

# Sophisticated Investor Certificate

## Certificate by a Qualified Accountant - Sophisticated Investor and Wholesale Client

I am a Qualified Accountant as defined in section 88B of the Corporations Act. I certify:

- (a) that I am a member of the CPA Australia Limited who is entitled to use the post-nominals 'CPA' or 'FCPA' and is subject to and complies with the society's continuing professional education requirements; or
- (b) that I am a member of the Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand Limited who is entitled to use the post-nominals 'ACA', 'CA' or 'FCA', and is subject to and complies with the institute's continuing professional education requirements; or
- (c) that I am a member of the Institute of Public Accountants who is entitled to use the post-nominals 'AIPA', 'MIPA' or 'FIPA' and is subject to and complies with the institute's continuing professional education requirements; or
- (d) that I am a member of an eligible foreign professional body (see requirements below).

**REQUIRED: My membership number from this professional body is:**

**In accordance with Section 708(8)(c) and Section 761G(7)(c) of the Corporations Act I hereby certify that:**

Name of Individuals or Company:

Whose address is:  
(cannot be PO Box)

- (a) has net assets of at least \$2.5 million; or
- (b) earned gross income for each of the last two (2) financial years of at least \$250,000 a year, including the net assets or gross income of any companies controlled by the client. In accordance with Section 50AA of the Corporations Act, a client controls a company where the client has the capacity to determine the outcome of decisions about the company's financial and operating policies.

Where I have named more than one Individual or Company I certify that each meets the necessary criteria. I also certify that the following companies or trusts are controlled by the above named Sophisticated Investor(s) and therefore may also be treated as a Sophisticated Investor in accordance with the Corporations Act:

Name of Trusts or Companies

## Accountant Details

**Accountant Signature**

**Name of Firm**

**Name of Accountant**

**Business Address (cannot be PO BOX)**

**Date**

**Accountant Email**

**Phone Number**

^ Details must match those provided to your professional body

You will satisfy the criteria for a qualified accountant if you are a member of one of the eligible foreign professional bodies listed below and you:

- have at least three years' practical experience in accounting or auditing, and
- are only providing a certificate for the purpose of s708(8)(c) and 761G(7)(c) to a person who is a resident in the same country (other than Australia) as yourself

**Eligible foreign professional bodies are:**

- The American Institute of Certified Public Accountants;
- Association of Certified Chartered Accountants (United Kingdom);
- Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants;
- Institute of Chartered Accountants of New Zealand;
- The Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales;
- The Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland; and
- The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland

**Submit completed certificate with your online application or email to [discovery.ecm@discoverycapital.com.au](mailto:discovery.ecm@discoverycapital.com.au)**