### **BAUXITE RESOURCES LIMITED**

ACN 119 699 982

#### JUNE 2010 QUARTERLY REPORT

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ASX Code: BAU BAU: 234m shares

Market Cap (30 June 2010) \$35m

Cash: \$54m (30 June 2010)

#### Directors:

**Barry Carbon (AM)** - Chairman and acting Chief Executive Officer

Luke Atkins - Non Exec Director

David McSweeney - Non Exec Director

Neil Lithgow - Non Exec Director

Robert Nash - Non Exec Director

Meng Xiangsan - Non Executive Director

Yan Jitai - Non Executive Director

Paul Fromson - Company Secretary/CFO



Rehabilitated trial site north Bindoon June 2010



#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

## BAUXITE RESOURCES CONFIRMS DETAILS OF ITS LONG-TERM MINING STRATEGY, BASED ON SUSTAINABLE OPERATIONS

 In line with BRL's longer term strategy aiming for ongoing sustainable production, BRL has withdrawn both the short term EPA application and the subsequent appeal against the EPA level of assessment.

#### SEVEN DARLING RANGE EXPLORATION LICENCES GRANTED

- BRL now has 117 Exploration Licences (ELs) 12 currently granted.
- Seven Exploration Licences were granted during the quarter and three new tenement applications submitted.
- BRL is moving to expedite granting of further ELs.

### BRL TO APPLY TO EPA TO MINE 2MTPA OF BAUXITE FROM NORTH BINDOON

• BRL will apply to the EPA for production at 2MTPA and will request full and public environmental assessment.

#### **MANAGEMENT TEAM CHANGES**

- Chairman Barry Carbon acting as CEO while recruitment for a new Chief Executive Officer occurs.
- Reduction in overall staffing and operating costs.

#### INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

- Successive trips to Australia by Yankuang Group and Shandong Bureau (SDGM) during the quarter have helped develop greater understandings of the Chinese bauxite market.
- Bauxite prices in China are yet to recover from the Global Financial Crisis (GFC).
- Completion is near on terms governing the Farm-in and Joint Venture agreements with SDGM.
- MOU signed with JFE Shoji Trade Corporation for the on selling of DSO bauxite to end users in Asia.

### LABORATORY TESTS CONTINUE ON BAUXITE BENEFICIATION AND REFINERY PROCESSES

 Tests have shown encouraging results for process technologies for alumina extraction.

#### **DOWNSTREAM PROCESSING BFS STUDY**

- Series of workshops held following review of test work to develop options for evaluation in the bankable feasibility study.
- Desktop studies presented to Yankuang Group for consideration.

#### LAND ACCESS PROGRAMME

 Agreements for land access for a further 21 properties were concluded during the quarter, with several pending.

#### **PUBLIC RELATIONS**

- Professional Public Relations (PPR) appointed for Investor Relations program.
- Local and State Government agency meetings continue.

#### **COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

- Commencement of site tours of the rehabilitated trial mine site.
- 'Conversations with the Community' continue in Bridgetown and Bindoon.

#### IMF PROPOSAL TO FUND ACTION AGAINST BRL

BRL have been notified of a potential class action. BRL considers it
has fully discharged its disclosure obligations to shareholders and
intends to defend any action.

#### RECENT DEVELOPMENTS FOR THE QUARTER

#### **ASX ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE QUARTER**

A brief summary of the announcements released to date is as follows. Please refer to the full announcements for details.

#### EPA Decision - 31 March 2010

 Receipt of notification from the EPA advising that proposed minimum impact mining of 1.2 million tonnes of bauxite will require assessment via a Public Environmental Review (PER).

## Clarification of ASX Release on JORC Resource - 1 April 2010

 The company confirms that it is satisfied with the JORC announcement of 16 January 2009, has properly informed investors and conformed with all compliance rules of the ASX.

## Lodgement of appeal on EPA level of assessment - 12 April 2010

- Appeal lodged with the Appeals Convenor regarding the level of assessment (PER) set by the EPA.
- BRL regards the level of assessment as irregular and disproportionate compared with other similar scale projects.
- The company continues to consult with all relevant government departments and progresses community and environmental work

#### Resignation of Managing Director - 31 May 2010

 Announcement of the resignation of Managing Director Dan Tenardi.

## Long term mining plans and EPA status - 25 June 2010

- Bauxite Resources confirms details of its longterm mining strategy, based on sustainable operations.
- Company will apply to EPA to mine 2Mtpa of bauxite from North Bindoon and will request full and public environmental assessment.
- Based on a new application Bauxite Resources will withdraw its appeal on previous EPA decision and application to undertake a 1.2Mtpa six month trial mining operation.

## IMF proposal to fund action against BRL - 28 June 2010

 At close of business Friday 23 July BRL received notification by fax that IMF Australia Ltd (IMF) proposed to fund claims current and former shareholders may have against BRL.

- IMF subsequently released a statement to the ASX.
- BRL request shareholders to seek further information before taking any action.

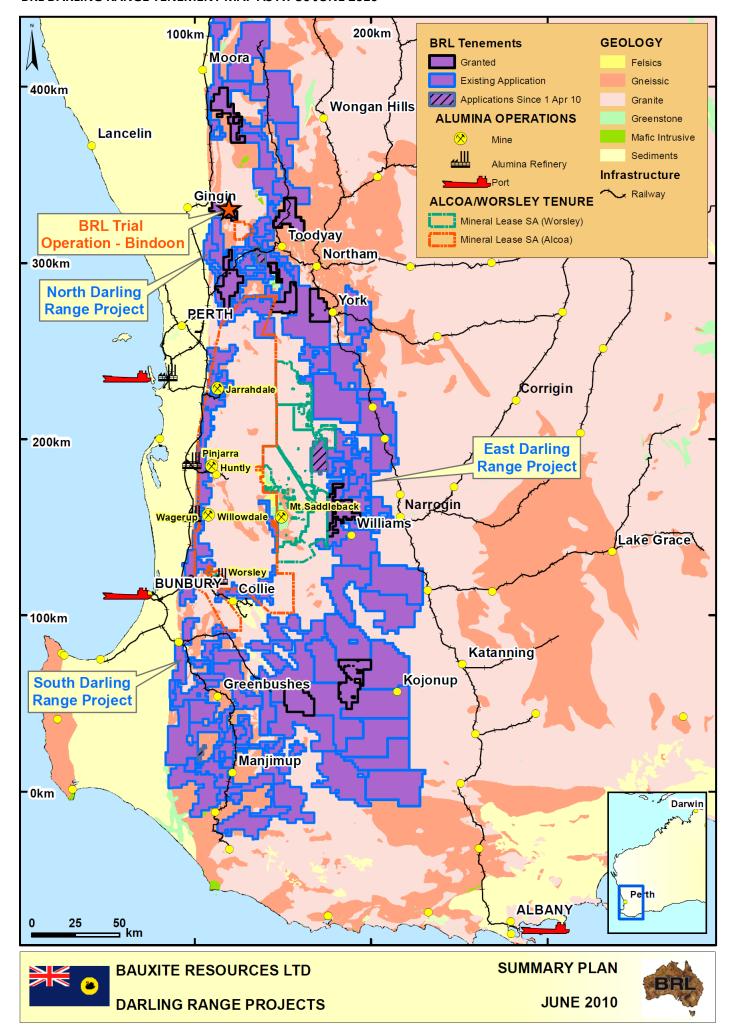
## BRL's updated response to threatened litigation - 8 July 2010

In response to the proposed legal action by IMF the company made the following points in an ASX release:

- No legal proceedings have been commenced. IMF
  has said that it will fund litigation by shareholders
  only if the estimated losses by persons who sign up
  to funding agreements with IMF are sufficient to
  make the proceedings commercially viable for IMF.
- IMF has not identified which (if any) shareholders or former shareholders consider that they may have claims against BRL. IMF indicated that the claim may relate to the placement by BRL of 60 million shares on 30 October 2009. That placement was made exclusively with institutional and sophisticated investors.
- IMF does not say what the estimated losses are, or how they will be calculated. Nor does it explain what amount will be sufficient for it to elect to proceed to fund the proposed action. Shareholders should not assume that any claim will seek to recover the total losses incurred on the sale of any BRL shares purchased in the share placement, or the difference between the placement price and the current listed price.
- BRL considers that many of the allegations asserted by IMF in its "overview" are inaccurate, and themselves provide a misleading impression of BRL's conduct, and the information available to shareholders about BRL, throughout the relevant period.
- BRL considers that it fully discharged its disclosure obligations to shareholders. It intends to defend any legal action that may be commenced. The Company will keep shareholders informed of any developments both through the ASX platform and on its website.

#### Letter to shareholders - 9 July 2010

 A letter to all current shareholders, with a copy of the above ASX release was posted out on 9 July in response to the IMF issue and recent media coverage, outlining the company's commitment to long term business plans.



#### **EXPLORATION PROGRAM - QUARTERLY UPDATE**

#### Overview

The Company had seven additional Exploration Licences (ELs) granted during the quarter and applied for a further three ELs. The Company drilled 995 vacuum holes, for 5,198 metres in the Bindoon, New Norcia, Toodyay regions. A further 33 diamond holes, 297 metres were drilled for quality control of the vacuum drilling.

The current focus for exploration is to continue to define the resource to an Inferred JORC category and as such the drill spacing can be wider. Drilling in the Northern region continues to return grades suitable for Direct Shipping Ore (DSO).

In all three project areas (North, East, South) the focus is on bringing tenements to grant, and negotiating land access agreements and drilling.

Reconnaissance mapping visits has allowed pre preparation of Programs of Work (POW's) for submission immediately tenement grant and land access agreements occur.

## 7 Additional Exploration Licences Obtained for the Quarter

BRL submitted three further tenement applications and had seven tenements advanced to grant during the quarter. The total number of EL applications is 117 of which 12 are granted to end of June 2010. The total area covered by tenements, granted and under applications is approximately 26,700km²; 108 tenements are located in the North, South and East Darling Range project areas, seven tenements in the Kimberley project area and two tenement applications in the new Northern Territory project area.

#### **Mapping Work Completed this Quarter**

BRL's on-going mapping programme continued during the June quarter and included detailed mapping over the East and South Darling Range projects on newly granted tenements. This mapping and rockchip sampling confirmed the presence of laterite plateaus indicating potential for these tenements to host bauxite mineralisation.

## Exploration Program scheduled for September 2010 Quarter

Work planned for the September quarter will focus on resource definition drilling of a number of targets in the North Bindoon region, New Norcia, Victoria Plains Shire region, Moora Shire region and Toodyay Shire region for the North Darling Range project, Dinninup, Boyup Brook regions for the South Darling Range project and the Williams area for the East project. The exploration program will consist of the following.

- Continued reconnaissance mapping, sampling and target generation of the Darling Range project.
- Resource definition drilling of selected targets in the North Bindoon region, New Norcia, Victoria Plains and Toodyay regions.
- Wide grid drilling of all targets in all the Darling Range project areas as tenements become available.
- Resource modelling of bauxite mineralisation previously defined by drilling in the North Bindoon Region and Brunswick Junction areas.

#### **LAND ACCESS**

Land Access for BRL's DSO is voluntarily restricted by BRL to private property in the North Darling Range project area, while in the South project area access will be sought to both Private Property and Crown land. The proviso on Crown Land is that it will be State Forest which is designated as available for logging operations. This Crown land therefore does not include National Parks, Nature Reserves, Conservation Reserves and the like.

Land Access was brought under the umbrella of the Exploration Department late in the quarter. Agreements for a further 21 properties were concluded during the quarter (north, east and south project regions) bringing the total number of properties subject to agreements to 151. Several further Agreements are in the process of negotiation.

#### NORTH DARLING RANGE PROJECT

A total of 1,028 holes for 5,495 metres were drilled during the June Quarter in the North Bindoon, Moora, New Norcia region and Toodyay Shire region. BRL also continued land access negotiation for properties in the Victoria Plains and Northam Shires for drilling during the June and September quarters. Drilling concentrated on definition of bauxite mineralisation associated with the proposed mining area and identification of new zone of mineralisation associated with targets in the North Bindoon region and Toodyay Shire.

#### **North Bindoon**

During the June Quarter, the exploration team completed wide spaced and extended resource definition drilling on the north Bindoon prospect areas. Access has been negotiated for a number of key properties in this region and first-pass drilling of these targets is completed with follow up infill underway. BRL is reviewing other targets in the area and securing land access agreements, principally with farmers over sub-economic 'gravelly' farmland.

#### **Dedicated Laboratory**

Excellent low cost laboratory facilities continue to analyse BRL samples at a highly competitive prise.

#### **SOUTH DARLING RANGE PROJECT**

Several Mineral to Crown (MTC) properties had Agreements signed but are awaiting tenement grants and POW approvals prior to drilling. Reconnaissance and geological mapping of areas of recent tenement grant has continued with prospective areas and target properties identified and Land Access Agreements negotiations commenced. As indicated last quarter there is potential refinery grade bauxite and a trial DSO mining area has been identified, subject to regulatory approvals from the southern region.

#### KIMBERLEY PROJECT

The Kimberley project is part of the Company's longer term staged business development. The present strategy is to focus on the Darling Range Project in the short term, while securing tenure over highly prospective targets in the Kimberley.

#### **NORTHERN TERRITORY PROJECT**

The Northern Territory project consists of two applications over bauxitic laterite outcrops in the Northern Territory. These tenements are for the Company's longer term staged business development.

#### **OPERATIONS FOR THE QUARTER**

#### Rehabilitation

The trial shipment mined area was re-formed using the overburden extracted from the pit footprint and topsoil replaced. Re-seeding in accordance with the land access agreement has been completed with good germination and coverage. Growth of pasture was affected by unseasonal cold dry weather and this will require re-seeding of some areas.

BRL staff have been actively involved in the continuing revegetation works at the rehabilitation site in North Bindoon. A large selection of native shrubs and trees endemic to the local area have been sourced from a local supplier, and over 400 native trees and shrubs have been planted.

#### **Mooliabeenee Road Upgrade**

BRL has undertaken significant work to the Mooliabeenee Road used by the haul trucks to take bauxite from the trial mine site to the Mooliabeenee rail siding. This trial operation aggravated existing road weaknesses and the company have repaired 1.2 km of road cement stabilisation and asphalt over the whole damaged section.



BRL's Mooliabeenee road upgrade, examined by Chittering Shire officials and BRL's Operations Manager.

#### **DOWNSTREAM PROCESSING BANKABLE FEASIBILITY STUDY (BFS)**

BRL continues to evaluate a number of processes and options as outlined in the company's Project Development Framework (PDF).

#### **Evaluation of Refinery Options**

Following the review of testwork in March, a series of workshops were held to develop process flowsheets of the various refinery options under consideration. The Bayer process remains the industry standard and the alternative processes being tested are benchmarked to it. The flowsheets, based on an assumed production output of 800,000tpa of alumina, were then the subject of a preliminary desktop evaluation. The four processes considered were:

- 1. A "state of the art" two-stage Bayer plant;
- 2. An "off-the-shelf" Chinese Bayer plant;
- A Halogenation (carbo-chlorination) process plant; and
- 4. An Acid Leach process plant.

The findings of the evaluation will be presented to Yankuang Group early next quarter.

#### Ore type definition

A number of distinct ore types have been defined each with different beneficiation and value in use for Bayer processing plants. The ore types are based on distinct variations in the contents of:

 a high temperature extractable amorphous alumina phase which has been designated "amorphous boehmite";

- the iron oxide content;
- the quartz content; and
- the titania content.

The Bayer processing options for each of the ore types has been assessed. Findings will be presented at the Zhengzhou ICSOBA conference in November this year.

The ore types, when incorporated into the geological model, will assist in defining possible beneficiation processes and target refinery types. A pleasing result is that the Darling Range material has been identified as a very suitable "sweetening" feed to high temperature refineries.

#### Alternative process technology

Testwork has continued in the development of alternative processing routes for bauxite ores.

The results remain very encouraging and indications are that fractions of quartz and titania can be isolated with minimal or no particle size reduction.

#### High Grade DSO bauxite.

A supergrade bauxite of 48% available alumina can be produced by calcining at or below 650°C. Activation of boehmitic phases has been reported in scientific papers and this is under further investigation for BRL bauxite types.

Test results show that the surface area of bauxite increases during calcination from 30m²/gramme as mined to over 120 m²/gramme between 550 - 600°C and declines above 650°C indicating an optimum activation around 580°C.

#### **INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT**

#### **Bauxite prices in China**

Published prices for CIF to Chinese ports had dropped by 50% within 8 months of the start of the GFC. The recovery from that low point though slow is steady and in a positive direction. Bauxite prices are now reported to be 60% of the pre GFC value.

#### Yankuang and SDGM Visit

BRL helped arrange two delegations respectively from Yankuang and SDGM in May to meet with WA government departments including the Minister of Energy, Minister of Mines and Petroleum and Director General of Department of State Development (DSD). Through the discussions the parties have increased understanding of the market demands in China and the assessment framework required to develop projects in WA as well as articulating their long term plans.

#### **Chalco Shandong Visit**

In May, BRL had the opportunity to demonstrate to a delegation from Chalco, Shandong Branch, its

Bindoon trial operation site, tenements in the southern Darling Range and the infrastructure facilities including ports in WA.

The rehabilitated farmland was shown to the visitors which comprised four senior executives in Chalco Shandong. Both BRL and Chalco Shandong expressed interest in perusing opportunities to conduct technical exchange for better utilisation of Darling Range bauxite.

#### Farm-in Agreement with SDGM

BRL and SDGM are working to finalise the Bauxite Farm-in and Joint Venture Agreement which will set out the terms that will govern their ongoing relationship in respect of the bauxite rights and tenements.

#### MOU with JFE Shoji of Japan

In June, BRL signed a MOU with JFE Shoji Trade Corporation for re-selling BRL's DSO bauxite to some end-users in Asia.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL APPROVALS**

As part of BRL's DSO strategy, it made an application to the Environmental Protection Authority (EPA) in December 2009 to mine and export 1.2Mt of bauxite on privately owned Minerals to Owner (MTO) farmland in North Bindoon. The EPA set the level of assessment for the proposed six month mining operation as a Public Environmental Review. BRL had anticipated that the operations which were the subject of its application would generate environmental impacts warranting this level of review, and appealed the EPA's assessment. The appeal itself took several months. BRL consulted with government departments and a number of experts and external consultants before deciding to withdraw the appeal and original 1.2Mt application.



BRL's Environmental and Land Access team replanting trees on the north Bindoon trial rehabilitation site June 2010

BRL will now apply for approval to mine 2Mtpa ongoing from farmland in an area north of Bindoon, in the Darling Range North Project area. This will identify its area of interest for the first five years of that operation. BRL will continue its work with interested MTO landowners in applying at a state level through a Mineral to Crown process.

BRL's first operations will be from the north Bindoon trial area and the company will work with the Bindoon community to propose and refine the subsequent operating sequence.

BRL will suggest to the EPA a public level of environmental assessment including a public scoping exercise. This will give the local community the opportunity to be involved in defining the issues that are desirable to be assessed before BRL prepares any final proposal documents.

BRL is also investigating referring to the EPA a proposal for the export of one shipment of ore from BRL's southern areas. If this referral occurs it will be for one shipment of around 45,000 tonnes; sufficient for preliminary refinery scale metallurgical testing of southern ores. The bauxite would be sources from an existing gravel operations (gravel) and exported through the Bunbury port. The final investment decision for this test shipment would be made after environmental assessment.

#### **COMMUNITY & PUBLIC AFFAIRS**

The first Community Consultative Committee has been established in Bindoon. The development of the Community Consultative Committees is an initiative suggested by the Bindoon community for establishing a representative committee as an advisory group in the local community. The Bindoon Community Consultative Committee has had two monthly meetings and is preparing to hold a strategy development workshop in the near future.

BRL hosted a 'Conversations with the Community' public meeting in Bridgetown on July 1, 2010, regarding its future plans to explore and build a refinery in the Southwest. A further public meeting was held in Bindoon on July 20, 2010.

Similar presentations and tours of the North Bindoon trial rehabilitation site have occurred with: Moore Catchment Council, Bunbury Port Authority Community Consultative Committee, Conservation Commission, Shires of Northam, Victoria Plains and Chittering.

Professional Public Relations (PPR) have been appointed for an investor relations program.

Further community engagement activities and the Woylie Rescue Campaign are being planned for the Royal Show, Bindoon Show, Moora and Bridgetown Show's.

BRL also ran an information press campaign across all West Australian country papers advertising the public tours of the North Bindoon trial rehabilitation site in early August.

#### **STAFF UPDATE**

During the June quarter, Mr Dan Tenardi resigned as Managing Director of Bauxite Resources.

The Chairman of Bauxite Resources Ltd, Mr Barry Carbon, has been appointed to the role of Acting Chief Executive Officer while an experienced recruitment company has been appointed to advise and recruit a permanent replacement.

In the absence of direct shipping activities for the time being several senior functions have been re-assessed providing an annual salary saving of around \$1.5million.

#### **CORPORATE SUMMARY**

#### **Market Capitalisation**

The share price was significantly lower at the end of the quarter (closed at 15c) as a result of the recent market reaction to regulatory setbacks which have delayed operations.

#### **IMF Claim**

At the end of the quarter the company received notification that IMF Australia Ltd was proposing a class action against the company by investors.

BRL considers it has fully discharged its disclosure obligations to shareholders and intends to defend any action.

IMF have not commenced any legal action. BRL has engaged Freehills Solicitors to advise on the likely process and enquiries that IMF might pursue. The Board of Bauxite Resources Ltd will provide updates.

#### **Cash Reserves and Expenditure**

BRL has taken action to identify and settle a series of significant accounts by year end. Hence expenditure was higher than usual during the quarter with a number of major items of capital expenditure and administrative costs including contributions to port infrastructure, Mooliabeenee road repairs, purchase of mining equipment and new office fit-out. With the deferral of mining operations and reduction in staff levels the cash outflow in the next quarter will be significantly lower.

Paul Fromson
Company Secretary







North Bindoon trial site showing land before trial mining, during mining and current rehabilitation to pasture.

In accordance with the Australian Stock Exchange requirements, the technical information contained in this report has been reviewed by Mr. Peter Senini, Principal Advisor, Geological and Technical Services to the Company. The information in the report to which this statement is attached that relates to Exploration Results and Mineral Resources is based on information reviewed by Mr. Senini, who is a Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr. Senini has sufficient experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2004 Edition of the "Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves." Mr. Senini consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on this information in the form and context in which it appears.

Rule 5.3

# **Appendix 5B**

### Mining exploration entity quarterly report

Introduced 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 8. Amended 1/7/97, 1/7/98, 30/9/2001.

Name of entity

Bauxite Resources Limited			
ABN	Quarter ended ("current quarter")		
72 119 699 982	30 June 2010		

### Consolidated statement of cash flows

		Current quarter	Year to date	
Cash flows related to operating activities		\$A'000	(12 months)	
			\$A'000	
1.1	Receipts from product sales and related debtors	36	2,753	
1.2	Payments for			
	(a) exploration and evaluation	(986)	(3,971)	
	(b) development	-		
	(c) production	(2,639)	(7,974)	
	(d) administration	(1,812)	(8,559)	
1.3	Dividends received	=	-	
1.4	Interest and other items of a similar nature			
	received	612	1,931	
1.5	Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-	
1.6	Income taxes paid	-	-	
1.7	Other (provide details if material)	=	-	
	Net Operating Cash Flows	(4,789)	(15,820)	
	Cash flows related to investing activities			
1.8	Payment for purchases of:			
	(a) prospects	-	-	
	(b) equity investments	-	-	
	(c) other fixed assets	(2,223)	(10,675)	
1.9	Proceeds from sale of:			
	(a) prospects	=	-	
	(b) equity investments	=	-	
	(c) other fixed assets	-	-	
1.10	Loans to other entities	-	-	
1.11	Loans repaid by other entities	-	-	
1.12	Other (provide details if material)	-	(383)	
	Net investing cash flows	(2,223)	(11,058)	
1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows			
	(carried forward)	(7,012)	(26,878)	

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1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (brought		
	forward)	(7,012)	(26,878)
	Cash flows related to financing activities		
1.14	Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc.	-	67,767
1.15	Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares	-	-
1.16	Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
1.17	Repayment of borrowings	-	-
1.18	Dividends paid	-	-
1.19	Other (capital raising costs)	=	(2,989)
	Net financing cash flows	-	64,778
	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(7,012)	37,901
1.20	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	61,416	16,503
1.21	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	- -	-
1.22	Cash at end of quarter	54,404	54,404

Payments to directors of the entity and associates of the directors Payments to related entities of the entity and associates of the related entities

		Current quarter \$A'000
1.23	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	638
1.24	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	-

1.25 Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions

Item 1.23 includes aggregate amounts paid to directors including salary, director's fees and consulting fees.

### Non-cash financing and investing activities

2.1	Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows
2.2	Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their share in projects in which the reporting entity has an interest

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### Financing facilities available

Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position.

		Amount available	Amount used
		\$A'000	\$A'000
3.1	Loan facilities	NIL	NIL
3.2	Credit standby arrangements	NIL	NIL

**Estimated cash outflows for next quarter** 

	Total	1,000
4.2	Development	-
4.1	Exploration and evaluation	1,000
	\$A'000	

### **Reconciliation of cash**

Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.		Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1	Cash on hand and at bank	1,073	936
5.2	Deposits at call	53,331	60,480
5.3	Bank overdraft	-	-
5.4	Other (provide details)	-	-
	Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	54,404	61,416

### **Changes in interests in mining tenements**

		Tenement reference	Nature of interest (note (2))	Interest at beginning of quarter	Interest at end of quarter
6.1	Interests in mining tenements relinquished, reduced or lapsed				
6.2	Interests in mining tenements acquired or increased	E70/3564 E70/3597 E70/3598	Granted 15/04/2010 Granted 16/04/2010 Granted 16/04/2010	0% 0% 0%	100% 100% 100%

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# **Issued and quoted securities at end of current quarter**Description includes rate of interest and any redemption or conversion rights together with prices and dates.

		Total number	Number quoted	Issue price per security (see note 3) (cents)	Amount paid up per security (see note 3) (cents)
7.1	Preference +securities (description)				
7.2	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buybacks, redemptions				
7.3	<sup>+</sup> Ordinary securities	234,379,896	234,379,896		
7.4	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buybacks				
7.5	+Convertible debt securities (description)				
7.6	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through securities matured, converted				
7.7	Options (description and conversion factor)	7,750,000 2,000,000 4,000,000 666,666 300,000 350,000 2,720,000 300,000 230,000 2,200,000	- - - - - - - -	Exercise price 20 cents 25 cents 40 cents 55 cents 45 cents 25 cents 35 cents 30 cents 35 cents 50 cents \$1.00	Expiry date 31 May 2012 15 May 2012 15 May 2012 30 November 2013 30 November 2013 30 June 2012
7.8 7.9	Issued during quarter Exercised during				
	quarter				

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7.10	Expired during	300,000	1	40 cents	30 June 2012
	quarter	270,000	-	50 cents	30 June 2012
		500,000	-	70 cents	30 June 2012
		1,550,000	-	\$1.00	30 June 2012
		2,000,000	-	90 cents	30 November 2013
		2,000,000	-	\$1.10	30 November 2013
7.11	Debentures				
	(totals only)				
7.12	Unsecured				
	notes (totals				
	only)				

### **Compliance statement**

- This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Act or other standards acceptable to ASX (see note 4).
- 2 This statement does give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Sign here: Date: 30 July 2010

Company secretary

Print name: Paul Fromson

### Notes

- The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity wanting to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes attached to this report.
- The "Nature of interest" (items 6.1 and 6.2) includes options in respect of interests in mining tenements acquired, exercised or lapsed during the reporting period. If the entity is involved in a joint venture agreement and there are conditions precedent which will change its percentage interest in a mining tenement, it should disclose the change of percentage interest and conditions precedent in the list required for items 6.1 and 6.2.
- 3 **Issued and quoted securities** The issue price and amount paid up is not required in items 7.1 and 7.3 for fully paid securities.
- The definitions in, and provisions of, AASB 1022: Accounting for Extractive Industries and AASB 1026: Statement of Cash Flows apply to this report.

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Accounting Standards ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Accounting Standards for foreign entities. If the standards used do not address a topic, the Australian standard on that topic (if any) must be complied with.

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