

## **Announcement Summary**

# **Entity name**

AUSTRALIAN RARE EARTHS LIMITED

#### Date of this announcement

Thursday December 21, 2023

# The +securities the subject of this notification are:

♥ +Other securities issued under an +employee incentive scheme that are not intended to be quoted on ASX

## Total number of +securities to be issued/transferred

ASX +security code	Security description	Total number of +securities to be issued/transferred	Issue date
New class - code to be confirmed	Unlisted Options, exercisable at \$0.4739 and expiring on 20 December 2026.	1,500,000	21/12/2023

Refer to next page for full details of the announcement



## Part 1 - Entity and announcement details

# 1.1 Name of entity

AUSTRALIAN RARE EARTHS LIMITED

We (the entity named above) give notice of the issue, conversion or payment up of the following unquoted +securities.

## 1.2 Registered number type

Registration number

ACN

632645302

#### 1.3 ASX issuer code

AR3

## 1.4 The announcement is

☑ New announcement

#### 1.5 Date of this announcement

21/12/2023



#### Part 2 - Issue details

- 2.1 The +securities the subject of this notification are:
- € +Other securities issued under an +employee incentive scheme that are not intended to be quoted on ASX
- 2.2a This notification is given in relation to an issue of +securities in a class which is not quoted on ASX and which:

☑ does not have an existing ASX security code ("new class")



Part 3C - number and type of +securities the subject of this notification (new class) where issue has not previously been notified to ASX in an Appendix 3B

ASX +security code +Security description

New class - code to be confirmed Unlisted Options, exercisa

Unlisted Options, exercisable at \$0.4739 and expiring on 20 December 2026.

+Security type

ISIN code

Options

Date the +securities the subject of this notification were issued

21/12/2023

Will all the +securities issued in this class rank equally in all respects from their issue date? 

✓ Yes

Were any of the +securities issued to +key management personnel (KMP) or an +associate? 

✓ Yes

Provide details of the KMP or +associates being issued +securities.

Name of KMP

Name of registered holder

Number of +securities

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1,500,000

Have you received confirmation from ASX that the terms of the +securities are appropriate and equitable under listing rule 6.1?

Yes

Please provide a URL link for a document lodged with ASX setting out the material terms of the +securities being issued.

Summary of terms included in the ASX release dated 15 June 2023 "https://ar3.com.au/15-6-23-australian-rare-earths-appoints-ceo/"

## **Options Details**

**+Security currency Exercise price Expiry date**AUD - Australian Dollar AUD 0.47390000 20/12/2026

Details of the existing class of +security that will be issued upon exercise or conversion of this new class of company option

Other





#### Description

Each Option is exercisable into one fully paid ordinary share in the Company (ASX code: AR3)

Please provide a URL link for a document lodged with ASX detailing the terms of the +employee incentive scheme or a summary of the terms

Employee Share Option Plan included in the Notice of Annual General Meeting dated 6 October 2023 <a href="https://ar3.com.au/6">https://ar3.com.au/6</a>
-10-23-ar3-notice-of-annual-general-meeting-proxy-form/

Any other information the entity wishes to provide about the +securities the subject of this notification

Options will vest on the 12 month anniversary of the date of issue.

Issue details

Number of +securities

1,500,000





#### Part 4 - +Securities on issue

Following the issue, conversion or payment up of the +securities the subject of this application, the +securities of the entity will comprise:

(A discrepancy in these figures compared to your own may be due to a matter of timing if there is more than one application for quotation/issuance currently with ASX for processing.)

# 4.1 Quoted +Securities (Total number of each +class of +securities quoted)

ASX +security code and description	+securities on issue
AR3 : ORDINARY FULLY PAID	154,165,962

# 4.2 Unquoted +Securities (Total number of each +class of +securities issued but not quoted on ASX)

ASX +security code and description	Total number of +securities on issue
AR3AM : OPTION EXPIRING 02-DEC-2025 EX \$0.50	1,750,000
AR3AN : OPTION EXPIRING 02-DEC-2026 EX \$0.50	1,550,000
AR3AO : OPTION EXPIRING 28-FEB-2026 EX \$0.47	500,000
AR3AR : OPTION EXPIRING 26-NOV-2027 EX \$0.435	1,808,333
AR3AS : OPTION EXPIRING 26-NOV-2026 EX \$0.37	1,500,000
AR3AT : OPTION EXPIRING 26-NOV-2026 EX \$0.50	1,500,000
AR3AL : OPTION EXPIRING 04-JUL-2025 EX \$0.5743	500,000
AR3AE : OPTION EXPIRING 01-DEC-2024 EX \$1.44	1,600,000
AR3AJ : OPTION EXPIRING 09-MAY-2025 EX \$1.02	1,000,000
AR3AC : OPTION EXPIRING 29-JUN-2024 EX \$0.45	6,597,200
AR3AD : OPTION EXPIRING 25-JAN-2025 EX \$0.30	6,000,000
AR3AF : OPTION EXPIRING 29-JUL-2025 EX \$0.60	2,000,000
AR3AP : OPTION EXPIRING 09-MAY-2025 EX \$0.57	8,163,147





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1,500,000



# Part 5 - Other Listing Rule requirements

- 5.1 Were the +securities issued under an exception in Listing Rule 7.2 and therefore the issue did not need any security holder approval under Listing Rule 7.1? 
  ☑ Yes
- 5.1a Select the number of the applicable exception in Listing Rule 7.2

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