Condensed Interim Financial Statements For the Three and Six Months Ended June 30, 2020 and 2019

(Unaudited - expressed in Canadian Dollars)

#### **NOTICE OF NO AUDITOR REVIEW OF**

# **CONDENSED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The accompanying unaudited condensed interim financial statements of the Company and all information contained in the report have been prepared by and are the responsibility of the Company's management.

The Audit Committee of the Board of Directors has reviewed the condensed interim financial statements and related financial reporting matters.

The Company's independent auditor has not performed a review of these condensed interim financial statements in accordance with standards established by the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada for a review of condensed interim financial statements by an entity's auditor.

Condensed Interim Statements of Financial Position (Unaudited - expressed in Canadian Dollars)

	Mate	June 30,	December 31,
	Note	2020	2019
Assets		\$	\$
Current Assets			
Cash		1,119,001	86,499
Prepaid and deposits		100,303	319,447
Amounts receivable		40,917	66,596
		1,260,221	472,542
Non-Current Assets			
Equipment	5	215,618	171,676
Intangible assets	4	4,950,134	4,950,134
		5,165,752	5,121,810
Total Assets		6,425,973	5,594,352
Liabilities			
Current Liabilities			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		1,042,453	1,082,958
Advances payable		60,000	233,671
Promissory Note	7	1,240,000	5,174,688
Lease liability – short term	8	1,266	-
		2,343,719	6,491,317
Lease liability – long term	8	5,105	-
Total Liabilities		2,348,824	6,491,317
Observational Francisco (Inflationary)			
Shareholders' Equity (deficiency)	•	47 074 440	42.005.000
Share capital	6	17,271,142	13,885,838
Subscriptions received	6	- 2,244,799	21,000
Contributed surplus Deficit	О		975,902
Delicit		(15,438,792) 4,077,149	(15,779,705) (896,965)
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Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity		6,425,973	5,594,352

Nature of operations (Note 1) Contingencies (Note 11) Subsequent events (Note 12)

Approved and authorized by the Board on August 31, 2020

"Ron MacDonald"	Director	"Michael Reimann"	Director
Ron MacDonald		Michael Reimann	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed interim financial statements

Condensed Interim Statements of Loss and Comprehensive Loss For the Three and Six Months Ended June 30, 2020 and 2019 (Unaudited - expressed in Canadian Dollars)

		Three months ended June 30,		Six m	nonths ended June 30
-	Note	2020	2019	2020	2019
		\$	\$	\$	\$
Revenue					
Grant Revenue		-	-	1,109,706	-
Expenses					
Amortization	5	11,371	9,770	21,340	19,722
General and administrative		47,871	22,853	140,698	58,676
Interest		317	152,303	63,426	282,198
Filing and listing fees		24,854	14,482	58,460	14,482
Management fees	7	116,000	78,000	212,000	78,000
Marketing		221,915	334,246	470,930	367,174
Payroll	7	47,042	63,433	106,571	111,200
Professional fees		88,621	2,192	111,132	76,255
Research and development		1,271,327	474,221	1,797,053	998,648
Rent		61,287	41,390	114,594	91,918
Share-based compensation	6	-	-	963,547	-
Travel		4,628	6,725	24,313	6,725
		1,895,233	1,199,615	4,084,064	2,104,998
Loss before other items		(1,895,233)	(1,199,615)	(2,974,358)	(2,104,998)
Other Items:					
Severance	7	(420,881)		(420,881)	-
Gain on debt settlement		-	-	3,736,152	-
		(420,881)	-	3,315,271	-
Net and Comprehensive					
income/(loss) for the period		(2,316,114)	(1,199,615)	340,913	(2,104,998)
Basic and diluted loss per					
share		(0.03)	(0.04)	0.00	(0.07)
Weighted average shares					
outstanding		77,811,259	30,474,514	70,632,474	30,238,568

Condensed Interim Statements of Changes in Equity
For the Three and Six Months Ended June 30, 2020 and 2019
(Unaudited - expressed in Canadian Dollars)

	Common		Contributed		
	shares	Share Capital	Surplus	Deficit	Total
	#	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance, December 31, 2018	30,000,000	11,500,001	-	(10,632,835)	867,166
Shares issued pursuant to	-	-	-	-	-
Private placement	8,020,000	2,005,000	-	-	2,005,000
Finders shares	770,200	-	-	-	-
Broker warrants	-	(31,795)	31,795	-	-
Net loss for the period	<u>-</u>	<del>-</del>	-	(2,104,998)	(2,104,998)
Balance, June 30, 2019	38,790,200	13,473,206	31,795	(12,737,833)	767,168
Shares issued pursuant to:					
Private placement	8,333,329	500,000	-	-	500,000
Share issue costs	-	(87,368)	-	-	(87,368)
Share-based compensation	-	-	944,107	-	944,107
Subscriptions received	-	21,000	-	-	21,000
Net loss for the period	-	<u>-</u>	-	(3,041,872)	(3,041,872)
Balance, December 31, 2019	47,123,529	13,906,838	975,902	(15,779,705)	(896,965)
Shares issued pursuant to:					
Private Placement	27,879,513	3,066,746	-	-	3,066,746
Subscriptions received in advance	-	(21,000)	-	-	(21,000)
Share Issue costs	-	(186,893)	-	-	(186,893)
Brokers warrants	-	(128,469)	128,469	-	-
Settlement	800,000	244,000	176,881	-	420,881
Warrants exercised	2,832,658	389,920	-	-	389,920
Share-based compensation	-	-	963,547	-	963,547
Net income for the period	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	340,913	340,913
Balance, June 30, 2020	78,635,700	17,271,142	2,244,799	(15,438,792)	4,077,149

Condensed Interim Statements of Cash Flows For the Three and Six Months Ended June 30, 2020 and 2019 (Unaudited - expressed in Canadian Dollars)

	2020	2019
	\$	\$
Cash provided by (used in):		
Operating activities		
Net income (loss) for the period	340,913	(2,104,998)
Items not affecting cash:	•	,
Amortization	21,340	19,722
Accrued interest	61,464	282,198
Gain on debt settlement	(3,736,152)	-
Severance	420,881	
Share-based compensation	963,547	-
Changes in non-cash working capital items:		
Prepaid expense	219,144	(788,589)
Amounts receivable	25,678	5,159
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(40,504	380,968
Net cash used in operating activities	(1,723,689)	(2,205,540)
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Investing activity	(E9 E0E)	
Purchase of equipment	(58,595)	<u>-</u>
Net cash from investing activity	(58,595)	-
Financing activities		
Proceeds from Private placement	3,045,746	2,005,000
Share issue costs	(186,893)	(61,520)
Warrant exercises	389,920	` -
Advances payable	(173,671)	(55,000)
Lease payments	(316)	· -
Loan repayment	(260,000)	(251,499)
Loan	` <u>-</u>	720,000
Net cash from financing activities	2,814,786	2,356,981
Change in cash for the period	1,032,502	151,441
Cash, beginning of period	86,499	37,502
Cash, end of period	1,119,001	188,943
Supplemental information	\$	\$
Interest paid	-	-
Taxes paid	-	-

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#### 1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND CONTINUANCE OF BUSINESS

Zinc8 Energy Solutions Inc. (Formerly, MGX Renewables Inc.) ("Zinc8" or the "Company") was incorporated on December 8, 2011 in Canada under the legislation of the Province of British Columbia. Zinc8's head office is located at Unit 1 – 8765 Ash Street, Vancouver, BC, V6P 6T3, Canada. Zinc8 is a development-stage company and in the process of developing zinc-air batteries. The Company's shares trade on the Canadian Stock Exchange ("CSE").

Since March 2020, several measures have been implemented in Canada and the rest of the world in response to the increased impact from novel coronavirus ("COVID-19"). The Company continues to operate and move its business activity forward at this time. While the impact of Covid-19 is expected to be temporary, the current circumstances are dynamic and the impacts of Covid-19 on business operations cannot be reasonable estimated at this time. The Company anticipates this could have an adverse impact on its business, results of operations, financial position and cash flows in 2020.

At the date of the statements, the Company has not yet realized profitable operations and it has relied on non-operational sources of financing to fund operations. The ability of the Company to achieve its objectives, meet its ongoing obligations and recover its investment in its technology and assets will depend on management's ability to successfully execute its business plan, achieve profitable operations and obtain additional financing, if or when required. There is no assurance that these initiatives will be successful.

These condensed interim financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis, which assumes that the Company will be able to realize its assets and discharge its liabilities in the normal course of business. Should the Company be unable to continue as a going concern, it may be unable to realize the carrying value of its assets and to meet its liabilities as they become due. As at June 30, 2020, the Company had an accumulated deficit of \$15,438,792 (December 31, 2019 - \$15,779,705) and expects to incur further losses in the development of its business, all of which casts significant doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. The continued operations of the Company are dependent on its ability to generate future cash flow or obtain additional financing. Management is of the opinion that sufficient working capital will be obtained from external financing and loans from a shareholder of the Company to meet the Company's liabilities and commitments as they become due, although there is a risk that additional financing will not be available on a timely basis or on terms acceptable to the Company. These financial statements do not reflect any adjustments to the carrying values of assets and liabilities, the reported expenses, and the balance sheet classifications used that may be necessary if the Company is unable to continue as a going concern.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These condensed interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") applicable to the preparation of interim financial statements, including IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting. The condensed interim financial statements should be read in conjunction with the annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2019, which have been prepared in accordance with IFRS as issued by the IASB.

The Company uses the same accounting policies and methods of computation as in the annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2019.

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#### 3. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make certain estimates, judgments and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported revenues and expenses during the year. Although management uses historical experience and its best knowledge of the amount, events or actions to form the basis for judgments and estimates, actual results may differ from these estimates.

The most significant accounts that require estimates as the basis for determining the stated amounts include valuation of share-based payments and recognition of deferred income tax amounts and provision for restoration, rehabilitation and environmental costs.

#### Income taxes

In assessing the probability of realizing income tax assets, management makes estimates related to expectations of future taxable income, applicable tax opportunities, expected timing of reversals of existing temporary differences and the likelihood that tax positions taken will be sustained upon examination by applicable tax authorities. In making its assessments, management gives additional weight to positive and negative evidence that can be objectively verified.

#### Going concern

The assessment of the Company's ability to continue as a going concern and to raise sufficient funds to pay for its ongoing operating expenditures and meet its liabilities for the ensuing year, involves significant judgment based on historical experience and other factors including expectation of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances

#### 4. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

On March 6, 2015, the Company entered into a technology development agreement with 8230137 Canada Inc. ("8230137 Canada") whereby 8230137 Canada agreed to provide funding not exceeding \$6,000,000 for the development of intellectual property comprising the zinc regenerative fuel cell systems and zinc fuel cells (the "Zinc Technology"). The Company recognized funding of \$448,682 (2016 - \$1,480,177) received from 8230137 Canada on statement of loss during the year ended December 31, 2017.

On January 1, 2016 the Company entered into a technology purchase agreement with 8230137 Canada to purchase the Zinc Technology for \$11,500,000. In exchange, the Company issued 13,500,000 common shares in the capital of the Company. The Company incurred a transaction cost of \$3,500 related to an acquisition of intellectual property.

During the year ended December 31, 2017 the Company recorded an impairment charge of \$6,553,366 on the Zinc Technology.

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#### 5. EQUIPMENT

	Lab		Right of		
	<b>Equipment</b>	<b>Equipment</b>	use asset	Software	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Cost:					
Balance, December 31,					
2019	204,691	2,373	-	20,309	227,373
Additions	36,743	21,852	6,687	-	65,282
Balance, June 30, 2020	241,434	24,225	6,687	20,309	292,655
Accumulated Depreciation	:				
Balance, December 31,					
2019	39,665	971	-	15,061	55,696
Amortization	14,175	1,820	334	5,011	21,340
Balance, June 30, 2020	53,840	2,791	334	20,072	77,037
Net Book Value:					
December 31, 2019	165,026	1,402	-	5,248	171,676
June 30, 2020	187,594	21,434	6,353	237	215,618

#### 6. SHARE CAPITAL

#### a) Authorized

Unlimited number of common shares without par value. Unlimited number of preferred shares without par value.

On February 11, 2020 the Company closed a non-brokered private placement issuing 27,879,513 units at \$0.11 per unit for gross proceeds of \$3,066,746. Each unit consists of one common share and one non-transferrable share purchase warrant. The warrants have a two-year life and an exercise price of \$0.155 during the year first year and \$0.40 for the balance of the term. The Company paid \$186,893 in finders fees and issued 632,887 finders warrants. The Company fair valued the finders warrants at \$128,469 using the Black-Scholes option pricing model based on the following assumptions: risk free rate – 1.90%; expected dividend - nil; expected life – 2 years; expected volatility – 145%.

During the six months ended June 30, 2020 2,832,658 warrants were exercised for gross proceeds of \$389,920.

# b) Options

The Company has adopted a Stock Option Plan, which is a rolling stock option plan under which options may be granted equal in number to 10% of the issued and outstanding capital of the company at the time of grant of the stock option. No single participant may be granted options to purchase a number of Company shares equaling more than 5% of the issued shares of the Company in any 12-month period. The Board may determine the term of the options, but the term shall in no event be greater than five years from the date of issuance. Terms of vesting of the options, eligibility of directors, officers, employees, management company employees and consultants to receive options and the number of options issued to each participant shall be determined at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

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The balance of options outstanding as at June 30, 2020 and December 31, 2019 and the changes for the periods then ended is as follows:

	Number of Options #	Weighted Average Exercise Price \$	Weighted Average Life Remaining (years)
Balance, December 31, 2019	4,688,000	0.21	4.45
Granted	2,787,951	0.32	
Balance, June 30, 2020	7,475,951	0.25	4.37

On February 18, 2020 the Company granted 2,787,951 stock options to directors, officers, employees and consultants of the Company. The options are exercisable for a 5-year period at 0.32 per option. The Company fair valued the options at 963,547 using the Black-Scholes option pricing model based on the following assumptions: risk free rate -1.90%; expected dividend - nil; expected life -5 years; expected volatility -145%.

As at June 30, 2020 and December 31, 2019, the following options were outstanding:

	Number	Exercise Price
Expiry Date	Outstanding	\$
September 12, 2024	4,688,000	0.21
February 18, 2025	2,787,951	0.32
	7,475,951	

#### c) Warrants

The balance of warrants outstanding as at June 30, 2020 and December 31, 2019 and the changes for the periods then ended is as follows:

	Number of Warrants #	Weighted Average Exercise Price \$	Weighted Average Life Remaining (years)
Balance, December 31, 2019	12,690,829	0.17	1.43
Exercised	(2,832,658)	0.14	-
Issued	29,312,400	0.16	
Balance, June 30, 2020	39,170,571	0.17	1.44

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As at June 30, 2020 the following share purchase warrants were outstanding and exercisable:

Expiry Date	Number Outstanding	Exercise Price \$
=Apily Date	<u> </u>	<del>_</del>
November 30, 2020	3,856,300	0.35
September 11, 2021	6,374,998	0.08
February 10, 2022	28,139,273	0.155
May 5, 2022	800,000	0.50
	39,170,571	0.17

#### 7. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Compensation paid to key management during the three months ended June 30, 2020 and 2019 is as follows:

	Three months ended June 30,		Six months ended June 30	
	2020 \$	2019 \$	2020 \$	2019 \$
Management fees	116,000	78,000	212,000	78,000
Payroll expense	33,000	33,000	66,000	66,000
Share-based compensation	-	-	491,031	-
	149,000	111,000	769,031	144,000

Key management includes the CFO, CEO, VP of Engineering and the Board of Directors. All related party transactions are in the normal course of operations and have been measured at the agreed to amounts, which is the amount of consideration established and agreed to by the related parties. As at June 30, 2020 the Company had \$26,000 (2019 - \$113,460) owing to related parties included in accounts payable. The amounts owing are non-interest bearing and due on demand.

During the year ended December 31, 2018 the Company received \$2,376,744 (2017 - \$nil) in loans from MGX. On June 30, 2018 the Company entered into a promissory note agreement with MGX in the amount of \$2,952,222 (the "Promissory Note"). The Promissory Note replaced the existing loans payable that were owing to MGX. The Promissory Note bears interest at 12%, is unsecured and due on December 31, 2020. Additional loans received from MGX subsequent to the Promissory Note have the same terms as the Promissory Note.

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Balance, December 31, 2018	4,104,558
Additions	739,038
Repayments	(251,499)
Interest	582,591
Balance, December 31, 2019	5,174,688
Interest	61,464
Gain on debt settlement	(3,736,152)
Repayment	(260,000)
Balance, June 30, 2020	1,240,000

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During the six months ended June 30, 2020 the Company agreed to a settlement of the loan with MGX for \$1,500,000 and repaid \$260,000. Subsequent to June 30, 2020 the Company paid an additional \$620,000. The Company recorded a gain on debt settlement of \$3,736,152.

Upon completion of the settlement, Jared Lazerson resigned from his position as a Director of Zinc8. Mr. Lazerson agreed to a severance agreement with the Company whereby the Company issued 800,000 units with each unit consisting of one common share and one share purchase warrant. Each warrant is exercisable for 2 years at a price of \$0.50 per warrant and the units were issued on May 5, 2020. The units were fair valued at \$420,881 and recorded as a severance expense.

#### 8. LEASE OBLIGATION

On April 1, 2020 the Company entered into a lease agreement for a piece of office equipment and the Company recognized a lease obligation with respect to the lease. The terms and outstanding balances as at June 30, 2020 are as follows:

	June 30, 2020 \$
Right of use asset, repayable in monthly instalments of \$107 and an implicit interest rate of 0.025% per annum and an end date of April 1, 2025	6,371
Less: current portion	(1,266)
Non-current portion	5,104

The following is a schedule of the Company's future minimum lease payments related to the office lease obligation

	June 30, 2020
	\$
2020	642
2021	1,284
2022	1,284
2023	1,284
2024	1,284
2025	749
Total minimum lease payments	6,420
Less: imputed interest	(49)
Total present value of minimum lease payments	6,371
Less: current portion	(1,266)
Non-current portion	5,104

# 9. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

#### (a) Fair values

The Company has classified fair value measurements of its financial instruments using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of inputs used in making the measurements as follows:

Level 1: Valuation based on quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities:

Level 2: Valuations based on directly or indirectly observable inputs in active markets for similar

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assets or liabilities, other than Level 1 prices, such as quoted interest or currency exchange rates; and Level 3: Valuations based on significant inputs that are not derived from observable market data, such as discounted cash flow methodologies based on internal cash flow forecasts.

As at June 30, 2020, the fair values of financial instruments measured on a recurring basis include cash, determined based on level one inputs and consisting of quoted prices in active markets for identical assets. The fair values of other financial instruments, which include accounts payable and accrued liabilities, loan payable, approximate their carrying values due to the relatively short-term maturity of these instruments.

# (b) Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. The Company currently settles its financial obligations out of cash. The ability to do this relies on the Company raising equity financing in a timely manner and by maintaining sufficient cash in excess of anticipated needs. As at June 30, 2020, the Company had a working capital deficit of \$1,083,498.

# (c) Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Company if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations.

The Company's cash is largely held in large Canadian financial institutions. The Company does not have any asset-backed commercial paper. The Company's receivables consist of GST receivable due from the Federal Government of Canada. The Company maintains cash deposits with Schedule A financial institutions, which from time to time may exceed federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any significant credit losses and believes it is not exposed to any significant credit risk.

#### (d) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. Financial assets and liabilities with variable interest rates expose the Company to cash flow interest rate risk. The Company does not hold any financial liabilities with variable interest rates. The Company does maintain bank accounts which earn interest at variable rates but it does not believe it is currently subject to any significant interest rate risk.

# (e) Foreign currency exchange rate risk

The Company's functional and reporting currency is the Canadian dollar and major purchases are transacted in Canadian dollars. As a result, the Company's exposure to foreign currency risk is minimal.

# **10. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT**

The Company's objective when managing capital is to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern in order to provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders and to maintain optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital. The Company's capital is composed of shareholder's equity in the statement of financial position.

The Company is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements. In managing capital structure, the Company manages its capital through regular reports to the Board of Directors and management review of monthly and quarterly financial information. There were no changes to the Company's management of capital during the period.

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#### 11. CONTINGENCIES

On September 5, 2019, Market One Media Group Inc. filed a claim against the Company for unpaid invoices of \$207,900 relating to a media advertising and promotion services agreement from May 2019. The Company's position is that it has not received any of the services discussed in the contract. The full amount of \$207,900 has been recorded as accounts payable at June 30, 2020.

On January 10, 2020, Dig Media filed a claim against the Company for unpaid invoices relating to media and promotion services from May 2019. It is the Company's position that it has not received any of the services. The full amount of \$60,900 has been recorded as accounts payable at June 30, 2020.

#### 12. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Subsequent to June 30, 2020, 2,634,090 warrants with an exercise price of \$0.155 were exercised for gross proceeds of \$408,284.

Subsequent to June 30, 2020 the Company granted 200,000 options to Incite Capital Markets Inc. ("Incite") as part of an agreement for investor relations and capital markets advisory service. The options vest over 12 months, have an exercise price of \$0.20 and expire three years from the date of grant.