

Appendix 5B

Mining exploration entity or oil and gas exploration entity quarterly cash flow report

Name of entity

Empire Energy Group Limited

ABN

29 002 148 361

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

March 2020

Consolidated statement of cash flows	Current quarter \$US	Year to date (3 months) \$US
1. Cash flows from operating activities		
1.1 Receipts from customers	1,429,319	1,429,319
1.2 Payments for		
(a) exploration & evaluation (if expensed)	(20,676)	(20,676)
(b) development	(35,570)	(35,570)
(c) production	(539,847)	(539,847)
(d) staff costs	(529,094)	(529,094)
(e) administration and corporate costs	(381,002)	(381,002)
1.3 Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
1.4 Interest received	1,769	1,769
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid	(155,137)	(155,137)
1.6 Income taxes paid	(88,655)	(88,655)
1.7 Government grants and tax incentives	-	-
1.8 Other (provide details if material)	-	-
1.9 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities	(318,893)	(318,893)
2. Cash flows from investing activities		
2.1 Payments to acquire:		
(a) entities	-	-
(b) tenements	-	-
(c) property, plant and equipment	(12,304)	(12,304)
(d) exploration & evaluation (if capitalised)	(835,652)	(835,652)
(e) investments	-	-
(f) other non-current assets	-	-

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Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter	Year to date (3 months)
		\$US	\$US
2.2	Proceeds from the disposal of:		
	(a) entities	-	-
	(b) tenements	-	-
	(c) property, plant and equipment	-	-
	(d) investments	-	-
	(e) other non-current assets	-	-
2.3	Cash flows from loans to other entities	-	-
2.4	Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
2.5	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
2.6	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities	(847,956)	(847,956)

3.	Cash flows from financing activities		
3.1	Proceeds from issues of equity securities (excluding convertible debt securities)	-	-
3.2	Proceeds from issue of convertible debt securities	-	-
3.3	Proceeds from exercise of options	47,470	47,470
3.4	Transaction costs related to issues of equity securities or convertible debt securities	(10,884)	(10,884)
3.5	Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
3.6	Repayment of borrowings	(825,000)	(825,000)
3.7	Transaction costs related to loans and borrowings	-	-
3.8	Dividends paid	-	-
3.9	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
3.10	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities	(788,414)	(788,414)

4.	Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period		
4.1	Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	9,923,707	9,923,707
4.2	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9 above)	(318,893)	(318,893)
4.3	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities (item 2.6 above)	(847,956)	(847,956)
4.4	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities (item 3.10 above)	(788,414)	(788,414)

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter	Year to date (3 months)
		\$US	\$US
4.5	Effect of movement in exchange rates on cash held	(1,029,521)	(1,029,521)
4.6	Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	6,938,923	6,938,923

5.	Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents	Current quarter	Previous quarter
		\$US	\$US
at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts			
5.1	Bank balances	6,591,865	9,786,560
5.2	Call deposits	347,058	137,147
5.3	Bank overdrafts	-	-
5.4	Other (provide details)	-	-
5.5	Cash and cash equivalents at end of quarter (should equal item 4.6 above)	6,938,923	9,923,707

6. Payments to related parties of the entity and their associates

- | | | Current quarter |
|-----|---|------------------------|
| | | \$US |
| 6.1 | Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 1 | 36,122 |
| 6.2 | Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 2 | - |

Note: if any amounts are shown in items 6.1 or 6.2, your quarterly activity report must include a description of, and an explanation for, such payments

- Cash payments for Non-Executive Directors fees
- Managing Director salary and superannuation

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7. Financing facilities	Total facility amount at quarter end \$US	Amount drawn at quarter end \$US
<i>Note: the term "facility" includes all forms of financing arrangements available to the entity. Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the sources of finance available to the entity.</i>		
7.1 Loan facilities	6,675,000	6,675,000
7.2 Credit standby arrangements	-	-
7.3 Other (please specify)	-	-
7.4 Total financing facilities	6,675,000	6,675,000

7.5 **Unused financing facilities available at quarter end** -

7.6 Include in the box below a description of each facility above, including the lender, interest rate, maturity date and whether it is secured or unsecured. If any additional financing facilities have been entered into or are proposed to be entered into after quarter end, include a note providing details of those facilities as well.

The company has a US\$7.5 million debt facility (US\$6.7m loan availability) with Macquarie Bank Limited which matures in September 2024. The facility carries an interest rate of US LIBOR + 650bps. 100% of Appalachia Net Operating Cashflow is applied to debt repayment subject to minimum amortisation of US\$550,000 per annum.

The Facility is secured against oil and gas assets held by the Company's US subsidiaries which comprise the Appalachia gas production assets.

8. Estimated cash available for future operating activities	\$A'000
8.1 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (Item 1.9)	(318,893)
8.2 Capitalised exploration & evaluation (Item 2.1(d))	(835,652)
8.3 Total relevant outgoings (Item 8.1 + Item 8.2)	(1,154,545)
8.4 Cash and cash equivalents at quarter end (Item 4.6)	6,938,923
8.5 Unused finance facilities available at quarter end (Item 7.5)	-
8.6 Total available funding (Item 8.4 + Item 8.5)	6,938,923
8.7 Estimated quarters of funding available (Item 8.6 divided by Item 8.3)	6

8.8 If Item 8.7 is less than 2 quarters, please provide answers to the following questions:

1. Does the entity expect that it will continue to have the current level of net operating cash flows for the time being and, if not, why not?

Answer: Not Applicable

2. Has the entity taken any steps, or does it propose to take any steps, to raise further cash to fund its operations and, if so, what are those steps and how likely does it believe that they will be successful?

Answer: Not Applicable

3. Does the entity expect to be able to continue its operations and to meet its business objectives and, if so, on what basis?

Answer: Not Applicable

Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared in accordance with accounting standards and policies which comply with Listing Rule 19.11A.
- 2 This statement gives a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Date: 29 April 2020

Authorised by: The Board