,376
EXPENSES Investment management fee Property management expenses Other expenses Auditor's remuneration Finance costs (excluding finance costs attributable to unitholders)		925 128 7	766 184 11 1,573
TOTAL EXPENSES		2,660	2,534
PROFIT ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNITHOLDERS		2,280	9,842
FINANCE COSTS ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNITHOLDERS Distributions to unitholders Increase in net assets attributable to unitholders	2	(1.443)	(1,454) (8,388)
		2,280	9,842
NET PROFIT		_	_

Notes to the financial statements are included on pages 11 to 12.

# Condensed consolidated balance sheet as at 31 December 2007

	Note	31 December 2007 \$'000	30 June 2007 \$'000
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Other receivables Investment properties		4,259 621 81,350	4,309 737 80,250
TOTAL ASSETS		5 86,230	85,296
LIABILITIES (excluding liabilities attributable to unitholders) Payables Distribution payable Interest bearing liabilities		398 722 46,723	380 718 46,648
TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding liabilities attributable to unitholders)		47,843	47,746
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNITHOLDERS		38,387	37,550
Liabilities attributable to unitholders		(38,387)	(37,550)
NET ASSETS			<u>-</u>

Notes to the financial statements are included on pages 11 to 12.

# Condensed consolidated statement of recognised income and expense for the half year ended 31 December 2007

	Note	Half year ended 31 December 2007 \$1000	Half year ended 31 December 2006 \$'000
Net profit for the period			-
Total recognised income and expense for the period			_

## Condensed consolidated cash flow statement for the half year ended 31 December 2007

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	Note	Half year ended 31 December 2007 Inflows/ (Outflows) \$'000	Half year ended 31 December 2006 Inflows/ (Outflows) \$'000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Rental income received Interest received Other cash receipts Other expenses paid		2,897 127 (96)	2,949 91 86 (202)
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES		2,928	2,924
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Proceeds from sale of listed investments Payments associated with investment properties			2,505 (110)
NET CASH USED IN/PROVIDED BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES	· -	(9)	2,395
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES Distributions paid Finance costs paid (excluding distributions to unitholders)		(1,439) (1,530)	(1,454) (1,498)
NET CASH USED IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES		(2,969)	(2,952)
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents held Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the half year		(50) 4,309	2,367 2,422
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the half year		4,259	4,789

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#### 1. Summary of significant accounting policies

#### Statement of compliance

The half year financial report is a general purpose financial report prepared in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 and AASB 134 'Interim Financial Reporting'. Compliance with AASB 134 ensures compliance with International Financial Reporting Standard IAS 34 'Interim Financial Reporting'. The half year financial report does not include notes of the type normally included in an annual financial report and shall be read in conjunction with the most recent annual financial report.

#### Basis of preparation

The condensed financial statements have been prepared on the basis of historical cost, except for the revaluation of certain non-current assets and financial instruments. Cost is based on the fair values of the consideration given in exchange for assets. All amounts are presented in Australian dollars, unless otherwise noted.

The Consolidated Fund is a fund of the kind referred to in ASIC Class Order 98/0100, dated 10 July 1998, and in accc. dance with that Class Order amounts in the directors' report and the half year report are rounded off to the nearest thousand dollars, unless otherwise indicated.

The accounting policies and methods of computation adopted in the preparation of the half year financial report are consistent with those adopted and disclosed in the Fund's 2007 annual financial report for the financial year ended 30 June 2007.

#### 2. Distributions paid and payable

Distribution paid during the period Distribution payable

31 December 2007		31 December 2006		
Cents per unit	\$'000	Cents per unit	\$'000	
2,2125	721	2.23	727	
2.2125	722	2.23	727	
4.4250	1,443	4.46	1,454	

#### 3. Net Assets attributable to unitholders

	Half year ended 31 December 2007 Units	Half year ended 31 December 2006 Units
Units on Issue On issue at beginning of the period Applications Redemptions Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions	32,616,337	32,616,337 -
On issue at end of the period	32,616,337	32,616,337
Movements in Net Assets Attributable to Unitholders At beginning of the period Unit applications	\$'000 37,550	<b>\$'000</b> 30,318
Capital raising costs  Net transfer from income statement for the period	887	- 8,388
Net assets attributable to unitholders	38,387	38,706

Each unit represents a right to an individual share in the Consolidated Fund per the Constitution. There are no separate classes of units and each unit has the same rights attaching to it as all other units in the Consolidated Fund.

#### 4. Segment information

The Consolidated Fund and its controlled entities operate in the property industry in Australia and as the operations are located in Australia, it has only one business segment and one geographical segment.

#### 5. Contingencies and commitments

There are no commitments and contingencies in effect at 31 December 2007 (2006: Nil).

### APN Regional Property Fund Notes to the condensed consolidated financial statements

#### 6. Subsequent Events

There has not arisen in the interval between the end of the financial period and the date of this report any times, transactions or events of a material and unusual nature likely, in the opinion of the Responsible Entity, to affect significantly the operation of the Consolidated Fund, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Consolidated Fund, in the future financial year.

#### 7. Additional Information

APN Funds Management Limited, a private company incorporated and operating in Australia, is the Responsible Entity of APN Regional Property Fund.

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