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## MARKET ANNOUNCEMENT

## NTA Backing as at 28 February 2014

Bentley Capital Limited (ASX Code: BEL) gives notice that its unaudited after-tax Net Tangible Assets (NTA) Backing as at 28 February 2014 was \$0.236 per share.

NTA Backing for Period Ending:	% Change _	Current Month 28 February 2014	Previous Month 31 January 2014
Pre-Tax NTA Backing per share	-5.38%	\$0.236	\$0.249
Post-Tax NTA Backing per share	-5.38%	\$0.236	\$0.249
Based on total issued share capital	<u>-</u>	73,350,541	73,350,541

The 28 February 2014 NTA backing includes a provision for \$0.733 million being the one cent per share fully franked interim dividend announced on 25 February 2014 and expected to be paid on 21 March 2014.

The monthly performance of Bentley for 28 February 2014 with the provision for dividend added back was -1.36%.

As at 28 February 2014, Bentley's ~\$17.30 million NTA comprised:

- (1) ~\$10.45 million invested in ASX-listed securities;
- (2) ~\$6.36 million invested in the CBG Australian Equities Fund (Wholesale) (CBG Fund) (formerly FSP Equities Leaders Fund);
- (3) ~\$1.19 million cash;
- (4) ~\$0.15 million invested in unlisted securities;
- (5)  $\sim$ \$(0.85) million net other assets/(liabilities).

Bentley's major securities holdings as at 28 February 2014 were:

Security	ASX Code/ Description	Industry Sector	Value \$'m	% of Net Tangible Assets
CBG Australian Equities Fund	Unlisted managed fund	Diversified	\$6.36	37%
Molopo Energy Limited	MPO	Energy	\$6.08	35%
Bauxite Resources Limited	BAU	Materials	\$1.50	9%
Marathon Resources Limited	MTN	Materials	\$0.62	4%
Reckon Limited	RKN	Software & Services	\$0.53	3%
Other listed securities	Various	Various	\$1.72	10%

Subsequent to February 2014 month end (and to 11 March 2014) Bentley acquired listed securities at a cost of \$112,568.

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## Notes:

- 1. Units invested in the CBG Australian Equities Fund are valued at the audited unit price published by the investment manager, CBG Asset Management Limited, as at month end the unit price reflects the net asset backing of the fund; there is no buy/sell spread price; there is no recognition of realisation costs as there are no exit fees charged on redemption of units.
- 2. The post-tax NTA Backing per share figure is reported net of provision for tax liabilities on realised and unrealised gains on investments, in accordance with the Company's income tax accounting policy (refer note 1.6 (Summary of Accounting Policies Income Tax) at page 30 of the Company's 2013 Annual Report released on ASX on 30 October 2013).
- 3. Bentley's current accounting policy is to recognise deferred tax assets arising from its carried forward tax losses and its unrealised loss on investments only to the extent of offsetting any deferred tax liabilities arising from its unrealised gains on investments.
- 4. Bentley's current accounting policy uses the first in-first out method of calculating gains or losses on sales of share investments.

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