

#### **ASX Announcement**

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#### **Appendix 3B**

The Company hereby provides notice to the ASX that in accordance with transactions contemplated under the Deed of Company Arrangement, approved by Shareholders at its Annual General Meeting held on 18 July 2017, it has today issued

- 4,679,911,281 ordinary fully paid shares in the Company, to be held in escrow for 12 months from the date of issue; and
- 9,200 \$1,000 Convertible Notes

To Kam Lung Investment Development Co. Ltd.

The outstanding employee options are extinguished and released as against Carbon Energy Limited. The option holders will be entitled to make a claim which is equal in amount to their released claim as against the creditors' trust fund, which was established by virtue of the Deed of Company Arrangement.

An Appendix 3B with respect to the issue of the ordinary fully paid shares, issue of Convertible Notes and extinguishment of employee options is also lodged by the Company with the ASX today and attached to this notice.

For and on behalf of the Board.

Catherine Costello
Chief Financial Officer & Company Secretary

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.			
Introduc 04/03/13	ntroduced 01/07/96 Origin: Appendix 5 Amended 01/07/98, 01/09/99, 01/07/00, 30/09/01, 11/03/02, 01/01/03, 24/10/05, 01/08/12, 14/03/13		
Name	of entity		
Carbo	on Energy Limited		
ABN			
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We (t	the entity) give ASX the followin	g information.	
	1 - All issues ust complete the relevant sections (attac	h sheets if there is not enough space).	
1	*Class of *securities issued or to be issued	Ordinary fully paid shares Convertible Notes	
2	Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued	4,679,911,281 Ordinary fully paid shares 9,200 Convertible Notes	

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Principal of the 3 terms +securities (e.g. if options. exercise price and expiry date; if +securities, partly paid amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if +convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)

Private Placement to Kam Lung Investment Development Co. (Kam Lung), approved by shareholders on 18 July 2017.

Shares are issued on the same terms as existing ordinary fully paid shares.

Shares will be held in escrow until the 12 month anniversary (Escrow Period) of the issue and will not be sold, transferred or otherwise disposed or dealt during the Escrow Period, unless one of the following occurs:

- (a) Kam Lung accepts a bona fide takeover bid made under Chapter 6 of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) (Corporations Act);
- (b) The Shares are transferred or cancelled as part of a scheme of arrangement relating to the Company under Part 5.1 of the Corporations Act;
- (c) Kam Lung is required to offer the Shares for sale under an applicable law (including an order of a court of competent jurisdiction); or
- (d) With permission in writing by the Company's Board.

Convertible Notes are issued on the key terms outlined in section 7.7 of the Company's notice of meeting dated 15 June 2017

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4	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the *issue date with an existing *class of quoted *securities?
	If the additional *securities do not rank equally, please state:

Yes

- the date from which they do
- the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) interest payment
- the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution interest payment

Issue price or consideration 5

\$0.000823 per share. \$1,000 per Convertible Note

6 Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)

The funds raised from the issue of the Shares will be used as follows:

- (i) \$300,000 will be paid into a creditors' trust for the benefit of eligible creditors of the Deed Companies (as defined in the deed of company arrangement (DOCA)) claims will be released by the DOCA.
- (ii) The remaining \$3.55 million will be retained by the Company for general working capital and to pay any unpaid fees and expenses of the Administrators (both in their role of administrators of the Deed Companies and as deed administrators under the DOCA).

The funds raised from the issue of the Convertible Notes will be used in the manner summarised in section 7.2 of the Company's notice of meeting dated 15 June 2017.

6a Is the entity an +eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A?

Yes

If Yes, complete sections 6b - 6h in relation to the +securities the subject of this Appendix 3B, and comply with section 6i

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6b	The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed	18 July 2017
6c	Number of *securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	Not applicable
6d	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	Nil
бе	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	Nil
6f	Number of *securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	4,679,911,281
6g	If *securities issued under rule 7.1A, was issue price at least 75% of 15 day VWAP as calculated under rule 7.1A.3? Include the *issue date and both values. Include the source of the VWAP calculation.	Not applicable
6h	If *securities were issued under rule 7.1A for non-cash consideration, state date on which valuation of consideration was released to ASX Market Announcements	Not applicable
6i	Calculate the entity's remaining issue capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A – complete Annexure 1 and release to ASX Market Announcements	1,623,335,040
7	*Issue dates  Note: The issue date may be prescribed by ASX (refer to the definition of issue date in rule 19.12). For example, the issue date for a pro rata entitlement issue must comply with the applicable timetable in Appendix 7A.  Cross reference: item 33 of Appendix 3B.	19 July 2017

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		Number	<sup>+</sup> Class
8	Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (including the +securities in section 2 if applicable)	6,493,340,160	Ordinary fully paid shares
		Number	+Class
9	Number and *class of all *securities not quoted on ASX (including the *securities in section 2 if applicable)	9,200 Convertible N	lotes
10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	Not applicable	
Part :	2 - Pro rata issue		
11	Is security holder approval required?	Not applicable	
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	Not applicable	
13	Ratio in which the *securities will be offered	Not applicable	
14	*Class of *securities to which the offer relates	Not applicable	
15	<sup>+</sup> Record date to determine entitlements	Not applicable	
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	Not applicable	
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	Not applicable	
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18	Names of countries in which the entity has security holders who will not be sent new offer documents  Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.	Not applicable
	Cross reference: rule 7.7.	
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	Not applicable
20	Names of any underwriters	Not applicable
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	Not applicable
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	Not applicable
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	Not applicable
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of security holders	Not applicable
25	If the issue is contingent on security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	Not applicable
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and offer documents will be sent to persons entitled	Not applicable
27	If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders	Not applicable
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	Not applicable
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29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	Not applicable

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30	How do security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?	Not applicable
31	How do security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	Not applicable
32	How do security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?	Not applicable
33	<sup>+</sup> Issue date	Not applicable
	3 - Quotation of securitie	
34	Type of *securities (tick one)	
(a)	*Securities described in Part	1
(b)	-	nd of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, en restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible

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## Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

## Additional securities forming a new class of securities

Tick to docum	o indicate you are providing the informati ents	on or
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		securities, a distribution schedule of the additional amber of holders in the categories
37	A copy of any trust deed for t	the additional <sup>+</sup> securities
Entit	ies that have ticked box 34(b)	
38	Number of *securities for which *quotation is sought	Not applicable
39	<sup>+</sup> Class of <sup>+</sup> securities for which quotation is sought	Not applicable
40	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the *issue date 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	Not applicable

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Reason for request for quotation now

Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period

(if issued upon conversion of another +security, clearly identify that other +security)

42 Number and \*class of all \*securities quoted on ASX (including the \*securities in clause 38)

Number	+Class
Not applicable	

#### **Quotation agreement**

- <sup>†</sup>Quotation of our additional <sup>†</sup>securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the <sup>†</sup>securities on any conditions it decides.
- 2 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.

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- 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.
- We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document is not available now, we 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:

Date: 19 July 2017

**Company Secretary** 

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Print name: <u>Catherine Costello</u>

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# Appendix 3B – Annexure 1

# Calculation of placement capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A for eligible entities

Introduced 01/08/12 Amended 04/03/13

### Part 1

Rule 7.1 – Issues exceeding 15% of capital			
Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure capacity is calculated	Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated		
Insert number of fully paid *ordinary securities on issue 12 months before the *issue date or date of agreement to issue	1,806,500,280		
<ul> <li>Add the following:         <ul> <li>Number of fully paid +ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2</li> <li>Number of fully paid +ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval</li> <li>Number of partly paid +ordinary securities that became fully paid in that 12 month period</li> </ul> </li> <li>Note:         <ul> <li>Include only ordinary securities here – other classes of equity securities cannot be added</li> <li>Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</li> <li>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	28/07/16 – 4,017 Ordinary Shares (exercise of listed options) 30/08/16 – 6,924,582 Ordinary Shares 19/07/17 – 4,679,911,281 Ordinary Shares		
<b>Subtract</b> the number of fully paid <sup>+</sup> ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period	Nil		
"A"	6,493,340,160		

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Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"	
"B"	0.15 [Note: this value cannot be changed]
Multiply "A" by 0.15	974,001,024
Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount of that has already been used	of placement capacity under rule 7.1
Insert number of +equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period not counting those issued:	Nil
<ul> <li>Under an exception in rule 7.2</li> </ul>	
Under rule 7.1A	
<ul> <li>With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Note:</li> <li>This applies to equity securities, unless specifically excluded – not just ordinary securities</li> <li>Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</li> <li>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</li> </ul>	
"C"	Nil
Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x "E placement capacity under rule 7.1	B"] to calculate remaining
"A" x 0.15	974,001,024
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2	
Subtract "C"	Nil
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	
<b>Total</b> ["A" x 0.15] – "C"	974,001,024
	[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]

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# Part 2

Rule 7.1A – Additional placement capacity for eligible entities		
Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated		
"A"  Note: number must be same as shown in	6,493,340,160	
Step 1 of Part 1		
Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"		
"D"	0.10	
	Note: this value cannot be changed	
<i>Multiply</i> "A" by 0.10	649,334,016	
Step 3: Calculate "E", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1A that has already been used		
<ul> <li>Insert number of †equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A</li> <li>Notes:         <ul> <li>This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities</li> <li>Include here – if applicable – the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</li> <li>Do not include equity securities issued under rule 7.1 (they must be dealt with in Part 1), or for which specific security holder approval has been obtained</li> <li>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Nil	
"E"	Nil	

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Step 4: Subtract "E" from ["A" x "D"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A		
"A" x 0.10 Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2	649,334,016	
Subtract "E"  Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	Nil	
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.10] – "E"	649,334,016  Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A	

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