# STRATEGIC REPORT

# **INVESTMENT CASE**

# DEFENSIVE INDUSTRY WITH POTENTIAL FOR LONG-TERM GROWTH

- · Operating in a strongly defensive sector with demand relatively unaffected by economic cycles.
- Continued growth expected in demand for healthcare due to population growth, ageing population, consumerism, technological advancement, the burden of disease and government funding limitations.

# STRONG TRACK RECORD

- Led by an experienced and proven Board and Management team with an average corporate level tenure of 20 years.
- Delivered stable and strong operational growth for almost three decades.
- Strong track record in selecting earnings-enhancing capital projects and ability to integrate and extract value from acquisitions.
- · Long-term commitment since inception from Remgro, Mediclinic's largest shareholder.

#### INTERNATIONAL PRESENCE

- Well positioned as a trusted provider of hospital services in developing and developed markets: Southern Africa, Europe and Middle East.
- Significantly expanded presence in UAE through the Combination with Al Noor, providing leading operations in both Dubai and Abu Dhabi.
- Leading position in all the markets in which it operates (which excludes the UK).
- Geographic diversification mitigates country-specific risk.

#### **PURE SERVICES PLAYER**

- Long-term investor and manager of mostly acute care, specialist-orientated, multi-disciplinary hospitals and related outpatient facilities.
- Extensive property portfolio in prime real estate provides valuable operational flexibility and strong assets to underpin the business.

# **FURTHER GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES**

- Significant experience in integrating and growing acquired assets.
- Committed to establishing centres of excellence and co-ordinated care initiatives, and expanding capacity via identified Greenfield projects.

## **COMMITMENT TO QUALITY CARE**

• Sustainable, competitive advantage underpinned by continuous focus on patient safety, excellence in clinical performance and delivery of measurable, cost-effective care.

## **SUSTAINABILITY**

- Commitment to manage business in a sustainable way, upholding the highest standards of ethics and corporate governance practices; value and respect of employees, communities and the environment.
- Focus on integrity to maintain and improve confidence, trust and respect of all stakeholders.