Rule 2.7, 3.10.3, 3.10.4, 3.10.5

Appendix 3B

New issue announcement, application for quotation of additional securities and agreement

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

Introduced 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 5. Amended 1/7/98, 1/9/99, 1/7/2000, 30/9/2001, 11/3/2002, 1/1/2003, 24/10/2005.

Name of entity					
Bau	xite Resources Limited				
ABN					
72 1	19 699 982				
We	(the entity) give ASX the following in	nformation.			
	rt 1 - All issues nust complete the relevant sections (attach sh	neets if there is not enough space).			
1	⁺ Class of ⁺ securities issued or to be issued	Unlisted Staff Incentive Options			
2	Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued	750,000 unlisted options pursuant to the Employee Incentive Option Plan.			
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3 Principal terms of the *securities (eg, if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid *securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if *convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)

750,000 30 cent options expiring 30 June 2012

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities?	No – the options are unl	isted.
If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state: • the date from which they do • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment		
Issue price or consideration	The entions are	issued for Nil consideration
issue price of consideration	The options are	issued for two consideration.
Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	Staff Incentive Options.	
Dates of entering *securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates	1 May 2009	
Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable)	Number 75,798,228	+Class Ordinary Shares - BAU
	respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities? If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state: • the date from which they do • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment Issue price or consideration Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets) Dates of entering *securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2	respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities? If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state: • the date from which they do • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment Issue price or consideration The options are Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets) Staff Incentive Options. 1 May 2009 Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2

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9 Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
55,685,000	Ordinary Shares
	Restricted – BAUAK
9,000,000	20 cent Options Expiring 31 May 2012 – BAUAM
2,000,000	25 cent Options Expiring 15 May 2012 – BAUAO
4,000,000	40 cent Options Expiring 15 May 2012– BAUAQ
666,666	55 cent options expiring 30 November 2013
666,666	45 cent options expiring 30 November 2013
666,668	35 cent options expiring 30 November 2013
525,000	25 cent options expiring 30 June 2012
350,000	35 cent options expiring 30 June 2012
3,775,000	30 cent options expiring 30 June 2012

Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)

Part 2 - Bonus issue or pro rata issue

Q 11 - 33 Not applicable

Part 3 - Quotation of securities - N/A

You need only complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities

34	Type of securities (tick one)	
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(a)	Securities described in Part

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(b)		All other securities Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities
Entiti	ies th	at have ticked box 34(a)
Additi	onal s	ecurities forming a new class of securities
		e you are providing the information or
locumei	ıts	
35		If the *securities are *equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional *securities, and the number and percentage of additional *securities held by those holders
36		If the *securities are *equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional *securities setting out the number of holders in the categories 1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over
37		A copy of any trust deed for the additional *securities

Quotation agreement

- ⁺Quotation of our additional ⁺securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the ⁺securities on any conditions it decides.
- We warrant the following to ASX.
 - The issue of the *securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
 - There is no reason why those +securities should not be granted +quotation.
 - An offer of the *securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty

- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any *securities to be quoted and that no-one has any right to return any *securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the *securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.

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Date: 1 May 2009

We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document not available now, will give it to ASX before ⁺quotation of the ⁺securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

Sign here:

(Company Secretary)

Print name: Paul Fromson

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