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#### MACQUARIE AIRPORTS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING & DISTRIBUTION GUIDANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31 DECEMBER 2008

Please find attached the presentation given by MAp Chairman, Max Moore-Wilton, and MAp Chief Executive Officer, Kerrie Mather, at the MAp Annual General Meeting held today in Sydney.

In addition, MAp announces preliminary distribution guidance for the year ended 31 December 2008 of 27 cents per stapled security. This compares with a regular distribution of 26 cents per stapled security for the year ended 31 December 2007. A 13 cent interim distribution, to be paid in August 2008, was announced earlier today.

MAp Chief Executive Officer, Kerrie Mather, said "I am pleased to announce our preliminary distribution guidance of 27 cents per stapled security for 2008. MAp's core airports have continued to perform well in the first quarter of 2008, with airline marketing underpinning traffic growth and commercial initiatives underway across the portfolio."

The preliminary distribution guidance is subject to change due to the impact of shocks to the aviation industry or any material changes in forecast assumptions.

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# MACQUARIE AIRPORTS

**Annual General Meeting** 

22 May 2008





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- Max Moore-Wilton Executive Chairman
- Trevor Gerber Independent
- Bob Morris Independent
- Michael Lee
   Independent
- Michael Carapiet Executive





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### Chairman's Statement

### **Max Moore-Wilton**





### IRR Since IPO of 17.9% (post Corporate Expenses)<sup>1</sup>

|                               | April 2008 | December 2002 |
|-------------------------------|------------|---------------|
| Position in ASX               | ASX 50     | Тор 200       |
| Market<br>Capitalisation      | A\$5.4bn   | A\$1.0bn      |
| Number of Security<br>Holders | 36,700     | 15,546        |
| Securities on Issue           | 1.7bn      | 942m          |
| Foreign Ownership             | 38.0%      | 12.8%         |





### Portfolio Increased by 30.7% Without Raising Additional Equity

- Brussels Airport:
  - Additional 8.2% interest
- Copenhagen Airports:
  - Additional 0.3% interest
- Bristol Airport (2Q08):
  - Additional 3.4% interest
- Rome & Birmingham divestments
- JAT Investment
- No additional equity raised



### Portfolio Weightings<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Investment values based on shareholdings as at 31 Dec 2007 & MAp directors' valuations as at 31 Dec 2007





#### High Quality, Geographically Diversified Portfolio







### Chief Executive Officer's Report

### **Kerrie Mather**





- MAp Financial Results
- Security Price Performance
- Distributions
- Capital Management
- Performance of MAp's Airports
- Industry Developments & Trends
- Industry Outlook





# MAp Financial Results





### **Proportionate Earnings per Stapled Security Up 11% in 2007**

|  | Year to<br>December 2007 | Year to<br>December 2006 |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Total airport investments  | \$8,434.0m               | \$7,221.8m               |
| Asset backing attributable to<br>investments per MAp Stapled<br>Security | \$5.06                   | \$3.93                   |
| Proportionate consolidated airport asset EBITDA                          | \$920.1m                 | \$856.0m                 |
| Proportionate earnings per stapled security                              | 19.5 cents               | 17.5 cents               |





### Currently Trading at a ~35% Discount to NAB<sup>1</sup>

- Discount has not been this wide since SARS crisis in mid-2003
- Solid operating performance has continued



<sup>1</sup> Net Asset Backing Attributable to Investments per Stapled Security





### **Growing Distributions Over Time**

- 2008 regular distribution guidance of 27 cents per security (increase of 1c over 2007)<sup>1</sup>
- Coverage of regular distribution by proportionate earnings increased to 75%
- Intention to broadly align regular distribution with operating earnings over next few years<sup>2</sup>



- 1 Preliminary distribution guidance for 12 months to 31 Dec 2008 is subject external shocks to the aviation industry or any material changes in the forecast assumptions
- 2 Subject to external shocks to the aviation industry or any material changes in forecast assumptions
- 3 Excludes special distribution of 5c





### MAp has a Sound Financial Position

- Debt at MAp's airports has an average maturity of 7yrs
- No need to refinance any debt until late 2009 (<10% of total debt)</li>
- Substantial cash balance







### MAp Portfolio Operational Performance

### Core Portfolio 2007 Proportionate Performance



### 2007 Delivery on Target

- Traffic growth
  - Long term objective: 4%-5%
  - 2007 outturn: 5.4%
- Revenue growth
  - Long term objective: enhancement through commercial initiatives
  - 2007 outturn: 6.3% impacted by Copenhagen retail disruption
- EBITDA growth:
  - Long term objective: operational efficiencies add further incremental EBITDA
  - 2007 outturn: 8.7%
- EBITDA margin:
  - Improved to 66.0% from 64.6% despite increased security costs









#### Solid First Quarter Performance Across Portfolio









<sup>1</sup>EBITDA before specific items





### Industry Trends – Traffic Development





### Long Term Traffic Outlook is Positive

- ACI forecasts support 4%-5% long term traffic growth
- Number of passengers per movement is forecast to increase by 20%
- Long term drivers of growth:
  - Continued LCC development
  - New aircraft technology
  - Increased air rights



#### Passenger Fleet Development 2007-2026

| Passenger Fleet<br>Development 2007-2026 | % increase in<br>number of aircraft |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Regional (<100 seat) aircraft            | 43%                                 |
| Single Aisle Aircraft                    | 110%                                |
| Twin Aisle Aircraft                      | 241%                                |



### Falling Real Airfares – As Important a Driver of Traffic Growth as GDP



Traffic always reverts to trend





### **Substantial Increase in Services**

- Ability for Australian & US airlines to operate unlimited services between the two countries
- Major employment opportunities from increased trade & tourism
- Facilitates an increase in competition on a route historically dominated by Qantas
- Secured V Australia's inaugural services commencing December 2008
- Further opportunities for Sydney Airport
  - Increase in Qantas services (depth & breadth);
  - New Jetstar International services to Continental US;
  - US airlines wishing to commence/increase services to Australia.





#### A Differentiated Product for a Differentiated Passenger Base

- LCCs are the current growth engine of Intra-Europe aviation
- Refurbishment of old terminal building to create low cost facilities
- Differentiation in the passenger process chain
- Operational efficiencies
- Current LCC representation at Brussels Airport
  - 8 airlines, 16 destinations & 130 flights/week
  - 3% LCC market share
    - Average market share across Europe of 25%







#### An Industry-wide Commitment on Climate Change

- Commitment to a pathway to carbonneutral growth
- Involves adopting a four-pillar strategy developed by IATA & endorsed by ICAO:
  - Investment in new technology
  - Flying aircraft effectively
  - Building & operating efficient infrastructure
  - Using positive economic measures to reduce carbon emissions
- Requires government support & participation



As leaders of the aviation industry, we recognise our environmental responsibilities and agree on the need to:

build on the shorts track record of technological progrees and increases that has made out industry the safest and most efficient transport mode, and

accelerate action to millipate our environmental impact specially in respect to climate change while proserving our triving tole in the sustainable development of our global society.

Therefore, we, the undersigned aviation industry companies and organisations declare that we are committed to a pathway to carbonneutral growth and aspire to a carbon-free future.

To this end, in the with the tour piller strategy unanimously endorsed at the 2007 ICAO Assembly, we will:

- push lowert the development and mail echnologies, including cleaner fusis,
- infrastructure; and

We urge all governments to participate in these efforts by:

supporting and co-financing appropriate research and development in the pursuit of greener technological breakthrougher;

telong argint measure to improve alreade design including ovijitelitary allocation, air traffic management infrastructure and procedures for approving needed arport development, and developing and inclementing a global, equilable and stabil

emissions management transwork for availability (CAO), in line with the United Nations readmap agreed in Ball in December 2003

Our efforts and commitment to work in partnership with governments, other industries and representatives of civil society will provide meaningful benefits on tackling climate change and other environmental challenges.







### MAp is Developing Appropriate Environmental Strategies at its Airports

- Sydney Airport engaged Climate Friendly to determine its carbon footprint
  - Currently working with on-airport partners to develop strategies to reduce carbon emissions
- Copenhagen Airport targeting a 21% reduction in CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by 2012
- Studies at Brussels Airport to examine CO<sub>2</sub> emissions & energy efficiency
- Bristol Airport uses less electricity per passenger than any other UK airport
  - Further initiatives include a green tariff electricity supply contract, installation of a wind turbine & new car park buses meeting emissions standards







## Industry Trends – Commercial

# Creative Commercial Strategies



### Strong Commercial Partnerships at all Airports

- Highly experienced retail team
- Customer driven strategy
- Improved quality of service, choice, convenience, value for money
- Strong commercial partner relationships

| Passengers   | 78m <sup>1</sup> |  |
|--------------|------------------|--|
| Retail Space | 50,000sqm        |  |
| Outlets      | 370              |  |
| Car Parks    | 56,000           |  |

**Core Portfolio Scale** 

Moving annual total to March 2008









#### **Upgrading Passenger Processing and Shopping Experience**

|                        | Previous                                       | Current         |
|------------------------|--|-----------------|
| Security Points        | 2  | 1 (centralised) |
| Security Channels      | 8  | 16              |
| Time of Processing     | > Times due to additional<br>security measures | 98% < 10mins    |
| Duty Free Retail Space | 2,700sqm                                       | 2,800sqm        |
| Sales per passenger    | Below potential                                | Growth of ~27%  |
| Patronage              | Poor customer flows –<br>low patronage         | Growth of ~5%   |







### The Redevelopment Prepares Sydney for the Next Generation of Growth

- A single airside concourse & retail area combined with operational capacity expansion
- Latest technology & design in passenger processing
- New baggage system
- Increase in the retail offering
  - Food & beverage outlets to increase to 26 from 20
  - Specialty shops to increase to 56 from 46
- International multi-storey car park









### MAp's Focus on Customer Service is Rewarded

- MAp's airport businesses have received independent confirmation of our commitment to passenger service & quality
- MAp's approach seeks to balance operational effectiveness & passenger service



# **Contribution to the Community**



### Fostering a Sense of Civic Pride

- Airports contribute significantly to employment growth
- MAp has a strong focus on developing stakeholder partnerships at all of our airports:
  - Customers (airlines, on/off-airport businesses)
  - Governments (local, state & federal)
  - Community
- All our airports support local communities and the local environment





|            | Number of Jobs <sup>1</sup> |
|------------|-----------------------------|
| Brussels   | 60,000                      |
| Copenhagen | 23,800                      |
| Bristol    | 2,800                       |
| Sydney     | 170,500                     |
| Total      | 257,100                     |

<sup>1</sup> Direct & Indirect







## **Industry Outlook**





### The Outlook for the Business Remains Strong

- Unique & well developed operating model, experienced management team
- An excellent track record over the past five years
- Core portfolio remains in excellent shape & business remains resilient to shocks
- Liberalisation of air rights & LCC development balanced with environmental issues
- Initiatives identified to drive future growth
- Continue to examine value adding investment opportunities






### Chairman's Outlook

### **Max Moore-Wilton**





#### The Outlook For the Business Remains Strong

- Traffic resilient to shocks strong start to 2008
- Delivered EBITDA growth in 2007 of 8.7% & solid 1Q08
- Regular distribution guidance of 27 cents for 2008<sup>1</sup>
- Prudent capital management policies
- Leverage portfolio synergies, relationships & intellectual property
- Investment opportunities identified



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### Formal Proceedings

### **Max Moore-Wilton**





| Macquarie Airports |                    |                    |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
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| NON VOTING         |                    | Macquarie Airports |
| ADMISSION CARD     | VISITOR            |                    |
|                    | ADMISSION          | SECURITYHOLDER/    |
|                    | CARD               | PROXYHOLDER        |
|                    |                    | ADMISSION &        |
|                    |                    | VOTING CARD        |















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| Resolution         | Valid Proxies<br>Received |
|--------------------|---------------------------|
| MAL Resolution 1   | 2,401                     |
| MAL Resolution 2   | 2,410                     |
| MAL Resolution 3   | 2,397                     |
| MAL Resolution 4   | 1,927                     |
| MAL Resolution 5   | 2,344                     |
| MAT 1 Resolution 1 | 1,942                     |
| MAT 2 Resolution 1 | 1,934                     |
| MAT 1 Resolution 2 | 2,341                     |
| MAT 2 Resolution 2 | 2,335                     |

Total number of securities on issue is 1,718,653,539





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## MAL Resolution 5 MAT 1 / MAT 2 Resolution 2



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|                    | For           | Against    | Undirected | Abstain    | Excluded <sup>1</sup> |
|--------------------|---------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------------------|
| MAL Resolution 1   | 1,088,072,899 | 1,876,624  | 10,111,573 | 11,700,699 | -                     |
| MAL Resolution 2   | 1,061,398,159 | 38,396,845 | 10,061,068 | 1,905,773  | -                     |
| MAL Resolution 3   | 1,096,335,770 | 4,270,893  | 10,107,272 | 1,047,910  | -                     |
| MAL Resolution 4   | 723,687,847   | 7,248,901  | 4,788,009  | 4,983,988  | 368,526,116           |
| MAL Resolution 5   | 1,090,590,955 | 5,493,168  | 10,149,774 | 5,527,948  | -                     |
| MAT 1 Resolution 1 | 727,163,417   | 3,629,996  | 4,808,729  | 5,156,574  | 368,526,116           |
| MAT 2 Resolution 1 | 727,069,072   | 3,653,233  | 4,820,053  | 5,183,213  | 368,526,116           |
| MAT 1 Resolution 2 | 1,094,586,124 | 1,315,215  | 10,094,411 | 5,766,095  | -                     |
| MAT 2 Resolution 2 | 1,094,566,625 | 1,304,398  | 10,130,257 | 5,760,565  | -                     |

Total number of securities on issue is 1,718,653,539

<sup>1</sup> MAL, MAML, MCFEL and their associates (including their directors and MGL) are excluded from voting on MAL Resolution 4 and MAT 1 / MAT 2 Resolutions 1.







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**Annual General Meeting** 

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