STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY. Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil. Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations When formed, and date of registration: 15th July, 1922. Whether in active operation or not: In active operation. Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Bridge Street, Reefton; W. Gore Porter. Nominal capital: £20,000. Amount of capital subscribed: £20,000. Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £14,991 15s.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil. Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £5,000.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 20,000. Number of shares allotted: 20.000. Amount paid per share: 20s. on 14,925, 17s. on 60, 16s. on 15. Amount called up per share: 20s. on 12,750, 19s. on 2,250. Number and amount of calls in arrear: 2 shareholders 2 calls, £6; 1 shareholder 3 calls, £2 5s. Number of shares forfeited: Nil. Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil. Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: Present number of shareholders: 99. Number of men employed by company: 33. Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 2,168 4754 oz. fine gold; £9,294 6s. 3d. Total quantity and value produced since registration: 7,753 4615 oz. fine gold; £32,902 15s. 4d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £9,306 4s. 3d. Total expenditure since registration: £52,761 14s. 4d. Total amount of dividends declared: Nil. Total amount of dividends paid: Nil. Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil. Amount of cash in bank: Nil. Amount of cash in hand: Nil. Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.

Amount of debts considered good: Nil.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

Amount of debts owing by company: £9,548 5s. ld. (includes debenture £8,000).

I, Winton Gore Porter, the Secretary of the Wealth of Nations Mine (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as at 31st December, 1926; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

W. GORE PORTER.

Declared at Reefton this 18th day of February, 1927, before me-L. A. Morgan, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.
Name of company: N.Z. Platinum Ltd.
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When formed, and date of registration: 30th July, 1926. Whether in active operation or not: Active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Premier Buildings, Durham Street East, Auckland; John Macfarlane Elliffe. Nominal capital: £8,250.

Amount of capital subscribed: £7,864.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,414 10s. Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for the same (if any): Nil.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £2,250.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 8,250.

Number of shares allotted: 7,864.

Amount paid per share: 45 at 5s., 619 at 10s., 4,950 at 12s. 6d. Amount called up per share: Contributing 12s 6d. per share.

Number and amount of calls in arrears: £94 5s. Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same:

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company:

Present number of shareholders: 111.

Number of men employed by company: 4. Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since the last statement: Nil; principally experimental work carried

since the last statement: £3,243 7s. 2d.

Total expenditure since registration: £3,243 7s. 2d. Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash in bank: £171 2s. 10d.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.
Amount of debts corring by company: 6507 2s. 5d. Amount of debts owing by company: £697 3s. 5d.

I, John Macfarlane Elliffe, of Auckland, the Secretary of N.Z. Platinum Ltd., do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at 31st December, 1926. And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

J. M. ELLIFFE.

Declared at Auckland this 10th day of February, 1927, before me-C. S. O. Woods, a solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

## CTATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Kawarau Gold-mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 8th April, 1924. Whether in active operation or not: Active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary:
19 Bond Street, Dunedin; W. P. Hartstonge.

Nominal capital: £15,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £14,984 3s.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £4,984 13s.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for the same (if any): £4,984 13s; £14,859

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £9,999 10s. Number of shares into which capital is divided: 300,000.

Number of shares allotted: 299,683.

Amount paid per share: 3s. on 96,183 shares, 2s. 6d. on 2,000,

2s. 5d. on 1,500, 1s. on 10. Amount called up per share:

Number and amount of calls in arrears: Nil.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7. Present number of shareholders: 1,037.

Number of men employed by company: 23.
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil. Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil.

(mining operations are carried on by lessees of claims, not by this company). Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations

since last statement: Claimholders' account, £31,729 8s. 10d.; company account, £3,375 9s. 1d.
Total expenditure since registration: Claimholders' account,

£101,686 10s. 4d.; company account, £5,412 18s. 10d. Total amount of dividends declared: Nil. Total amount of dividends paid: Nil. Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash in bank: Claimholders' account, £214 15s. 2d.; company account, £466 7s. 1d.

Amount of cash in hand: Claimholders' account, £8 12s. 10d.;

company account, £18 19s.

Amount of debts directly due to company: Claimholders,

£4,800 11s. 7d.; company account, £376.

Amount of debts considered good: £4,800 11s. 7d., £376.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

Amount of debts owing by company: Claimholders' account,

£5,390 16s. 7d.; company account, £323 19s

I, William Patrick Hartstonge, of Dunedin, the Secretary of the Kawarau Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the 31st day of December, 1926. And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

W. P. HARTSTONGE.

Declared at Dunedin this 19th day of January, 1927, before me—G. W. Ferens, a solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand.