#### INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 1997

#### NOTICE TO READER

We have compiled the consolidated balance sheet of Erin Ventures Inc. as at December 31, 1997, and the consolidated statements of loss and deficit and changes in financial position for the six months then ended from information provided by management. We have not audited, reviewed or otherwise attempted to verify the accuracy or completeness of such information. Readers are cautioned that these statements may not be appropriate for their purposes.

Vancouver, Canada March 2, 1998 "AMISANO HANSON" Chartered Accountants

#### CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

## as at December 31, 1997

#### (Unaudited - See Notice to Reader)

<b>ASSETS</b>	

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Current		<u>1997</u>		<u>1996</u>
Cash and treasury bills	\$	53,111	\$	1,112,766
Accounts receivable	Ψ	31,685	Ψ	10,675
Prepaids		1,734		1,734
		86,530		1,125,175
Capital assets		34,920		7,727
Resource properties		2,448,019		462,785
	\$	2,569,469	\$	1,595,687
	<u>LIABILITIES</u>			
Current				
Accounts payable	\$	127,410	\$	90,038
Long-term debt		-		750,000
		127,410		840,038
	SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Share capital		2,761,550		1,003,550
Shares subscribed		487,420		1,003,330
Deficit		( 806,911)		( 247,901)
		2,442,058		755,649
	\$	2,569,469	\$	1,595,687

#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF LOSS AND DEFICIT

# for the six months ended December 31, 1997 (Unaudited - See Notice to Reader)

	<u>1997</u>		<u>1996</u>
Interest income	\$ 1,660	\$	12,838
Expenses			
Accounting and audit	9,135		2,400
Amortization	5,720		422
Filing fees	2,155		2,600
Interest on long-term debt	-		41,250
Investor relations	118,389		-
Legal fees	3,005		6,124
Management fees	45,000		25,000
Office	12,675		6,377
Printing	1,581		-
Telephone	5,746		2,704
Transfer agent fees	3,359		2,509
Travel and promotion	33,748		3,339
Web site	21,157		-
	261,670		92,725
Net loss for the period	( 260,010)	(	79,887)
Deficit, beginning of the period	( 546,901)	(	168,014)
Deficit, end of the period	\$ ( 806,911)	\$ (	247,901)

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION for the six months ended December 31, 1997 (Unaudited - See Notice to Reader)

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Operating Activities Net loss for the period	\$ ( 260,010)	\$ ( 79,887)
Charge to income not affecting cash:	, ,	
Amortization	5,720	757
	( 254,290)	( 79,130)
Changes in non-cash working capital accounts related		
to operations: Accounts receivable	( 5,670)	( 6,781)
Share subscriptions receivable	80,000	( 0,701)
Prepaid expenses	4,100	2,927
Advances receivable	-	60,569
Accounts payable	50,925	( 61,354)
	( 124,935)	( 83,769)
Financing Activities		
Issuance of common stock	-	724,050
Shares subscribed	487,420	· -
Cash acquired on acquisition of subsidiary	-	( 553)
	487,420	723,497
Investing Activities		
Purchase of capital assets	( 633)	(6,060)
Increase in resource properties	( 857,514)	( 386,982)
Acquisition of subsidiary	-	( 60,570)
	( 858,147)	( 453,612)
Increase (decrease) in cash during the period	( 495,662)	186,116
Cash, beginning of the period	548,773	926,650
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Cash and treasury bills, end of the period	\$ 53,111	\$ 1,112,766