

# Wisr Ltd (DirectMoney)

# Interim result draws a line in the sand

Wisr Limited (WZR.AX) is an online consumer lending platform competing in the rapidly growing marketplace-lending sector. The company has undergone significant transformation in the past 18 months, including a name change from DirectMoney (DM1.AX) (which shareholders approved on February 28) and a restructure of its management team, board and business model. Wisr reported H118 revenues of \$0.76m, up 34% on pcp and a net loss of \$3.1m, up 12% on prior. Our DCF valuation remains at \$60m or \$0.13/share and is supported by several other valuation methodologies. Please refer to our 26-page positioning paper published on 5 February and available at www.raasgroup.com for further detail on our valuation.

# Interim result

The company reported H118 revenue of \$0.76m up 34% on the prior year and a net loss of \$3.1m, up from \$2.8m a year before. Revenues were below our forecast for \$0.81m for the half and this had a flow on effect to the net loss. Our forecast was for a net operating loss for the half of \$2.5m. Expenses in the period increased 16%, predominantly due to an increase in employee expenses and marketing spend. Marketing spend of \$0.97m was up from \$0.14m y-o-y and was the main contributor to the 63% increase in other expenses. Employee costs of \$1.8m, which included non-cash share based payments of \$0.13m, increased 24% and reflects the company's investment in head count for its next growth phase. DM1 noted that it expected similar staff costs in H218. The operating cash loss for the period was \$1.48m, up from \$1.1m on pcp. At period end, Wisr had \$1.85m cash in hand. The result reflects a period of restructure for the company and, in our view, marks a line in the sand for the company's future performance.

# Earnings adjustments and valuation

We have adjusted our forecasts for FY18 following the interim result and are now forecasting revenues of \$1.85m, down from \$1.9m previously, and a net loss of \$4.75m, down from \$3.55m previously. Our forecasts for FY19 and beyond are unchanged. We continue to anticipate that the company will be cashflow breakeven in 2H19 and profitable in FY20. Our base case forecasts are predicated on WZR following a similar growth trajectory to its Australian and international peers. This underpins our DCF valuation of \$0.13/share which is further supported by several other methodologies including loan book valuation, and early stage valuations. In our view, execution of its strategy over the next 12-24 months should see WZR increase its loan book to ~\$85m by the end of FY19 and this in turn should help reduce the gap between its current market capitalisation and our DCF valuation of \$0.13/share.

Historical e	arnings and RaaS	Advisory estimates	S		
Year end	Revenue (A\$m)	EBITDA reported (A\$m)	NPAT reported (A\$m)	EPS* (c)	P/E (x)
06/17	1.16	-5.35	-5.43	-1.78	n/a
06/18e	1.85	-5.37	-4.75	-1.08	n/a
06/19e	6.73	-0.37	-0.43	-0.09	n/a
06/20e	14.16	5.6	3.8	0.85	3.8
Source: WZR o	data, RaaS Advisory Es	timates for FY18e, FY19	e and FY20e		

### 2 March 2018



# Share performance (12 months)



#### **Upside Case**

Board and management team experienced in building financial services businesses

Has secured the backing of 255 Finance in a wholesale funding agreement and shares/options agreement

Opportunity to be a part of likely industry consolidation

### **Downside Case**

Very small player in a segment of less than 1% of the personal lending market

Competitors have aggressively grabbed market share over the past two years

Stock liquidity, free float less than 40%

# **Board of Directors**

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Wisr Limited (WZR)						Share price (1 March 2018])					A\$	0.032
Profit and Loss (A\$m)						Interim (A\$m)	H117A	H217A	H118F	H218F	H119F	H219F
Y/E 30 June	FY16A	FY17A	FY18F	FY19F	FY20F	Revenue	0.6	0.6	0.8	1.1	2.7	4.0
						EBITDA	- 2.7	- 3.0	- 3.1	- 2.3	- 0.8	0.4
						EBIT	- 2.7	- 3.0	- 3.1	- 2.3	- 0.8	0.4
Revenue	1.2	1.2	1.8	6.7	14.2	NPAT (normalised)	- 2.8	- 3.0	- 3.1	- 1.7	- 0.7	0.2
EBITDA	(6.0)	(5.3)	(5.4)	(0.4)	5.6	Minorities	-	-	-	-	-	-
Depn	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	NPAT (reported)	- 2.8	- 3.0	- 3.1	- 1.7	- 0.7	0.2
Amort	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	EPS (normalised)	- 0.81	- 0.77	- 0.71	- 0.37	- 0.14	0.05
EBIT	(8.7)	(5.4)	(5.4)	(0.4)	5.6	EPS (reported)	- 0.81	- 0.70	- 0.71	- 0.37	- 0.14	0.05
Interest	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.2)		Dividend (cps)		_	-	_	-	-
Tax	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.2	. ,	Imputation	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0
Minorities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		- 1.1		- 1.5		- 1.1	
Equity accounted assoc	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	' '	- 1.1		- 1.5		- 1.0	- 0.0
NPAT pre significant items	(8.8)	(5.4)	(4.7)	(0.4)		Divisions	H117A		H118F			H219F
Significant items	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	1.4	2.1
NPAT (reported)	(8.8)	(5.4)	(4.7)	(0.4)	3.9		0.5	- 0.4	- 0.0	0.3	0.7	1.1
Cash flow (A\$m)	(0.0)	(3.4)	(4.1)	(0.4)	3.3	Rev - Referral Fees		_	-	0.2	0.7	0.6
Y/E 30 June	FY16A	FY17A	FY18F	FY19F	FY20F		0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.8
						Rev - Other revenue	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3
EBITDA	(6.0)	(5.3)	(5.4)	(0.4)	5.6	Casta Calaria	10	0.7	4.0	4.5	4.5	4.0
Interest	(0.1)	(0.0)	0.0	(0.2)	. ,	Costs - Salaries	- 1.6	- 2.7	- 1.8		- 1.5	- 1.6
Tax	0.0	0.0	0.0	(0.1)	(1.5)		- 0.1	- 0.5	- 1.0		- 0.5	- 0.5
Working capital changes	(2.6)	2.6	0.4	(0.5)	(0.8)		- 0.2	- 0.2	0.0			
Operating cash flow	(8.7)	(2.7)	(5.0)	(1.2)	3.1	Costs - Other costs	- 1.4	- 0.1	- 1.0	- 1.3	- 1.3	- 1.3
Mtce capex	0.0	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)							
Free cash flow	(8.7)	(2.8)	(5.0)	(1.2)	3.1	EBITDA	- 2.7	- 2.9	- 3.1	- 2.3	- 0.8	0.4
Growth capex	0.0	0.0	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.1)							
Acquisitions/Disposals	(0.5)	0.0	0.0	0.0		Margins, Leverage, Returns		FY16A	FY17A		FY19F	FY20F
Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		EBITDA		-482.5%	-460.9%	-290.4%	-5.5%	39.7%
Cash flow pre financing	(9.2)	(2.8)	(5.0)	(1.3)	3.0	EBIT		-701.7%	-461.9%	-291.1%	-5.7%	39.6%
Equity	11.3	5.4	0.6	0.0	0.0	NPAT pre significant items		-707.8%	-468.2%	-256.9%	-6.4%	27.2%
Debt	(1.0)	(0.4)	(0.1)	0.0	0.0	Net Debt (Cash)		0.3	2.8	- 5.1	- 11.3	- 18.6
Dividends paid	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Net debt/EBITDA (x)	(x)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	- 3.314
Net cash flow for year	1.1	2.2	(4.6)	(1.3)	3.0	ND/ND+Equity (%)	(%)	-3.5%	-43.9%	48.1%	69.1%	67.7%
Balance sheet (A\$m)						EBIT interest cover (x)	(x)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.0
Y/E 30 June	FY16A	FY17A	FY18F	FY19F	FY20F	ROA		-88.8%	-52.0%	-45.9%	-2.5%	23.4%
Cash	1.3	3.5	1.9	1.9	1.9	ROE		-111%	-64%	-65%	-8%	55%
Accounts receivable	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.7	1.5	ROIC		-228%	-148%	-108%	-5%	30%
Inventory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NTA (per share)		0.03	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.02
Other current assets	1.8	2.0	3.5	8.7	16.6	Working capital		- 0.7	- 0.7	0.2	0.7	1.5
Total current assets	3.2	5.6	5.5	11.3	20.0	WC/Sales (%)		-54%	-62%	11%	11%	11%
PPE	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	Revenue growth			-6%	59%	264%	110%
Goodwill	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	EBIT growth pa		n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	-1556%
Investments	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5		Pricing		FY16A	FY17A	FY18F	FY19F	FY20F
Deferred tax asset	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.9		No of shares (y/e)	(m)	272	437	455	455	455
Loan receivables	6.0	4.7	5.8	5.5		Weighted Av Dil Shares	(m)	269	396	452	455	455
Total non current assets	6.6	5.3	7.1	7.1	9.6	g	()	200	000	102	100	100
Total Assets	9.8	10.8	12.6	18.4		EPS Reported	cps	- 3.94	- 1.71	- 1.05	- 0.09	0.83
Accounts payable	0.8	0.8	0.0	0.0		EPS Normalised/Diluted	cps	- 3.99	- 1.58			0.85
Short term debt	1.0	0.7	5.3	11.9		EPS growth (norm/dil)	оро	- 3.99 n/a				-996%
Tax payable	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0		DPS	cne	nva -	n/a	i iva	IVa	-990%
Other current liabilities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		DPS Growth	cps				- n/-	
Total current liabilities		_						n/a				n/a
	1.9	1.6	5.5	12.0	16.9	,		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Long term debt	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.3		Dividend imputation		28				28
Other non current liabs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		PE (x)		-	-	- 45.0	- 45.0	3.8
Total long term liabilities	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.3	3.7	PE market				15.2		15.2
Total Liabilities	1.9	1.6	7.1	13.3		Premium/(discount)					-100%	-75%
Net Assets	7.9	9.2	5.5	5.1	8.9	EV/EBITDA		- 1.4				5.9
						FCF/Share	cps	-3.2				0.7
Share capital	22.4	28.6	29.3	29.3	29.3	Price/FCF share		- 1	- 5	- 3	- 12	4.7
A Interference Claffer	(15.4)	(20.8)	(25.5)	(26.0)	(22.1)	Free Cash flow Yield		-99.6%	-19.1%	-34.0%	-8.1%	21.3%
Accumulated profits/losses			4.0	4.0	1.8							
Reserves	0.8	1.4	1.8	1.8	1.0							
	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0							



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