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# Report on Review of Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

The Shareholders and Board of Directors Evraz Group S.A.

#### Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying interim condensed consolidated balance sheet of Evraz Group S.A. and its subsidiaries ("the Group") as at June 30, 2007 and the related interim condensed consolidated statements of income, changes in equity and cash flows for the six-month period then ended and explanatory notes. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standard IAS 34, *Interim Financial Reporting* ("IAS 34"). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these interim condensed consolidated financial statements based on our review.

#### Scope of Review

We conducted our review in accordance with the International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity. A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, 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 International Standards on Auditing 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.

#### Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim condensed consolidated financial statements are not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34.

#### Emphasis of Matter

We draw attention to Note 1 to the interim condensed consolidated financial statements. A significant part of the Group's transactions were made with related parties including, but not limited to, associates.

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# Evraz Group S.A. Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Income Statement

(In millions of US dollars, except for per share information)

			Six-month period ended June 30,					
	Notes		2007		2006*			
Revenue			- 0.1-	Φ.	2.5			
Sale of goods		\$	5,917	\$	3,766			
Rendering of services			106		59			
Control			6,023		3,825			
Cost of revenue			(3,725)		(2,517)			
Gross profit			2,298		1,308			
Selling and distribution costs			(205)		(118)			
General and administrative expenses			(282)		(228)			
Social and social infrastructure maintenance expenses			(33)		(40)			
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment			(4)		(11)			
Impairment of assets			(5)		(10)			
Foreign exchange gains/(losses), net			(6)		39			
Other operating income/(expenses), net			(8)		(6)			
Profit from operations			1,755		934			
Interest income			19		8			
Interest expense			(181)		(107)			
Share of profits/(losses) of joint ventures and associates, net	8		46		10			
Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of								
acquisition	4		2		_			
Loss on financial liabilities			(2)		_			
Loss on disposal groups classified as held for sale	4		(3)		_			
Other non-operating gains/(losses), net			2		3			
Profit before tax			1,638		848			
Income tax expense	6		(476)		(240)			
Net profit		\$	1,162	\$	608			
Attributable to:								
Equity holders of the parent entity		\$	1,126	\$	568			
Minority interests		Ψ	36	Ψ	40			
Minority interests					10			
		\$	1,162	\$	608			
Earnings per share:								
basic, for profit attributable to equity holders of the parent								
entity, US dollars	11	\$	9.56	\$	4.86			
diluted, for profit attributable to equity holders of the parent		Φ.	0.46	Φ.	4.00			
entity, US dollars	11	\$	9.48	\$	4.82			

<sup>\*</sup> The amounts shown here do not correspond to the financial statements for the six-month period ended June 30, 2006 and reflect adjustments made in connection with the completion of initial accounting as detailed in Notes 2 and 4.

# Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet

(In millions of US dollars)

(In millions of OS dollars	,				
	Notes	J	une 30, 2007		ember 31, 2006*
ASSETS					
Non-current assets					
Property, plant and equipment	7	\$	7,557	\$	3,665
Intangible assets other than goodwill			703		34
Goodwill	5		1,282		115
Investments in joint ventures and associates	8		835		1,491
Restricted deposits at banks			12		219
Other non-current assets			129		67
			10,518		5,591
Current assets					
Inventories			1,335		855
Trade and other receivables			997		638
Loans receivable			16		19
Receivables from related parties	10		48		54
Income tax receivable			29		51
Other taxes recoverable			319		331
Short-term investments and notes receivable			24		25
Restricted deposits at banks	9		207		
Cash and cash equivalents	9		386		842
Cash and cash equivalents	,		3,361		2,815
Assets of disposal groups classified as held for sale	4		5,501 567		105
Assets of disposal groups classified as field for sale	4				
			3,928		2,920
Total assets		\$	14,446	\$	8,511
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES Equity					
Parent shareholders' equity					
Issued capital	11	\$	320	\$	318
Treasury shares	11		(1)		_
Additional paid-in capital			284		531
Revaluation surplus	4		274		_
Legal reserve			29		28
Accumulated profits			3,625		2,748
Translation difference			542		439
			5,073		4,064
Minority interests			119		169
Willionty interests			5,192		4,233
Non-current liabilities			3,192		4,233
Long-term loans	12		2,201		1,855
Deferred income tax liabilities	14		1,228		289
Finance lease liabilities			58		42
Post-employment benefits			264		111
Provisions	12				39
Other long-term liabilities	13		104 65		52
Other folig-term nathrities					
Current liabilities			3,920		2,388
Trade and other payables			856		532
Short-term loans and current portion of long-term loans	12		2,951		741
Payables to related parties	10		227		176
Income tax payable	10		139		66
Other taxes payable			150		96
Current portion of finance lease liabilities			130		11
	12				
Provisions  Amounts poyable under put entions for shares of subsidiaries	13 4		55 707		175
Amounts payable under put options for shares of subsidiaries	4		797		175
Dividends payable by the parent entity to its shareholders			71		38
Dividends payable by the Group's subsidiaries to minority shareholders			27		24
			5,287		1,867
Liabilities directly associated with disposal groups classified as held	4		477		22
for sale	4		5 224		1 200
TD ( ) ( ) 11 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1			5,334	Φ.	1,890
Total equity and liabilities		\$	14,446	\$	8,511
* The amounts shown here do not correspond to the financial statements as	of Decem	ber 31.	2006 and ref	lect adi	ustments

<sup>\*</sup> The amounts shown here do not correspond to the financial statements as of December 31, 2006 and reflect adjustments made in connection with the completion of initial accounting and reclassifications as detailed in Notes 2 and 4.

# Evraz Group S.A. Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Cash Flow Statement

(In millions of US dollars)

	Six-month j	perio e 30,	d ended
	2007	E 30,	2006*
Cash flows from operating activities			
Net profit	\$ 1,162	\$	608
Adjustments to reconcile net profit to net cash provided by			
operating activities:			
Depreciation, depletion and amortisation	286		141
Deferred income tax benefit	(23)		(32)
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	4		11
Impairment of assets	5		10
Foreign exchange (gains)/losses, net	6		(39)
Share of (profits)/losses of joint ventures and associates, net	<b>(46)</b>		(10)
Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable			
assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of			
acquisition	(2)		_
Loss on financial liabilities	2		_
Loss on disposal groups classified as held for sale	3		-
Other non-operating (gains)/losses, net	(2)		(3)
Interest income	(19)		(8)
Interest expense	181		107
Bad debt expense	8		10
Share-based payments	 3		6
	1,568		801
Changes in working capital:			217
Inventories	59		217
Trade and other receivables	(51)		(151)
Prepayments	14		8
Receivables from/payables to related parties	18		(28)
Taxes recoverable	109		85
Other assets	(110)		1
Trade and other payables	(110)		38
Advances from customers	(1)		30
Taxes payable Other liabilities	35		(93)
	 1		(4)
Net cash flows from operating activities	1,651		904
Cash flows from investing activities			
Issuance of loans receivable	(3)		_
Proceeds from repayment of loans receivable, including interest	11		_
Purchases of subsidiaries, net of cash acquired	(3,507)		(11)
Prepayments for purchases of subsidiaries	_		(12)
Purchases of minority interests	(45)		(1)
Payments to acquire equity of other companies	(2)		(522)
Purchase of interest in associates/joint ventures	_		(522)
Restricted deposits at banks	1.4		10
Short-term deposits at banks, including interest	14		(264)
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	(235)		(262)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	8		5
Proceeds from sale/redemption of debt instruments of other			1
companies Proceeds from sale of disposal groups classified as held for sale, net	_		1
of transaction costs	82		
Dividends and advances in respect of future dividends received	62 41		20
Net cash flows used in investing activities	 (3,636)		(1,036)
ivel cash hows used in investing activities	(3,030)		(1,030)

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# Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Cash Flow Statement (continued)

(In millions of US dollars)

		ended		
		2007	2	2006*
Cash flows from financing activities				
Proceeds from issuance of share capital, net of transaction costs	\$	_	\$	1
Proceeds from exercise of share options (Note 11)		35		_
Purchase of treasury shares ( <i>Note 11</i> )		<b>(12)</b>		_
Sale of treasury shares		5		_
Net proceeds from/(repayment of) bank overdrafts and credit lines,				
including interest		180		48
Proceeds from loans and promissory notes		2,051		277
Repayment of loans and promissory notes, including interest		(337)		(199)
Repayment of loans and promissory notes, including interest, to				
related parties		(1)		_
Dividends paid by the parent entity to its shareholders		(357)		(134)
Dividends paid by the Group's subsidiaries to minority shareholders		(28)		(24)
Payments under finance leases, including interest		(11)		(10)
Payments of restructured taxes, including interest				(4)
Net cash flows from/(used in) financing activities		1,525		(45)
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash and cash				
equivalents		4		18
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(456)		(159)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		842		641
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	386	\$	482
Supplementary cash flow information:				
Cash flows during the period:				
Interest paid	\$	(150)	\$	(96)
Interest received		13		7
Income taxes paid		(409)		(251)

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# Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

(In millions of US dollars)

			A	ttributal	ole to eq	quity ho	lders	of the p	arent	t entity								
	 _			ditional			_	_			_				_			
	ssued apital	asury ares	_	paid-in Revaluation capital surplus		Legal Accumulated Treserve profits			slation rence	•	Total	Minority interests		Total Equity				
At December 31, 2006 (as previously reported) Adjustments to provisional values (Notes 4 and 8)	\$ 318	\$ -	\$	531	\$	-	\$	28	\$	2,758 (10)	\$	439	\$	4,074	\$	176 (7)	\$	<b>4,250</b> (17)
At December 31, 2006 (as restated)	318	-		531		-		28		2,748		439		4,064		169		4,233
Effect of exchange rate changes Revaluation surplus on acquisition of a	-	-		_		-		-		-		103		103		2		105
controlling interest in associates ( <i>Note 4</i> )	_	_		_		274		_		_		_		274		_		274
Total income and expense for the period recognised directly in equity	_	_		_		274		_		_		103		377		2		379
Net profit	 _	 _		_		_		_		1,126				1,126		36		1,162
Total income and expense for the period Minority interests arising on acquisition of	_	_		_		274		_		1,126		103		1,503		38		1,541
subsidiaries ( <i>Note 4</i> )  Decrease in minority interests arising due to change in ownership within the	-	-		-		-		-		-		_		_		267		267
Group  Derecognition of minority interests in	-	_		-		_		_		5		_		5		(5)		-
subsidiaries (Note 4)	_	_		_		_		_		(139)		_		(139)		(317)		<b>(456)</b>
Share-based payments	_	_		3		_		_		_		_		3		_		3
Purchase of treasury shares (Note 11)	_	<b>(12)</b>		_		_		_		_		_		(12)		_		(12)
Exercise of share options (Note 11)	2	11		33		_		_		(7)		_		39		_		39
Appropriation of net profit to legal reserve Dividends declared by the parent entity to	_	-		_		_		1		(1)		_		_		_		_
its shareholders ( <i>Note 11</i> ) Dividends declared by the Group's subsidiaries to minority shareholders	_	-		(283)		-		_		(107)		_		(390)		- (22)		(390)
(Note 11)	 	 -														(33)		(33)
At June 30, 2007	\$ 320	\$ (1)	\$	284	\$	274	\$	29	\$	3,625	\$	542	\$	5,073	\$	119	\$	5,192

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# Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity (continued)

(In millions of US dollars)

	Attributable to equity holders of the parent entity											_							
		Issued Treasury capital shares		p	Additional paid-in Revaluation capital surplus		n		gal erve		cumulated profits	Translati differen		Total		Minority interests		Total equity	
At December 31, 2005 (as previously reported)	\$	316	\$	_	\$	547	\$ -	-	\$	22	\$	1,738	\$ 7	2	\$	2,695	\$	190	\$ 2,885
Adjustment to provisional values of the associate		_		_		_		-		_		12				12	_	_	 12
At December 31, 2005 (as restated)		316		_		547	-	-		22		1,750	7	2		2,707		190	2,897
Effect of exchange rate changes		_		_		_	_			_		_	23	8		238		11	249
Total income and expense for the period recognised directly in equity		_		_		_	-					_	23	8		238		11	249
Net profit		_		_		_	_	-		_		568		_		568		40	608
Total income and expense for the period		_		_		_	-	-		_		568	23	8		806		51	857
Issue of share capital, net of transaction costs		_		_		1	-			_		_		_		1		_	1
Allocation of losses of prior periods to minority shareholders Acquisition of minority interests in		_		_		_	-			_		5		_		5		_	5
existing subsidiaries		_		_		_	-			_		_		_		_		(1)	(1)
Increase in minority interests arising due to change in ownership within the Group		_		_		_	-			_		(1)		_		(1)		1	_
Reorganisation of ownership structure												4				4			4
within a joint venture Share-based payments		_		_		6	_	-		_		4		_		6		_	4 6
Appropriation of net profit to legal reserve		_		_		_	_			6		(6)		_		_		_	_
Dividends declared by the parent entity to its shareholders		_		_		(94)	-			_		(64)		_		(158)		_	(158)
Dividends declared by the Group's subsidiaries to minority shareholders		_		_		_	-			_		_		_		_		(24)	(24)
At June 30, 2006	\$	316	\$	_	\$	460	\$ -	-	\$	28	\$	2,256	\$ 31	0	\$	3,370	\$	217	\$ 3,587

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

Six-month period ended June 30, 2007

#### 1. Corporate Information

These interim condensed consolidated financial statements were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors on October 4, 2007.

Evraz Group S.A. ("Evraz Group") is a limited liability company registered under the laws of Luxembourg on December 31, 2004. The registered address of Evraz Group is 1, Allee Scheffer L-2520, Luxembourg.

Lanebrook Limited (Cyprus) is the ultimate controlling party of Evraz Group.

Evraz Group, together with its subsidiaries (the "Group"), is involved in production and distribution of steel and related products. In addition, the Group owns and operates certain mining assets. The Group's steel production and mining facilities are mainly located in the Russian Federation. The Group is one of the biggest steel producers in the Russian Federation.

In the six-month periods ended June 30, 2007 and 2006, approximately 7% of the Group's revenues were generated in transactions with related parties. In addition, a certain part of the Group's purchases was made in transactions with related parties including, but not limited to, a joint venture and associates. For detailed information related to such activities refer to Note 10.

#### 2. Basis of Preparation and Accounting Policies

#### **Basis of Preparation**

These interim condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 34 "Interim Financial Reporting". Accordingly, the interim condensed consolidated financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required for a complete set of financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the Group's financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2006.

Operating results for the six-month period ended June 30, 2007 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the year ended December 31, 2007.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 2. Basis of Preparation and Accounting Policies (continued)

#### **Basis of Preparation (continued)**

In 2006, the Group finalised its purchase price allocation on the acquisition of ownership interests in Palini e Bertoli. In addition, the Group's joint venture completed initial accounting in respect of the acquisition of MUK-96. As a result, the Group recognised adjustments to the provisional values of identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities of these entities at the dates of acquisition and restated the Group's consolidated income statement for the six-month period ended June 30, 2006.

In 2007, the Group finalised its purchase price allocation on the acquisition of ownership interest in Strategic Minerals Corporation (Note 4) and adjusted consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2006. In addition, adjustments to provisional values have been made in respect of Highveld Steel and Vanadium Corporation (Note 8) resulting in a change in the amount of investments in associates at December 31, 2006.

Certain reclassifications have been made to the prior year financial statements to conform to the current year presentation.

#### **Significant Accounting Policies**

In the preparation of the interim condensed consolidated financial statements, the Group followed the same accounting policies and methods of computation as compared with those applied in the complete consolidated financial statements for year ended December 31, 2006, except for the adoption of new standards and interpretations and revision of the existing IAS:

- IFRS 7 "Financial Instruments: Disclosures";
- IAS 1 (amended) "Presentation of Financial Statements";
- IFRIC 8 "Scope of IFRS 2";
- IFRIC 10 "Interim Financial Reporting and Impairment".

The Group has also early adopted IFRIC 11 "IFRS 2 – Group and Treasury Share Transactions".

Adoption of these standards and interpretations did not significantly affect the Group's results of operations or financial position.

The Group has not applied IFRS 8 "Operating Segments" because it is not yet effective.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

## 3. Segment Information

The Group's major business segments are steel production and mining. Steel production segment includes production of steel and related products at six steel mills. Mining segment includes iron ore and coal mining and enrichment.

The following tables present revenue and profit information regarding business segments for the six-month periods ended June 30, 2007 and 2006:

Six-month period ended June 30, 2007

	;	Steel			O	ther			
US\$ million	pro	duction	M	ining	ope	rations	Elin	ninations	 <u> Fotal</u>
Revenue									
Sales to external customers	\$	5,851	\$	107	\$	65	\$	_	\$ 6,023
Inter-segment sales		54		698		334		(1,086)	
Total revenue		5,905		805		399		(1,086)	6,023
Result									
Segment result	\$	1,439	\$	298	\$	30	\$	(5)	\$ 1,762
Unallocated income/(expenses), net									(7)
Profit from operations									\$ 1,755
Share of profits/(losses) of joint									
ventures and associates, net		21		25		_			46
Other income/(expenses), net									(163)
Income tax expense									(476)
Net profit									\$ 1,162

Six-month period ended June 30, 2006

US\$ million	Steel production		Mining		_	Other rations	Elin	ninations	Total		
Revenue	•									_	
Sales to external customers	\$	3,727	\$	53	\$	45	\$	_	\$	3,825	
Inter-segment sales		37		427		261		(725)			
Total revenue		3,764		480		306		(725)		3,825	
Result										_	
Segment result	\$	837	\$	106	\$	24	\$	(38)	\$	929	
Unallocated income/(expenses), net										5	
Profit from operations									\$	934	
Share of profits/(losses) of joint											
ventures and associates, net		_		10		_				10	
Other income/(expenses), net										(96)	
Income tax expense										(240)	
Net profit									\$	608	

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 4. Acquisitions of and Changes in Ownership Interests in Subsidiaries

Acquisition of Oregon Steel Mills

On January 12, 2007, the Group acquired 32,470,867 shares of Oregon Steel Mills, Inc. ("OSM") through a tender offer, representing approximately 90.65% of the outstanding ordinary shares of OSM. OSM, located in the United States and Canada, produces plates, pipes, rails and other long steel products.

In accordance with the US legislation, following the acquisition of the controlling interest in OSM, all the untendered shares were converted into the right to receive \$63.25 in cash which is the same price per share paid during the tender offer. As a result, the Group effectively acquired a 100% ownership interest in OSM. On January 23, 2007, OSM was merged with the Group's wholly owned subsidiary and the merged entity was named as Evraz Oregon Steel Mills, Inc.

Total cash consideration for the acquisition of a 100% ownership interest in OSM amounted to \$2,273 million, including transaction costs of \$7 million.

As a result, the financial position and the results of operations of OSM were included in the Group's consolidated financial statements beginning January 12, 2007. The acquisition of OSM was accounted for based on provisional values as the Group, as of the date of authorisation of issue of these financial statements, has not completed purchase price allocation in accordance with IFRS 3 "Business Combinations".

The table below sets forth the provisional fair values of OSM's consolidated identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities at the date of acquisition:

US\$ million	e 2007
Property, plant and equipment	\$ 1,038
Intangible assets	373
Other non-current assets	3
Inventories	442
Accounts and notes receivable	131
Cash	2
Total assets	1,989
Deferred income tax liabilities	359
Non-current liabilities	155
Current liabilities	235
Total liabilities	749
Minority interests	 46
Net assets	\$ 1,194
Purchase consideration	\$ 2,273
Goodwill	\$ 1,079

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

### 4. Acquisitions of and Changes in Ownership Interests in Subsidiaries (continued)

Acquisition of Oregon Steel Mills (continued)

Cash flow on acquisition during the six-month period ended June 30, 2007 was as follows:

US\$ million

Net cash acquired with the subsidiary	\$ 2
Cash paid	 (2,269)
Net cash outflow	\$ (2,267)

Certain transaction costs amounting to \$4 million were paid in 2006.

For the period from January 12, 2007 to June 30, 2007, OSM reported net loss amounting to \$12 million.

Acquisition of West-Siberian Heat and Power Plant

On May 3, 2007, the Group acquired a 93.35% ownership interest in OAO West-Siberian Heat and Power Plant ("ZapSibTETs"), an energy generating company located in Novokuznetsk, the Russian Federation, for cash consideration of 5,945 million roubles (\$231 million at the exchange rate as of the date of the transaction). In addition, the Group incurred transaction costs of \$1 million.

As a result, the financial position and the results of operations of ZapSibTETs were included in the Group's consolidated financial statements beginning May 3, 2007. The acquisition of ZapSibTETs was accounted for based on provisional values as the Group, as of the date of authorisation of issue of these financial statements, has not completed purchase price allocation in accordance with IFRS 3 "Business Combinations". The table below sets forth the provisional fair values of ZapSibTETs's consolidated identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities at the date of acquisition:

US\$ million	May 3, 2007			
Property, plant and equipment	\$	189		
Other non-current assets		1		
Inventories		3		
Accounts and notes receivable		2		
Cash		13		
Total assets		208		
Deferred income tax liabilities		31		
Current liabilities		6		
Total liabilities		37		
Net assets	\$	171		
Fair value of net assets attributable to 93.35% ownership interest	\$	159		
Purchase consideration		232		
Goodwill	\$	73		
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# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 4. Acquisitions of and Changes in Ownership Interests in Subsidiaries (continued)

Acquisition of West-Siberian Heat and Power Plant (continued)

Cash flow on acquisition was as follows:

US\$ million

Net cash acquired with the subsidiary	\$ 13
Cash paid	(227)
Net cash outflow	\$ (214)

As of June 30, 2007, transaction costs were unpaid and included in accounts payable in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet.

For the period from May 3, 2007 to June 30, 2007, ZapSibTETs reported net loss amounting to \$3 million.

In accordance with the Russian legislation, an acquirer, which purchases not less than 30% of the acquiree's share capital, is obliged to offer to minority shareholders to sell their holdings ("obligatory offer"). Following this requirement, on June 4, 2007, the Group made an offer to minority shareholders of ZapSibTETs to sell their stakes to the Group at a price of 10.59 roubles per share (\$0.41 at the exchange rate as of June 4, 2007). The total purchase consideration for the ownership interests that could be acquired amounts to 427 million roubles (\$17 million at the exchange rate as of June 4, 2007). The Group derecognised all minority interests in ZapSibTETs amounting to \$9 million and accrued a liability to the minority shareholders in the amount of \$17 million. The excess of the amount of the liability over the carrying value of the derecognised minority interests amounting to \$8 million was charged to accumulated profits.

Purchase of a Controlling Interest in Highveld Steel and Vanadium Corporation

On July 13, 2006, the Group acquired a 24.9% ownership interest in Highveld Steel and Vanadium Corporation Limited ("Highveld"), one of the largest steel producers in the South Africa and a leading producer of vanadium products. Cash consideration amounted to \$216 million, including \$10 million of transaction costs. In addition, the Group entered into option agreements with Anglo South Africa Capital (Proprietary) Limited ("Anglo") and Credit Suisse International ("Credit Suisse"), the major shareholders of Highveld, to increase this stake to 79% within the next 24 months should such a decision be made by the Board of directors of Evraz Group S.A. and subject to receipt of all necessary regulatory approvals.

On February 20, 2007, the European Commission approved the proposed acquisition of the controlling interest in Highveld, subject to certain conditions (Note 14) and the directors resolved to proceed with the purchase transaction at the meeting held on February 26, 2007.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 4. Acquisitions of and Changes in Ownership Interests in Subsidiaries (continued)

Purchase of a Controlling Interest in Highveld Steel and Vanadium Corporation (continued)

On April 26, 2007, the Group obtained the regulatory approvals of the South African competition authorities and the share options became exercisable. As a result, the financial position and results of operations of Highveld were included in the Group's consolidated financial statements beginning April 26, 2007 as the Group effectively exercised control over Highveld's operations since that date. In the period from July 13, 2006 to April 26, 2007, the Group accounted for its investment in Highveld under the equity method (Note 8).

The acquisition of Highveld was accounted for based on provisional values as the Group, as of the date of authorisation of issue of these financial statements, has not completed purchase price allocation in accordance with IFRS 3 "Business Combinations". The table below sets forth the provisional fair values of Highveld's consolidated identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities at the date of the business combination:

US\$ million	April 26, 2007				
Property, plant and equipment	\$	382			
Intangible assets		339			
Other non-current assets		17			
Inventories		69			
Accounts and notes receivable		147			
Cash		60			
Assets of disposal groups classified as held for sale		536			
Total assets	\$	1,550			
Non-current liabilities	\$	42			
Deferred income tax liabilities		183			
Current liabilities		325			
Liabilities directly associated with disposal groups classified as held for					
sale		44			
Total liabilities		594			
Net assets	\$	956			

On April 26, 2007, the Group recognised revaluation surplus amounting to \$85 million in respect of the change in fair values of identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities of Highveld allocated to the previously acquired stakes.

Cash flow on acquisition was as follows:

US\$ million

Net cash acquired with the subsidiary Cash paid	\$ 60 (241)
Net cash outflow	\$ (181)

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 4. Acquisitions of and Changes in Ownership Interests in Subsidiaries (continued)

Purchase of a Controlling Interest in Highveld Steel and Vanadium Corporation (continued)

For the period from April 26, 2007 to June 30, 2007, Highveld reported net profit amounting to \$20 million.

The acquisition of Highveld was achieved in stages. Cost of the business combination at each stage, the provisional values of Highveld's identifiable consolidated assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities and goodwill are summarised in the table below:

US\$ million	July 13, 2006 (Note 8)	<b>February 26, 2007</b> ( <i>Note 8</i> )	April 26, 2007	Total
Ownership interest acquired	24.9%	54.1%	0%	79%
Cost of business combination	216	442	_	658
Provisional values of Highveld's				
identifiable consolidated assets,				
liabilities and contingent				
liabilities	659	822	956	_
Goodwill/(excess of interest in the			_	
net fair value of acquiree's				
identifiable assets, liabilities and				
contingent liabilities over the cost				
of acquisition)	52	(2)		50

On May 4, 2007, the Group exercised its option and acquired a 29% ownership interest in Highveld for cash consideration of \$238 million from Anglo. In addition, the Group paid transaction costs amounting to \$3 million.

In accordance with the South African legislation, an acquirer, which purchases 35% of the acquiree's share capital, is obliged to offer to minority shareholders to sell their holdings.

Following this requirement, on June 4, 2007, the Group made an offer to acquire the entire share capital of Highveld, other than those shares already held by the Group, at a price of \$11.40 per share. On July 16, 2007, the Group increased the offer price from the South African rands equivalent of \$11.40 per share to 93 South African rands (\$13.03 at the exchange rate as of June 4, 2007) which represents an approximately 14% increase to the previous offer price.

The total purchase consideration for the minority interests that could be acquired amounts to \$271 million. The Group derecognised minority interests in the amount of \$201 million representing 21% ownership interest in Highveld, and accrued a liability to minority shareholders in the amount of \$237 million. The liability was measured at a price of \$11.40 per share. The excess of the amount of the liability over the carrying value of the derecognised minority interests amounting to \$36 million was charged to accumulated profits.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 4. Acquisitions of and Changes in Ownership Interests in Subsidiaries (continued)

Purchase of a Controlling Interest in ZAO Yuzhkuzbassugol

On June 8, 2007, the Group acquired an additional 50% ownership interest in ZAO Yuzhkuzbassugol ("Yuzhkuzbassugol"), the Group's associate, for cash consideration of \$871 million, including transaction costs of \$9 million, increasing the Group's ownership interest in Yuzhkuzbassugol to 100%.

As a result, the financial position and results of operations of Yuzhkuzbassugol were included in the Group's consolidated financial statements beginning June 8, 2007 as the Group effectively exercised control over Yuzhkuzbassugol's operations since that date. In the period from January 1, 2007 to June 8, 2007, the Group accounted for its investment in Yuzhkuzbassugol under the equity method (Note 8).

The acquisition of a controlling interest in Yuzhkuzbassugol was accounted for based on provisional values as the Group, as of the date of authorisation of issue of these financial statements, has not completed purchase price allocation in accordance with IFRS 3 "Business Combinations".

The table below sets forth the provisional fair values of Yuzhkuzbassugol's consolidated identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities at the date of acquisition:

US\$ million	June 8, 2007				
Mineral reserves	\$	1,578			
Other property, plant and equipment		663			
Investments in associates		211			
Other non-current assets		45			
Inventories		38			
Accounts and notes receivable		99			
Cash		17			
Total assets		2,651			
Deferred income tax liabilities		394			
Non-current liabilities		145			
Current liabilities		361			
Total liabilities		900			
Minority interests		9			
Net assets	\$	1,742			
Fair value of net assets attributable to 50% ownership interest	\$	871			
Purchase consideration	\$	871			

## Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 4. Acquisitions of and Changes in Ownership Interests in Subsidiaries (continued)

Purchase of a Controlling Interest in ZAO Yuzhkuzbassugol (continued)

On June 8, 2007, the Group recognised revaluation surplus amounting to \$189 million in respect of the change in fair values of identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities of Yuzhkuzbassugol allocated to the previously acquired stake.

Cash flow on acquisition was as follows:

US\$ million

Net cash acquired with the subsidiary	\$ 17
Cash paid	 (862)
Net cash outflow	\$ (845)

As of June 30, 2007, transaction costs were unpaid and included in accounts payable in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet.

For the period from June 8, 2007 to June 30, 2007, Yuzhkuzbassugol reported net loss amounting to \$8 million.

Disclosure of Other Information in Respect of Business Combinations

It is impracticable to determine revenues and net profit of the combined entity on the assumption that all business combinations effected during the period had occurred at the beginning of the year.

It is also impracticable to determine the carrying amounts of each class of the acquirees' assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities, determined in accordance with IFRS, immediately before the combination, because the acquirees did not prepare financial statements in accordance with IFRS before acquisitions.

Offers to Acquire Minority Interests in the Group's Subsidiaries

In March 2007, the Group made voluntary offers to minority shareholders of its three subsidiaries (Nizhny Tagil Iron and Steel Plant, Vysokogorsky Mining-and-Processing Integrated Works and Nakhodka Trade Sea Port) to sell their stakes to the Group.

At the dates of voluntary offers, the Group derecognised minority interests in Nizhny Tagil Iron and Steel Plant, Vysokogorsky Mining-and-Processing Integrated Works and Nakhodka Trade Sea Port in the amount of \$92 million, \$9 million and \$2 million, respectively, and accrued a liability to minority shareholders in the amount of \$162 million, \$9 million and \$3 million, respectively.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 4. Acquisitions of and Changes in Ownership Interests in Subsidiaries (continued)

Offers to Acquire Minority Interests in the Group's Subsidiaries (continued)

The liabilities were measured based on the expected amounts to be paid to minority shareholders being the highest price for the shares during the period of six months up to the date of its recognition, as required by the legislation. The excess of the amount of the liability over the carrying value of the derecognised minority interests amounting to \$70 million, \$0 million and \$1 million, respectively, was charged to accumulated profits.

The Group acquired minority interests of 1.09%, 0.83% and 1.54% in Nizhny Tagil Iron and Steel Plant, Vysokogorsky Mining-and-Processing Integrated Works and Nakhodka Trade Sea Port, respectively, for cash consideration of \$37 million, \$2 million and \$1 million, respectively.

As a result, the Group has obtained in each of the above mentioned subsidiaries an ownership interest exceeding 95% of the share capital. As such, the Group became subject to the regulations that require a controlling shareholder to acquire the company's shares in case when the minority shareholders are willing to sell their stakes. On the other hand, a controlling shareholder can require the minority shareholders to sell their stakes.

Adjustment to Minority Interests Derecognised in 2006

In 2006, the Group's share in West-Siberian Iron and Steel Plant ("ZapSib") and Kachkanarsky Mining-and-Processing Integrated Works ("KGOK") exceeded 95% and minority interests were derecognised and a liability to minority shareholders was accrued.

In 2007, the liability to minority shareholders as of December 31, 2006 was measured by independent experts. The excess of the new valuation over the liability to minority shareholders recognised as of December 31, 2006 amounting to \$24 million was charged to accumulated profits in the accompanying statement of changes in equity for the sixmonth period ended June 30, 2007.

Sale of Nerungriugol

On April 25, 2007, the Group completed the sale of Nerungriugol, the Group's subsidiary, which was classified as a disposal group held for sale in 2006. In prior year, the Group recognised a loss on assets held for sale relating to Nerungriugol in the amount of \$66 million. Upon completion of the transaction, the Group recognised additional loss representing the difference between the estimated recoverable amount of the disposal group as of December 31, 2006 and actual proceeds. This additional loss amounting to \$3 million was included in the accompanying income statement for the six-month period ended June 30, 2007.

Adjustments to Provisional Values

In the six-month period ended June 30, 2007, the Group recognised adjustments to the provisional values of identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities of Strategic Minerals Corporation ("Stratcor") acquired in August 2006.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

### 4. Acquisitions of and Changes in Ownership Interests in Subsidiaries (continued)

Adjustments to Provisional Values (continued)

At December 31, 2006, the acquisition of Stratcor was accounted for based on provisional values as at the date of authorisation of issue of the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2006 the subsidiary has not completed valuation of assets in accordance with IFRS 3. In 2007, the Group finalised its purchase price allocation on the acquisition of Stratcor. As a result, the Group recognised adjustments to the provisional values of identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities as at August 23, 2006. Identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities of the acquiree and the resulting goodwill were as follows:

US\$ million		estimation r values	Final estimation of fair values			
Property, plant and equipment	\$	123	\$	81		
Intangible assets		_		27		
Other non-current assets		3		3		
Inventories		51		57		
Accounts and notes receivable		31		31		
Cash		39		39		
Total assets		247		238		
Non-current liabilities		41		46		
Deferred income tax liabilities		22		22		
Current liabilities		50		47		
Total liabilities		113		115		
Net assets	\$	134	\$	123		
Fair value of net assets attributable to 72.84%						
ownership interest		97		89		
Purchase consideration		125		128		
Goodwill		39				

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 5. Goodwill

The table below presents movements in the carrying amount of goodwill during the sixmonth period ended June 30, 2007.

US\$ million	Carry	ing amount
At December 31, 2006 (as previously reported)	\$	104
Adjustments to provisional values		11
At December 31, 2006 (as adjusted)		115
Goodwill recognised on acquisitions of subsidiaries (Note 4)		1,152
Goodwill previously recognised in investments under the equity method (Note 8)		52
Goodwill allocated to disposal groups classified as held for sale		
(Note 8)		(38)
Translation difference		1
At June 30, 2007	\$	1,282

Goodwill arising in 2007 relates to the assembled workforce and synergy from integration of the acquired subsidiaries into the Group.

#### 6. Income Taxes

Major components of income tax expense for the six-month periods ended June 30 were as follows:

	 2007	2006			
Current income tax expense	\$ (499)	\$	(272)		
Deferred income tax benefit Relating to origination and reversal of temporary differences	23		32		
Income tax expense reported in the consolidated income statement	\$ (476)	\$	(240)		

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

# 7. Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment consisted of the following:

	J	une 30, 2007	Dec	ember 31, 2006	
Cost:					
Land	\$	128	\$	62	
Buildings and constructions		1,622		1,225	
Machinery and equipment		4,450		2,258	
Transport and motor vehicles		358		258	
Mining assets		2,210	350		
Other assets		141		69	
Assets under construction		660		483	
		9,569		4,705	
Accumulated depreciation, depletion and amortisation:		,			
Buildings and constructions		(251)		(150)	
Machinery and equipment		(1,471)		(753)	
Transport and motor vehicles		(87)		(55)	
Mining assets		(136)		(36)	
Other assets		(59)		(38)	
		(2,004)		(1,032)	
Government grants:		. , ,		, , ,	
Machinery and equipment, net		(8)		(8)	
	\$	7,557	\$	3,665	

The movement in property, plant and equipment for the six-month period ended June 30, 2007 was as follows:

	I	∡and	ldings and structions	achinery and uipment	and	nsport l motor hicles		ining ssets	ther ssets	Assets under struction	 Total
At December 31, 2006 cost, net of accumulated depreciation and government grants (as previously reported)  Adjustments to provisional values Reclassification into intangible assets	\$	62 _ _	\$ 1,089 (14) -	\$ 1,508 (11) -	\$	204 (1) -	\$	327 (13)	\$ 40 - (9)	\$ 482 1 -	\$ 3,712 (38) (9)
At December 31, 2006 (as adjusted)		62	1,075	1,497		203		314	31	483	3,665
Reclassifications		(3)	(8)	9		_		8	_	(6)	
Additions		_	1	10		11		9	_	208	239
Assets acquired in business											
combination		68	295	1,455		42		1,746	59	185	3,850
Assets put into operation		_	33	146		30		6	2	(217)	_
Disposals		_	<b>(4)</b>	(6)		(1)		(1)		(1)	(13)
Depreciation and depletion charge		_	(37)	(166)		<b>(17)</b>		(15)	(10)	_	(245)
Impairment loss		_	_	(1)		_		_	_	(1)	(2)
Assets held for disposal		_	(2)	_		_		_	_	_	(2)
Translation difference		1	18	27		3		7	_	9	65
At June 30, 2007, cost, net of accumulated depreciation and											
government grants	\$	128	\$ 1,371	\$ 2,971	\$	271	\$ :	2,074	\$ 82	\$ 660	\$ 7,557

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

### 7. Property, Plant and Equipment (continued)

Assets under construction include prepayments to constructors and suppliers of property, plant and equipment in the amount of \$102 million and \$117 million as of June 30, 2007 and December 31, 2006, respectively.

#### 8. Investments in Joint Ventures and Associates

The movement in investments in joint ventures and associates during the six months ended June 30, 2007 was as follows:

	Co	orber	-	zhkuz- ssugol	Hig	ghveld	ther ociates	r	Γotal
<b>Investment at December 31,</b>									
2006 (as restated)	\$	577	\$	679	\$	228	\$ 7	\$	1,491
Share of profit/(loss)		34		(10)		21	1		46
Dividends paid		_		_		(15)	(1)		(16)
Additional investments		_		_		442	_		442
Assets acquired in business									
combination (Note 4)		_		_		_	211		211
Acquisition of controlling interests									
(Note 4)		_		(682)		(682)	(6)		(1,370)
Translation difference		9		13		6	3		31
Investment at June 30, 2007	\$	620	\$	_	\$	_	\$ 215	\$	835

Assets acquired in business combination represent investment in ZAO Kazankovskaya, an associate of Yuzhkuzbassugol. The Group owns 50% in ZAO Kazankovskaya. ZAO Kazankovskaya is a coal mining company.

#### Highveld

On July 13, 2006, the Group acquired a 24.9% ownership interest in Highveld (Note 4). The Group determined that its ownership interest in Highveld represents an investment in an associate and accounted for it under the equity method.

The acquisition of a 24.9% ownership interest in Highveld was accounted for based on provisional values as the associate, as of the date of authorisation of issue of the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2006, had not completed valuation of assets in accordance with IFRS 3. In the six-month period ended June 30, 2007, the Group recognised adjustments to the provisional values of identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities of Highveld as of July 13, 2006.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 8. Investments in Joint Ventures and Associates (continued)

*Highveld (continued)* 

The table below sets forth the adjusted provisional fair values of Highveld's consolidated identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities at the date of acquisition:

US\$ million	July 13, 2006			
Property, plant and equipment	\$ 376			
Intangible assets	303			
Other non-current assets	30			
Inventories	70			
Accounts and notes receivable	128			
Cash	78			
Assets of disposal groups classified as held for sale	201			
Total assets	1,186			
Non-current liabilities	29			
Deferred income tax liabilities	188			
Current liabilities	289			
Liabilities directly associated with disposal groups classified as held for				
sale	21			
Total liabilities	527			
Net assets	\$ 659			
Fair value of net assets attributable to 24.9% ownership interest	\$ 164			
Purchase consideration	\$ 216			
Goodwill (Note 5)	\$ 52			
including goodwill associated with disposal groups subsequently classified as held for sale	\$ 38			

On February 26, 2007, when the Board of directors of the Company approved the acquisition transaction, the completion of the acquisition of controlling interest in Highveld became probable and the Group recognised liabilities to Anglo and Credit Suisse under the option agreements in the amount of \$442 million.

As a result, taking into account the eventual exercise of potential voting rights under the option agreements concluded by the Group with Anglo and Credit Suisse in 2006 in respect of an additional 54.1% ownership interest in Highveld, under which the exercise price for put and call options was fixed and adjusted for dividends to be distributed by Highveld to Anglo and Credit Suisse, the Group, in substance, obtained access to the economic benefits associated with that additional ownership interest. Consequently, the Group accounted for a 79% ownership interest in the associate under the equity method beginning February 26, 2007.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 8. Investments in Joint Ventures and Associates (continued)

#### Highveld (continued)

The table below sets forth the provisional fair values of Highveld's consolidated identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities at the date when the beneficial interest has been increased:

Property, plant and equipment Intangible assets Other non-current assets Inventories Accounts and notes receivable Cash Assets of disposal groups classified as held for sale Assets of disposal groups classified as held for sale  Total assets  Non-current liabilities  Non-current liabilities  Current liabilities  Current liabilities  Current liabilities  Current liabilities  Total liabilities  Assets  Assets  Assets  Assets  Au  Deferred income tax liabilities  Current liabilities  Total liabilities  Assets  Asset	US\$ million	ruary 26, 2007
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Inventories Accounts and notes receivable Cash Assets of disposal groups classified as held for sale  Total assets  Non-current liabilities  Non-current liabilities  Current liabilities  Current liabilities  176 Current liabilities  Liabilities directly associated with disposal groups classified as held for sale  Total liabilities  Total liabilities  Sale  Total liabilities  Fair value of net assets attributable to 54.1% beneficial ownership interest  Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Intangible assets	310
Accounts and notes receivable Cash Assets of disposal groups classified as held for sale Assets of disposal groups classified as held for sale  Total assets  Non-current liabilities  Deferred income tax liabilities  Current liabilities  Liabilities directly associated with disposal groups classified as held for sale  Total liabilities  Total liabilities  Sale  Total liabilities  Total liabilities  Sale  Total liabilities  Sale  Total liabilities  Sale  Total liabilities  Sale  Sale  Ada  Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Other non-current assets	16
Cash Assets of disposal groups classified as held for sale  Total assets  Non-current liabilities  Deferred income tax liabilities  Current liabilities  176 Current liabilities  1343 Liabilities directly associated with disposal groups classified as held for sale  Total liabilities  599  Net assets  Fair value of net assets attributable to 54.1% beneficial ownership interest  Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Inventories	61
Assets of disposal groups classified as held for sale  Total assets  Non-current liabilities  Deferred income tax liabilities  Current liabilities  Liabilities directly associated with disposal groups classified as held for sale  Total liabilities  Total liabilities  Total liabilities  Sepan Net assets  Fair value of net assets attributable to 54.1% beneficial ownership interest  Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Accounts and notes receivable	162
Total assets  Non-current liabilities Deferred income tax liabilities Current liabilities 343 Liabilities directly associated with disposal groups classified as held for sale Total liabilities 39 Total liabilities 599 Net assets \$822 Fair value of net assets attributable to 54.1% beneficial ownership interest \$444 Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements \$442 Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Cash	46
Non-current liabilities  Deferred income tax liabilities  Current liabilities  Liabilities directly associated with disposal groups classified as held for sale  Total liabilities  Sequence of net assets attributable to 54.1% beneficial ownership interest  Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Assets of disposal groups classified as held for sale	451
Deferred income tax liabilities 176 Current liabilities 343 Liabilities directly associated with disposal groups classified as held for sale 39 Total liabilities 599 Net assets \$822 Fair value of net assets attributable to 54.1% beneficial ownership interest \$444  Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements \$442  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Total assets	1,421
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Current liabilities Liabilities directly associated with disposal groups classified as held for sale  Total liabilities  Net assets  Fair value of net assets attributable to 54.1% beneficial ownership interest  Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of		
Total liabilities  Net assets  Fair value of net assets attributable to 54.1% beneficial ownership interest  Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Current liabilities	343
Total liabilities 599  Net assets \$822  Fair value of net assets attributable to 54.1% beneficial ownership interest \$444  Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements \$442  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Liabilities directly associated with disposal groups classified as held for	
Net assets  Fair value of net assets attributable to 54.1% beneficial ownership interest  Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	sale	39
Fair value of net assets attributable to 54.1% beneficial ownership interest \$ 444  Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements \$ 442  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Total liabilities	599
interest \$ 444  Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements \$ 442  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Net assets	\$ 822
Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option agreements \$ 442  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Fair value of net assets attributable to 54.1% beneficial ownership	
agreements \$ 442  Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	interest	\$ 444
Excess of interest in the net fair value of acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	Purchase consideration consisting of a liability under the option	
assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over the cost of	agreements	\$ 442
acquisition (Note 5) \$ (2)		
	acquisition (Note 5)	\$ (2)

The Group classified assets, including goodwill, and liabilities of the businesses to be disposed of in accordance with the resolution of the European Commission as disposal groups held for sale.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 8. Investments in Joint Ventures and Associates (continued)

*Highveld (continued)* 

The movement in investments in Highveld accounted for under the equity method was as follows:

US\$ million	Carrying amount			
Investment at July 13, 2006 Share of profit	\$	<b>216</b> 15		
Dividends paid Translation difference		(9) 6		
<b>Investment at December 31, 2006</b>	\$	228		
Share of profit		5		
Dividends paid		(15)		
Additional investments		442		
Translation difference		(3)		
Investment at February 26, 2007	<u>    \$                                </u>	657		
Share of profit		16		
Translation difference		9		
Investment at April 26, 2007	<b>\$</b>	682		

#### 9. Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents were denominated in the following currencies:

	June 30, 2007		December 31, 2006		
Russian rouble	\$ 104	\$	110		
US dollar	195		665		
Euro	24		36		
Czech koruna	4		19		
South African rand	<b>57</b>		9		
Other	 2		3		
	\$ 386	\$	842		

The above cash and cash equivalents mainly consist of cash at banks.

In addition, as of June 30, 2007 and December 31, 2006, short-term bank deposits with an original maturity of more than three months amounting to \$23 million and \$24 million, respectively, were included in short-term investments.

Short-term restricted deposits amounting to \$207 million represent deposit to secure call option for the Highveld's shares (Note 4). The deposit does not earn interest and matures upon the completion of the transaction.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 10. Related Party Disclosures

For the purposes of these financial statements, parties are considered to be related if one party has the ability to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial or operational decisions. In considering each possible related party relationship, attention is directed to the substance of the relationship, not merely the legal form.

Related parties may enter into transactions which unrelated parties might not, and transactions between related parties may not be effected on the same terms, conditions and amounts as transactions between unrelated parties.

The nature and terms of related party transactions are consistent with those of a prior period which are disclosed in the annual financial statements.

Amounts owed by/to related parties were as follows:

	Amounts due from related parties				Amounts due to related parties			
		ne 30, 2007	Dec	ember 31, 2006	ine 30, 2007	Dec	ember 31, 2006	
Corber	\$	_	\$	_	\$ 176	\$	151	
Evrazmetall-Centre		2		1	3		_	
Evrazmetall-Chernozemie		9		8	_		_	
Evrazmetall-Povolzhie		7		3	_		_	
Evrazmetall-Severo-Zapad		7		_	_		_	
Evrazmetall-Sibir		3		18	_		_	
Evrazmetall-Ural		5		11	_		_	
Kazankovskaya		6		_	13		_	
Raspadsky Ugol		_		_	4		3	
Sojitz Noble Alloys Corp.		3		_	7		8	
Yuzhkuzbassugol		_		_	_		7	
Other entities		7		13	24		7	
		49		54	227		176	
Less: allowance for doubtful								
accounts		(1)		_	_		_	
	\$	48	\$	54	\$ 227	\$	176	

In addition, as of June 30, 2007, other non-current assets included loans amounting to \$42 million granted by Yuzhkuzbassugol to Kazankovskaya in 2004-2005. The loans bear interest of 10% per annum and mature in 2013.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 10. Related Party Disclosures (continued)

Transactions with related parties were as follows for the six-month periods ended June 30:

	Sales to related parties			_	Purchases from related parties			
_		2007		2006		2007		2006
Evrazmetall-Centre	\$	92	\$	56	\$	_	\$	_
Evrazmetall-Chernozemie		42		18		_		_
Evrazmetall-Povolzhie		42		21		_		_
Evrazmetall-Severo-Zapad		30		20		_		_
Evrazmetall-Sibir		<b>78</b>		60		_		_
Evrazmetall-Ural		99		59		_		_
Evro-Aziatskaya Energy Company		_		13		_		61
Highveld		_		_		9		_
Raspadsky Ugol		_		_		43		46
Yuzhkuzbassugol		8		7		119		137
Other entities		2		6		10		33
_	\$	393	\$	260	\$	181	\$	277

Compensation to Key Management Personnel

Key management personnel totalled 50 and 35 persons as at June 30, 2007 and 2006, respectively. Total compensation to key management personnel was included in general and administrative expenses and consisted of the following in the six-month periods ended June 30:

	2	007	2006
Salary	<b>\$</b>	9	\$ 6
Performance bonuses		4	4
Social security taxes		1	1
Share-based payments	<u></u>	2	4
	\$	16	\$ 15

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 11. Equity

Share Capital

Number of shares	June 30, 2007	December 31, 2006
Authorised Ordinary shares of €2 each	157,204,326	157,204,326
<i>Issued and fully paid</i> Ordinary shares of €2 each	118,309,653	117,499,606

In the six-month period ended June 30, 2007, some of the share options granted under the Company's Incentive Plans were exercised. The Company issued 810,047 shares with par value of €2 each and received \$35 million in cash from the Plan's participants. Share premium of \$33 million arising on the transaction was included in additional paid-in capital.

Starting from May 23, 2007, the Group made a decision to cease the issuance of new shares under the share options plans. Since that date the Group acquires its own shares on the open market for the grantees. During the six-month period ended June 30, 2007, the Group purchased 105,407 treasury shares for \$12 million and sold 97,700 shares to participants at exercise prices determined in the Incentive Plans. The excess of the purchase cost of treasury shares over the proceeds from their sale amounting to \$7 million was charged to accumulated profits.

As of June 30, 2007, the Group had 7,707 treasury shares.

#### Earnings per Share

Earnings per share are calculated by dividing the net income attributable to ordinary shareholders by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period.

Diluted earnings per share amounts are calculated by dividing the net profit attributable to ordinary equity holders by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period plus the weighted average number of ordinary shares that would be issued on the conversion of all the potential dilutive ordinary shares into ordinary shares.

Share options granted to participants of the Company's Incentive Plans had a dilutive effect. The Group has no other potential dilutive ordinary shares.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

### 11. Equity (continued)

Earnings per Share (continued)

The following reflects the income and share data used in the basic and diluted earnings per share computations:

	Six-month period ended June 30,			
		2007		2006
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for basic earnings per share	117,845,831		116	,905,850
Effect of dilution: share options	899,729		851,192	
Weighted average number of ordinary shares adjusted for the effect of dilution	118,	745,560	117	,757,042
Profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the parent entity, US\$ million	\$	1,126	\$	568
Basic earnings per share	\$	9.56	\$	4.86
Diluted earnings per share	\$	9.48	\$	4.82

#### Dividends

Dividends declared by Evraz Group S.A. in the six-month period ended June 30, 2007 were as follows:

	Date of declaration	To holders registered at	declared, US\$ million	US\$ per share
Final for 2006	June 20, 2007	June 6, 2007	390	3.30

The final dividends for 2006 were distributed from accumulated profits to the extent that distributable amounts were available as of December 31, 2006. Distributable profits were determined based on separate financial statements of Evraz Group S.A. prepared in accordance with the statutory requirements. The amount of \$283 million representing the excess of declared dividends over the Company's distributable accumulated profits as of December 31, 2006 reduced additional paid-in capital.

In the six-month period ended June 30, 2007, certain subsidiaries of the Group declared dividends. The share of minority shareholders in those dividends was \$33 million.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

### 12. Loans and Borrowings

Short-term and long-term loans and borrowings were as follows:

	June 30, 2007		December 31, 2006		
Bank loans	\$	4,116	\$	1,556	
8.25 per cent notes due 2015		<b>750</b>		750	
10.875 per cent notes due 2009		300		300	
Unamortised debt issue costs		(51)		(40)	
Interest payable		37		30	
	\$	5,152	\$	2,596	

As of June 30, 2007 and December 31, 2006, total interest bearing loans and borrowings consisted of short-term loans and borrowings in the amount of \$2,725 million and \$608 million, respectively, and long-term loans and borrowings in the amount of \$2,441 million and \$1,998 million, respectively, including the current portion of long-term liabilities of \$198 million and \$104 million, respectively.

The liabilities are denominated in the following currencies:

	June 30, 2007			December 31, 2006		
Rouble	\$	210	\$	24		
US dollar		4,514		2,308		
Euro		323		304		
South African rand		113		_		
Canadian dollar		33		_		
Czech koruna		10		_		
Unamortised debt issue costs	(51)			(40)		
	\$	5,152	\$	2,596		

In the six-month periods ended June 30, 2007 and 2006, average annual interest rates were as follows:

	Long-term b	orrowings	<b>Short-term borrowings</b>			
	2007	2006	2007	2006		
Russian rouble	6.52%	_	6.23%	7.4%		
US dollar	7.99%	8.4%	7.12%	6.9%		
Euro	5.78%	5.2%	6.61%	3.8%		
South African rand	_	_	9.99%	_		
Canadian dollar	6.25%	_	_	_		
Czech koruna	_	_	3.34%	_		

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 12. Loans and Borrowings (continued)

The liabilities are contractually repayable after the balance sheet date as follows:

	<b>Ju</b> 2	December 31, 2006		
Less than one year	\$	2,960	\$	742
Between one year and two years		522		382
Between two years and five years		916		707
After five years		805		805
Unamortised debt issue costs		(51)		(40)
	\$	5,152	\$	2,596

In January 2007, the Group utilised a short-term bridge loan facility of \$1,800 million to finance the acquisition of OSM (Note 4). As a result, the Group's current liabilities exceed its current assets by \$1,406 million at June 30, 2007. The Group's management plans to re-finance this short-term loan with long-term debt. As of the date of the issuance of these financial statements, the Group was in the process of selection of non-binding offers received from certain banks in respect of re-financing of the loan.

Some of the loan agreements and terms and conditions of guaranteed notes provide for certain covenants in respect of Evraz Group S.A. and its subsidiaries. The covenants impose restrictions in respect of certain transactions and financial ratios, including restrictions in respect of indebtedness and profitability.

The Group pledged its rights under some export contracts as collateral under the loan agreements. All proceeds from sales of steel pursuant to these contracts can be used to satisfy the obligations under the loan agreements in the event of a default.

At June 30, 2007 and December 31, 2006, the Group had equipment with a carrying value of \$84 million and \$39, respectively, pledged as collateral under the loan agreements. In addition, the Group pledged finished goods with a carrying value of \$617 million and \$194 million as of June 30, 2007 and December 31, 2006, respectively.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 13. Provisions

In the six-month period ended June 30, 2007 the movements in provisions were as follows:

US\$ million	Site restoration costs		Legal claims		Other provisions		Total	
At December 31, 2006 (as previously reported)	\$	37	\$	3	\$	6	\$	46
Adjustment to provisional values		1				_		1
At December 31, 2006 (as restated)	\$	38	\$	3	\$	6	\$	47
Additional provisions		2		1		4		7
Increase from passage of time		2		_		_		2
Unused amounts reversed		_		(1)		_		(1)
Change in provisions due to		- 1				4		440
business combinations		64		1		45		110
Utilised in the year		(1)		(1)		(5)		(7)
Translation difference		1		_		_		1
At June 30, 2007	\$	106	\$	3	\$	50	\$	159

#### 14. Commitments and Contingencies

Operating Environment of the Group

Whilst there have been improvements in the Russian economic situation, such as an increase in gross domestic product and a reduced rate of inflation, Russia continues economic reforms and development of its legal, tax and regulatory frameworks as required by a market economy. The future stability of the Russian economy is largely dependent upon these reforms and developments and the effectiveness of economic, financial and monetary measures undertaken by the government.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 14. Commitments and Contingencies (continued)

#### **Taxation**

Russian tax, currency and customs legislation is subject to varying interpretations, and changes, which can occur frequently. Management's interpretation of such legislation as applied to the transactions and activity of the Group may be challenged by the relevant regional and federal authorities. Recent events within the Russian Federation suggest that the tax authorities are taking a more assertive position in its interpretation of the legislation and assessments and, as a result, it is possible that transactions and activities that have not been challenged in the past may be challenged. As such, significant additional taxes, penalties and interest may be assessed.

Management believes that it has paid or accrued all taxes that are applicable. Where uncertainty exists, the Group has accrued tax liabilities based on the management's best estimate of the probable outflow of resources embodying economic benefits, which will be required to settle these liabilities. Possible liabilities, which were identified by management at the balance sheet date as those that can be subject to different interpretations of the tax laws and other regulations and are not accrued in the accompanying financial statements could be up to approximately \$69 million.

#### Contractual Commitments

The Group signed contracts for the purchase of production equipment and construction works for an approximate amount of \$555 million as of June 30, 2007.

#### Social Commitments

The Group is involved in a number of social programmes aimed to support education, health care and social infrastructure development in towns where the Group's assets are located. As of June 30, 2007, the Group's commitments under these programmes were \$70 million which are planned to be incurred in the second half of 2007.

#### **Environmental Protection**

In the course of the Group's operations, the Group may be subject to environmental claims and legal proceedings. The quantification of environmental exposures requires an assessment of many factors, including changing laws and regulations, improvements in environmental technologies, the quality of information available related to specific sites, the assessment stage of each site investigation, preliminary findings and the length of time involved in remediation or settlement. Management believes that any pending environmental claims or proceedings will not have a material adverse effect on its financial position and results of operations.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 14. Commitments and Contingencies (continued)

Environmental Protection (continued)

The Group has a constructive obligation to reduce environmental polutions and contaminations in the future in accordance with an environmental protection programme. In the period from 2007 to 2012, the Group is obligated to spend approximately \$231 million for replacement of old machinery and equipment which will result in reduction of polution.

#### Divestment Commitments

The Group is obliged to divest Highveld's vanadium extraction, vanadium oxides and vanadium chemicals plants located at the Vanchem site in Witbank, Republic of South Africa (collectively referred to as the Vanchem operations) along with an equity interest or a portion of the Mapoch iron and vanadium ore mine which guarantees supply of ore and slag to Vanchem operations. The divestment package also includes a ferrovanadium smelter located on the site of Highveld steel facility and Highveld's 50% shareholding in SAJV, a joint venture between Highveld and two Japanese partners which own another ferrovanadium smelter at the same site. The assets and liabilities of the above mentioned business units are classified as assets and liabilities of disposal groups held for sale (Note 4).

The Group is obliged to enter into a binding agreement for the sale of the divestment package by November 20, 2007. If the Group fails to meet this requirement, the divestiture trustee approved by the European Commission will arrange a sale with no minimum price.

In addition, the Group committed to maintain and strengthen the existing feedstock supply relationships with Vanadium-Tula, Chussovskoy Metallurgical Plant, both located in Russia, and Treibacher (Austria) – the major consumers of the feedstock sold by the Group and Highveld.

#### Legal Proceedings

The Group has been and continues to be the subject of legal proceedings, none of which has had, individually or in aggregate, a significant effect on the Group's operations or financial position.

# Selected Notes to the Unaudited Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

#### 14. Commitments and Contingencies (continued)

Legal Proceedings (continued)

The Group is involved in several litigations that may have an impact on the assets of Vitkovice Steel, the Group's subsidiary acquired in 2005. Accounts receivable of Vitkovice Steel include 409 million Czech koruna (\$19 million at the exchange rate as of June 30, 2007) due from OSINEK, the former parent company of Vitkovice Steel. This amount is under dispute between OSINEK and VYSOKE PECE Ostrava, a.s. Management believes that this receivable will be recovered.

#### 15. Subsequent Events

Buy Out of Minority Shares in Subsidiaries

In August 2007, in accordance with Russian legislation allowing a shareholder owning more than 95% of a company to increase its stake to 100%, the Group started the buy out of minority shares of its five Russian subsidiaries (Nizhny Tagil Iron and Steel Plant, West-Siberian Iron and Steel Plant, Kachkanarsky Mining-and-Processing Integrated Works, Vysokogorsky Mining-and-Processing Integrated Works and Nakhodka Trade Sea Port).

Exercise of Share Option

On September 28, 2007, the Credit Suisse option for the acquisition of 24.9% ownership interest in Highveld (Note 4) was exercised by the Group.