

## Statement of Financial Standing

SAE Institute Pty Ltd

ABN: 21 093.057 973

Date of Statement of Financial Standing: 5th of February 2024

## Auditor's Opinion

SAE uses Deloitte (Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu) to fulfill the director's financial reporting responsibilities under the Corporations Act 2001. Deloitte's audit is conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards. The most recent auditor's opinion is available as an attachment to this document as **Attachment A**.

## Director's Declaration

SAE's current Directors Declaration signed by the SAE Director is attached to this statement as **Attachment B**.

## Tuition Assurance Details

Under the provisions of the Higher Education Support Act 2003 (HESA) and the associated Higher Education Provider Guidelines 2012, SAE Institute Pty Ltd is required to meet tuition assurance arrangements in the unlikely event that SAE Institute Pty Ltd defaults in relation to a student.

The meaning of “defaults in relation to a student” is set out in the Higher Education Provider Guidelines 2012. Tuition assurance protects students in the event that a course in which a student is enrolled ceases to be provided after the course has started but before it is completed.

SAE Institute Pty Ltd is a financial member of the Australian Government’s Tuition Protection Service (TPS). Tuition assurance for international students (on a student visa) and domestic students is provided through the TPS. for further information see <https://www.dese.gov.au/tps>

## Financial Statements

SAE Institute Pty Ltd is a part of the Navitas Careers and Industry division, a division of Navitas Limited. Navitas is an Australian global education leader providing pre-university and university programs, English language courses, migrant education and settlement services, creative media education, student recruitment, professional

development, and corporate training services to more than 80,000 students across a network of over 120 colleges and campuses in 31 countries.

## **Appendix A**

## Independent Auditor's Report to the members of SAE Institute Pty Limited

### Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

#### *Opinion*

We have audited the financial report of SAE Institute Pty Limited (the "Company") which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2023, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and the statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including material accounting policy information, and the directors' declaration.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report of the Company is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- Giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 30 June 2023 and of its financial performance for the year then ended; and
- Complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

#### *Basis for Opinion*

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional & Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards)* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, which has been given to the directors of the Company, would be in the same terms if given to the directors as at the time of this auditor's report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### *Other Information*

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Company's directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2023, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

## *Responsibilities of the Directors for the Financial Report*

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the directors are responsible for assessing the ability of the Company to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

## *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report*

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

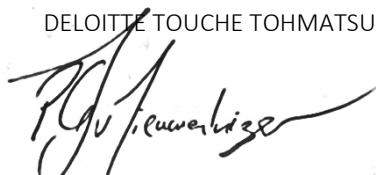
As part of an audit in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

*Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu*

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**Pieter Janse van Nieuwenhuizen**

Partner

Chartered Accountants

Perth, 25 October 2023

## Appendix B

# SAE Institute Pty Limited

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## Directors' Declaration

In accordance with a resolution of the Directors of SAE Institute Pty Limited, I state that:

1. In the opinion of the Directors:

- (a) the financial statements and notes as set out on pages 1 to 19 are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 and:
  - (i) give a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 30 June 2023 and of its performance for the year ended on that date; and
  - (ii) comply with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001;
- (b) the attached financial statements are in compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards, as stated in note 2(b) to the financial statements; and
- (c) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the directors made pursuant to s295(5) of the Corporations Act 2001.



Director  
25 October 2023