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Annual General Meeting 2024



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## Catherine West

Chair :::Nine

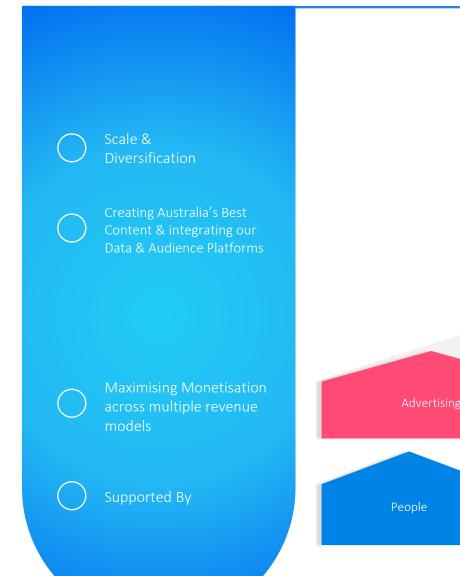


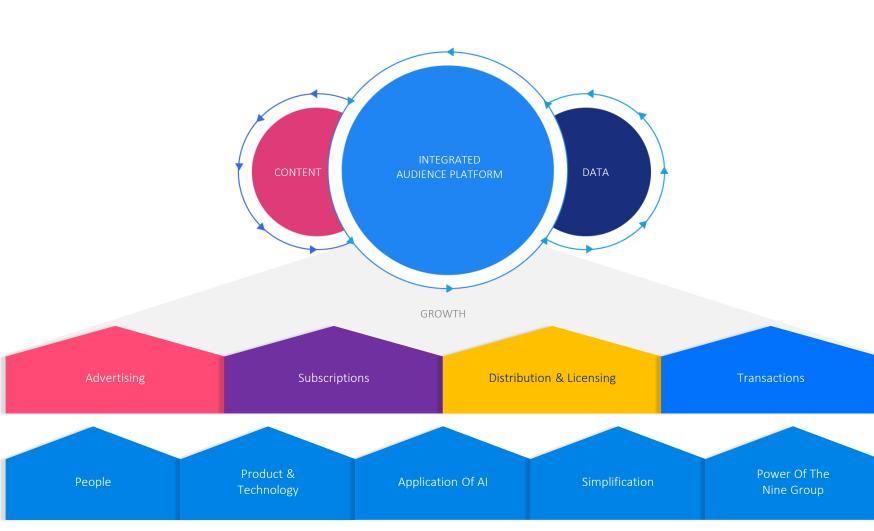
## **Matt Stanton**

Acting Chief Executive Officer **:::Nine** 











#### Group Results – Growth in Digital & Subscription, offset by weaker advertising market

Group Revenue \$2.6B

(-3%)

Group EBITDA \$517M (-12%) Group EBITDA Margin 19.8% (-2.1 pts) FY Dividend 8.5 CPS (11cps last year)

A\$M	FY24	FY23	VARIANCE
REVENUE <sup>1</sup>	2,619.4	2,694.6	(3%)
GROUP EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	517.4	591.2	(12%)
EBIT <sup>1</sup>	361.2	435.5	(17%)
GROUP NPAT, PRE MINORITIES <sup>1</sup>	216.4	279.0	(22%)
GROUP NPAT, AFTER MINORITIES <sup>1</sup>	189.4	262.1	(28%)
SPECIFIC ITEMS (NET OF TAX)	(81.5)	(84.5)	NM
STATUTORY NET PROFIT, INCLUDING SPECIFIC ITEMS	134.9	194.5	(31%)
BASIC EARNINGS PER SHARE <sup>1,2</sup> - CENTS	11.7	15.7	(25%)

<sup>1.</sup> Before Specific Items.

<sup>2.</sup> After Minorities.

Refer to Glossary in Appendix 3 for definitions Total may not add due to rounding.



### Strong cross platform audience results



#### Strong subscriber performance at both Publishing & Stan





### Further opportunities from marketplaces



## Lower costs<sup>1</sup> in FY24, with a further \$50m-plus of underlying cost out expected in FY25



#### Commitment to cultural reform





#### Nine's integrated audience platform comes to life in Paris

#### Total TV



5000 hours of content (up from 300 hours in 2012)

National reach of 19.5m people

Daily average national TTV reach of 9.9m

9Now providing 16% incremental reach

#### 9Now

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4.5m registered users engaged with Olympic content, representing Total People reach of 7.0m.

Over 180m stream starts
Minutes consumed of 4.4 billion

#### Total Publishing

The Sydney Morning Herald

THE AGE

:Brisbane Times

FINANCIAL REVIEW

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201.6 Million Minutes 214.6 Million Page Views 77.4 Million Visits

#### **Total Audio**









1.4m session starts1.7m total listening hours

#### Stan/Stan Sport

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More than 50% increase in Stan Sport subscribers (on week immediately preceding the Olympics) with material uplift in Entertainment subscribers

\$160m+ of total revenue across Nine's businesses



#### Trading Update

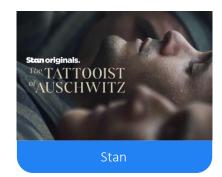


Nine leads the Metro FTA and BVOD in the key demographics, underpinned by growth in Total TV audience, ex Olympics, CY24 to date

Nine's Q1 Total TV ad revenue grew by 15%, with Metro FTA up in the high single digits and 9Now revenue (~20% of total) up by around 50% - both underpinned by Nine's broadcast of the Paris Olympic and Paralympic Games

Underlying Total TV market remains challenging, with no tangible signs of improvement to date. Q2 FY25 expected to revert to the rate of decline in FY24 (c10%).

Continue to expect FY25 Total TV costs, ex Olympics, to be marginally higher on FY24

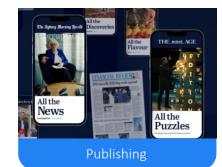


Strong subscriber performance from Stan in Q1, with better-thanexpected churn post the Olympic and Paralympic Games

Expect continued ARPU growth in FY25

Revenue growth expected to more than offset higher costs (incl new UEFA contract), resulting in further growth in EBITDA in FY25, on FY24

In H2, subscriber revenues will be augmented by early days of Stan Sport advertising



Ongoing strength in digital audiences and ARPU for key metro mastheads with Q1 digital subscription revenue growth of 14% on pcp, slightly ahead of earlier expectations

With the absence of Meta, revenue and EBITDA from Publishing is expected to be down year-on-year in FY25

Continue to expect digital subscription growth and a focus on a sustainable cost base to lay the foundations for increasing profitability for the mastheads on a longer term basis



Digital revenue growth of 9% (year on year) for Q1 FY25. Underpinned by Residential revenue growth of 12% for the quarter.

Cost expectations unchanged from Domain's result in August of high single to low double-digit percentage increase, with investment in the ongoing growth of the Company balanced by productivity improvements.

Expect stable EBITDA margins in FY25 on FY24



Nine's Q1 Audio revenues up 6% on pcp

With growth in both broadcast (+5% on pcp) and digital (+40% on pcp) advertising revenues

## Formal Business

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#### Financial Report

To receive and consider the Financial Report of the Company for the year ended 30 June 2024, together with the Directors' Report and the Auditor's Report as set out in the Annual Report.

**Note:** There is no voting applicable to this item of business



#### Adoption of the Remuneration Report

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the Resolution as a non-binding resolution:

"That the Remuneration Report for the year ended 30 June 2024 as set out in the Annual Report be adopted."

**Note**: The vote on this Resolution is advisory only and does not bind the Company.



#### Adoption of the Remuneration Report

Proxy & Direct Vote Count	Number	Percentage
For	686,897,202	62.51%
Against	411,132,582	37.41%
Open	835,812	0.08%
Open Proxies held by Board	554,974	0.05%



#### Re-election of Ms. Catherine West as a Director

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the Resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"To re-elect Catherine West who retires in accordance with clause 26.10 of the Constitution and offers herself for re-election, as a Director."

Note: The Board recommends that shareholders vote IN FAVOUR of Resolution 2 (Ms. West abstaining).



#### Re-election of Ms. Catherine West as a Director

Proxy & Direct Vote Count	Number	Percentage
For	909,801,716	82.81%
Against	188,003,015	17.11%
Open	848,153	0.08%
Open Proxies held by Board	565,817	0.05%



#### Re-election of Mr. Andrew Lancaster as a Director

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the Resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"To re-elect Catherine West who retires in accordance with clause 26.10 of the Constitution and offers himself for re-election, as a Director."

**Note:** The Board recommends that shareholders vote IN FAVOUR of Resolution 3 (Mr. Lancaster abstaining).



#### Election of Mr Andrew Lancaster as a Director

Proxy & Direct Vote Count	Number	Percentage
For	1007,168,243	91.68%
Against	90,519,457	8.24%
Open	851,889	0.08%
Open Proxies held by Board	569,553	0.05%



PROXY & DIRECT VOTE COUNT	RESOLUTION 1. REMUNERATION REPORT	RESOLUTION 2. CATHERINE WEST	RESOLUTION 3. ANDREW LANCASTER
For	62.51%	82.81%	91.68%
Against	37.41%	17.11%	8.24%
Open	0.08%	0.08%	0.08%
Open Proxies held by Board	0.05%	0.05%	0.05%

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