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Capital Raising Falls Short of Expectations but Discussions Continue

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TWL has announced that it has raised NZ\$5.4m under its non-underwritten capital raising. This falls well short of its target of NZ\$20m despite some key investors participating in the offer. Settlement and allotment of the new shares is expected on 2 March 2023. In a difficult market for technology company capital raises globally, TWL remains engaged with potential strategic investors to provide additional capital and is exploring alternative funding sources. We await further information from the company before changing our estimates and valuation.

NZX Code	TWL	Financials: Mar/	22A	23E	24E	25E	Valuation (x)	22A	23E	24E	25E
Share price	NZ\$0.40	NPAT* (NZ\$m)	(10.8)	(14.1)	(9.3)	(4.8)	PE	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Spot Valuation	NZ\$0.42	EPS* (NZc)	(12.6)	(12.5)	(8.1)	(4.1)	EV/EBIT	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Risk rating	High	EPS growth* (%)	89.0	0.4	35.4	49.7	EV/EBITDA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Issued shares	112.8m	DPS (NZc)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Price / NTA	8.5	n/a	n/a	n/a
Market cap	NZ\$45.1m	Imputation (%)	0	0	0	0	Cash div yld (%)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Avg daily turnover	9.3k (NZ\$9k)	*Based on normali	sed profi	ts			Gross div yld (%)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Uncertainties remain as negotiations continue

If no further capital is raised we envisage TWL finishing FY23 (March 2023) with ~NZ\$7m in cash, including the amount raised under this offer at NZ\$0.45 per share. We estimate TWL's prior cash burn was around NZ\$1m/month, and the fact that it had almost fully utilised existing cash means that these ongoing discussions are important to the future direction TWL takes. If sufficient money is raised and additional new investors come onboard, TWL will likely continue business as usual. In the scenario where no additional money is raised, TWL will need to cut R&D spend and identify cost efficiencies to reduce cash spend to a more sustainable level, while trying to minimise the impact on its ability to service its customers and generate revenue from existing solutions. Any cuts to R&D and sales staff would have a flow-on effect on TWL's revenue ability in outer years.

No change to estimates yet — pending negotiations with potential strategic investors

Once negotiations with potential investors conclude, we envisage TWL updating the market. While no timeframe has been provided, we anticipate a further update from the company in the coming weeks. We await the finalisation of these discussions before reviewing our estimates and valuation.





Trade Window Holdings (TWL)

Market Data (NZ\$)						Spot valuation (NZ\$)					0.42
Priced as at 27 Feb 2023 0.40				D EV/Sales comparative value							
52 week high / low				2	2.02/0.40						
Market capitalisation (NZ\$m)					45.1						
Key WACC assumptions						DCF valuation summary (NZ\$m)					
Risk free rate					4.50%	Total firm value					48
Equity beta					1.50	(Net debt)/cash					6
WACC					12.6%	Less: Capitalised operating leases					(5)
Terminal growth					2.5%	Value of equity					49
Profit and Loss Account (NZ\$m)	2021A	2022A	2023E	2024E	2025E	Valuation Ratios	2021A	2022A	2023E	2024E	2025E
Sales revenue	2.3	4.9	5.5	10.3	16.3	EV/EBITDA (x)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Normalised EBITDA	(5.9)	(9.5)	(12.4)	(8.1)	(3.4)	EV/EBIT (x)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Depreciation and amortisation	1.1	1.7	2.2	1.7	1.6	PE (x)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Normalised EBIT	(6.9)	(11.2)	(14.6)	(9.8)	(5.0)	Price/NTA (x)	n/a	8.5	n/a	n/a	n/a
Net interest	(0.1)	(0.2)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.1)	Free cash flow yield (%)	-10.4	-15.4	-22.3	-18.5	-8.7
Associate income	0	0	0	0	0	Net dividend yield (%)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Tax	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.3	Gross dividend yield (%)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Minority interests	0	0	0	0	0						
Normalised NPAT	(6.6)	(10.8)	(14.1)	(9.3)	(4.8)	Capital Structure	2021A	2022A	2023E	2024E	2025E
Abnormals/other	0	0	0	0	0	Interest cover EBIT (x)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Reported NPAT	(6.6)	(10.8)	(14.1)	(9.3)	(4.8)	Interest cover EBITDA (x)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Normalised EPS (cps)	(114.1)	(12.6)	(12.5)	(8.1)	(4.1)	Net debt/ND+E (%)	-9.1	-51.8	187.5	5,258.7	182.4
DPS (cps)	0.0	0	0	0	0	Net debt/EBITDA (x)	n/a	0.4	0.5	n/a	n/a
Growth Rates	2021A	2022A	2023E	2024E	2025E	Key Ratios	2021A	2022A	2023E	2024E	2025E
Revenue (%)		>100	13.5	86.2	58.3	Return on assets (%)	-113.0	-67.9	-94.0	-138.5	-64.9
EBITDA (%)		n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Return on equity (%)	185.8	-100.3	-497.6	414.6	167.5
EBIT (%)		n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Return on funds employed (%)	-188.8	-99.8	-488.0	425.1	170.8
Normalised NPAT (%)		n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	EBITDA margin (%)	-250.2	-195.8	-223.3	-78.5	-20.7
Normalised EPS (%)		n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	EBIT margin (%)	-295.8	-229.9	-263.7	-95.3	-30.4
Ordinary DPS (%)		-100.0	n/a	n/a	n/a	Capex to sales (%)	5.1	-31.4	2.8	2.9	2.1
						Capex to depreciation (%)	-38	267	-23	-43	-42
Cash Flow (NZ\$m)	2021A	2022A	2023E	2024E	2025E	Imputation (%)	0	0	0	0	0
EBITDA	(5.9)	(9.5)	(12.4)	(8.1)	(3.4)	Pay-out ratio (%)	0	0	0	0	0
Working capital change	0.1	(0.5)	1.8	(0.4)	(0.4)						
Interest & tax paid	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.3	Segment Revenue (NZ\$m)	2021A	2022A	2023E	2024E	2025E
Other	0.8	1.2	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.1)	Transactional	0.6	1.3	1.4	4.0	8.1
Operating cash flow	(4.6)	(8.5)	(9.9)	(8.1)	(3.6)	Subscription	0.4	1.6	2.4	4.5	5.7
Capital expenditure	(0.1)	1.5	(0.2)	(0.3)	(0.3)	Service	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.5
(Acquisitions)/divestments	0.0	(1.6)	(2.5)	0	0	Installation	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.8	1.3
Other	4.5	(1.5)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.7)	Other	0.7	1.0	0.6	0.3	0.2
Funding available/(required)	(0.2)	(10.1)	(13.2)	(9.0)	(4.6)	Total revenue	2.3	4.9	5.5	10.3	16.3
Dividends paid	(0.0)	0	0	0	0						
Equity raised/(returned)	6.8	15.0	15.0	0	0	Segment Revenue ARPC (NZ\$)	2021A	2022A	2023E	2024E	2025E
(Increase)/decrease in net debt	6.6	4.9	1.8	(9.0)	(4.6)	Transactional (per month)	-	703	575	1150	1550
						Subscription (per month)	-	341	435	628	647
Balance Sheet (NZ\$m)	2021A	2022A	2023E	2024E	2025E	Service (per month)	-	42	42	42	42
Working capital	(0.2)	0.3	(1.5)	(1.1)	(0.7)	Total revenue per sub / month	1,022	712	787	1,184	1,374
Fixed assets	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	Installation (per new customer) *	14,030	16,699	15,000	15,000	15,000
Intangibles	3.9	6.8	5.2	4.2	3.4						
Right of use asset	0.0	1.4	1.9	1.4	2.1	Segment costs as % of revenue	2021A	2022A	2023E	2024E	2025E
Other assets	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	Cost of goods sold as % of revenue	64%	50%	52%	27%	21%
Total funds employed	3.9	9.1	6.2	5.2	5.7	R&D as % of revenues	190%	126%	132%	66%	42%
Net debt/(cash)	7.1	(3.7)	(6.1)	2.3	6.3	S&M as % of revenue	63%	65%	64%	33%	23%
Lease liability	0	0.9	0.9	0.3	1.1	G&A as % of revenues	183%	130%	115%	57%	37%
Other liabilities	0.2	1.0	8.5	4.8	1.0	Total expenses as % of revenue	500%	372%	362%	184%	122%
Shareholder's funds	(3.3)	10.8	2.9	(2.2)	(2.8)						
Minority interests	0	0	0	0	0	*Transactional customers					
Total funding sources	3.9	9.1	6.2	5.2	5.7						
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^{*} Forsyth Barr target prices reflect valuation rolled forward at cost of equity less the next 12-months dividend** Information on Forsyth Barr's Carbon and ESG (CESG) ratings can be found at www.forsythbarr.co.nz/corporate-news-events/cesg-report

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Figure 1. Price performance



Source: Forsyth Barr analysis

Figure 2. Substantial shareholders

Shareholder	Latest Holding
ASB Bank	22.4%
Albertus Johannes Smith	14.6%
Quayside Securities	10.8%
Holding des mers du sud	6.1%

Source: NZX, Forsyth Barr analysis, NOTE: based on SPH notices only

Figure 3. International valuation comparisons

Company	Code	Price	Mkt Cap	PE		EV/EBITDA		EV/EBIT		Cash Yld
(metrics re-weighted to reflect TWL	(m)	2023E	2024E	2023E	2024E	2023E	2024E	2024E		
Trade Window	TWL NZ	NZ\$0.40	NZ\$45	<0x	<0x	<0x	<0x	<0x	<0x	0.0%
Wisetech Global	WTC AT	A\$63.12	A\$20,761	>75x	71.0x	54.1x	41.3x	67.0x	50.6x	0.3%
E2Open Parent Holdings Inc	ETWO US	US\$5.97	US\$1,805	23.7x	20.9x	12.8x	11.4x	14.2x	12.7x	n/a
Descartes Systems Grp/The	DSG CN	US\$100.46	US\$8,521	>75x	72.2x	37.9x	34.0x	61.1x	50.6x	n/a
			Compco Average:	23.7x	54.7x	34.9x	28.9x	47.4x	37.9x	0.3%
EV = Mkt cap+net debt+lease liabilities+min interests-investments			TWL Relative:	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	-100%

 $Source: {}^*Forsyth \ Barr \ analysis, Bloomberg \ Consensus, Compcometrics \ re-weighted \ to \ reflect \ headline \ (TWL) \ companies \ fiscal \ year \ end \ re-weighted \ to \ reflect \ headline \ (TWL) \ companies \ fiscal \ year \ end \ re-weighted \ to \ reflect \ headline \ (TWL) \ companies \ fiscal \ year \ end \ re-weighted \ to \ reflect \ headline \ (TWL) \ companies \ fiscal \ year \ end \ re-weighted \ to \ reflect \ headline \ (TWL) \ companies \ fiscal \ year \ end \ re-weighted \ to \ reflect \ headline \ (TWL) \ companies \ fiscal \ year \ end \ re-weighted \ to \ reflect \ headline \ (TWL) \ companies \ fiscal \ year \ end \ re-weighted \ year \ end \ re-weighted \ year \ end \ year \ end \ year \$

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