## **Form 604**

Corporations Act 2001 Section 671B

# Notice of change of interests of substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme

St Barbara Limited

ACN/ARSN

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1. Details of substantial holder (1)

Name

Van Eck Associates Corporation (and its associates referred to in paragraph 6).

ACN/ARSN (if applicable)

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There was a change in the interests of the

substantial holder on

24/05/2017

The previous notice was given to the company on

28/02/2017

The previous notice was dated

27/02/2017

#### 2. Previous and present voting power

The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme that the substantial holder or an associate (2) had a relevant interest (3) in when last required, and when now required, to give a substantial holding notice to the company or scheme, are as follows:

Class of securities (4)	Previous notice		Present notice	
Class of securities (4)	Person's votes	Voting power (5)	Person's votes	Voting power (5)
Ordinary shares	90,805,597	18.26%	85,093,697	17.11%

#### 3. Changes in relevant interests

Particulars of each change in, or change in the nature of, a relevant interest of the substantial holder or an associate in voting securities of the company or scheme, since the substantial holder was last required to give a substantial holding notice to the company or scheme are as follows:

Date of change	Person whose relevant interest changed	Nature of change (6)	Consideration given in relation to change (7)	Class and number of securities affected	Person's votes affected
	Van Eck Associates Corporation (VEAC)	See Annexure A			

### 4. Present relevant interests

Particulars of each relevant interest of the substantial holder in voting securities after the change are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Registered holder of securities	Person entitled to be registered as holder (8)	Nature of relevant interest (6)	Class and number of securities	Person's votes
		Miners ETF ( <b>GDX</b> )	VEAC holds its relevant interest by having the power to exercise, control the exercise of, or influence the exercise of, the voting powers or disposal of the securities	Ordinary shares 27,645,200	5.56%

VEAC	Bank of New York Mellon as custodian for VanEck Vectors Junior Gold Miners ETF	VanEck Vectors Junior Gold Miners ETF ( <b>GDXJ</b> )	Same as above.	Ordinary shares 56,110,857	11.28%
VEAC	Bank of New York Mellon as custodian for VanEck Vectors Gold Miners UCITS ETF	VanEck Vectors Gold Miners UCITS ETF (UCTGDX)	Same as above,	Ordinary shares 335,329	0.07%
VEAC	Bank of New York Mellon as custodian for VanEck Vectors Junior Gold Miners UCITS ETF	VanEck Vectors Junior Gold Miners UCITS ETF (UCTGDXJ)	Same as above.	Ordinary shares 1,002,311	0.20%

# 5. Changes in association

The persons who have become associates (2) of, ceased to be associates of, or have changed the nature of their association (9) with, the substantial holder in relation to voting interests in the company or scheme are as follows:

Name and ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	Nature of association

# 6. Addresses

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

Name	Address
VEAC	666 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10017
Van Eck Securities Corporation	666 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10017
Van Eck Absolute Return Advisers, Inc.	666 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10017
VanEck Australia Pty Ltd	Level 4 Aurora Place, 88 Phillip Street, Sydney NSW 2000
VanEck Investments Limited	Level 4 Aurora Place, 88 Phillip Street, Sydney NSW 2000

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print name	ANDREW TILZER	capacity	AVP
sign here	/6/11/	date	26/05/2017

**DIRECTIONS** 

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Holder of relevant interest	Date of Acquisition	B/S	Consideration Cash	Consideration Non-Cash	Number of Securities
GDX	01/26/2017			In-Kind	101,34
GDX	01/31/2017		-	In-Kind	158,35
GDX	02/01/2017			In-Kind	19,00
GDX	02/07/2017		-	In-Kind	50,67
GDX	02/09/2017		<u> </u>	In-Kind	107,67
GDX	02/10/2017			In-Kind	101,31
GDX	02/13/2017			In-Kind	364,09
GDX	02/15/2017		-	In-Kind	94,98
GDX	02/16/2017			In-Kind	316,60
GDX	02/22/2017		-	In-Kind	474,90
GDX	02/23/2017			In-Kind	164,63
GDX	02/24/2017		-	In-Kind	332,43
GDX	02/27/2017	В		In-Kind	120,34
GDX	02/28/2017	s		In-Kind	15,84
GDX	03/02/2017	s	i i	In-Kind	228,09
GDX	03/03/2017	В		In-Kind	158,55
GDX	03/06/2017	s	-	In-Kind	136,35
GDX	03/08/2017	В		In-Kind	342,57
GDX	03/10/2017	В	-	In-Kind	444,22
GDX	03/14/2017	s	14	In-Kind	294,99
GDX	03/15/2017	В	-	In-Kind	164,99
GDX	04/26/2017	s	1,539,149.91		592,78
GDX	05/02/2017	s	4,674,186.74	2	1,745,25
GDX	05/08/2017	s	1,141,996.75	-	433,25
GDX	05/19/2017	s	741,448.05	=	257,19
GDX	05/22/2017	s	912,726.42		319,38
GDX	05/24/2017	s	3,398,995.56	-	1,175,88
GDX	05/25/2017	s	2,841,010.83	2	1,004,80
GDXJ	01/31/2017	В		In-Kind	202,55
GDXJ	02/06/2017	В	5	In-Kind	1,053,41
GDXJ	02/07/2017	В	-	In-Kind	384,84
GDXJ	02/08/2017	В	-	In-Kind	1,053,31
GDXJ	02/09/2017	В	-	In-Kind	40,50
GDXJ	02/10/2017	В		In-Kind	1,560,02
GDXJ	02/13/2017	В	-	In-Kind	40,51
GDXJ	02/14/2017	В		In-Kind	162,08
GDXJ	02/15/2017	В	:-	In-Kind	850,79
GDXJ	02/16/2017	В	2	In-Kind	1,013,00
GDXJ	02/17/2017	В	:-	In-Kind	101,28
GDXJ	02/21/2017	В	-	In-Kind	141,89
GDXJ	02/22/2017			In-Kind	425,75
GDXJ	02/23/2017		-	In-Kind	2,130,03
GDXJ	02/27/2017	s		In-Kind	1,095,33

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GDXJ	02/28/2017		- Cuon	In-Kind	40,68
GDXJ	03/01/2017			In-Kind	528,73
GDXJ	03/02/2017			In-Kind	244,00
GDXJ	03/03/2017			In-Kind	122,26
GDXJ	03/06/2017			In-Kind	916,11
GDXJ	03/10/2017			In-Kind	755,79
GDXJ	03/13/2017			In-Kind	285,72
GDXJ	03/14/2017			In-Kind	40,77
GDXJ	03/15/2017		-	In-Kind	2,347,03
GDXJ	03/16/2017			In-Kind	366,57
GDXJ	03/24/2017		2,056,894.70		822,21
GDXJ	03/27/2017		1,744,866.15	_	684,33
GDXJ	03/28/2017		1,539,714.76	12	620,48
GDXJ	03/29/2017		1,788,572.96	į.	728,28
GDXJ	03/30/2017		1,579,257.89	:=	649,52
GDXJ	03/31/2017		1,434,337.00	22	599,58
GDXJ	04/03/2017	s	1,054,860.22	-	440,05
GDXJ	04/13/2017	В	4,946,440.02	:=	1,750,34
GDXJ	04/18/2017		5,033,746.03	-	1,796,12
GDXJ	04/19/2017		2,021,032.57	:-	711,43
GDXJ	04/20/2017	В	2,782,900.77	74	1,023,04
GDXJ	04/26/2017	S	4,212,085.72		1,610,20
GDXJ	04/27/2017		2,984,140.19	1-	1,115,88
GDXJ	04/28/2017		836,221.71	3	313,07
GDXJ	05/02/2017		2,908,802.24	:	1,085,2
GDXJ	05/11/2017	s	1,779,000.87		635,6
GDXJ	05/12/2017	s	1,436,713.95	:-	507,58
GDXJ	05/15/2017	s	847,634.13		304,29
GDXJ	05/16/2017		2,460,847.01		864,60
GDXJ	05/17/2017	s	1,705,685.09	.=	577,40
GDXJ	05/22/2017	В	1,837,039.56	7.5	637,28
GDXJ	05/23/2017	В	1,038,800.72		340,19
GDXJ	05/24/2017	s	3,355,331.93		1,159,70
GDXJ	05/25/2017		2,889,544.92	74	1,021,43
UCTGDX	03/17/2017	В	41,922.89	-	16,50
UCTGDX	03/20/2017		1,110.81		4
UCTGDX	04/11/2017	В	1,064.66		3
UCTGDX	05/19/2017	s	5,635.67	)#	1,9
UCTGDX	05/23/2017		21,108.57	7.4	6,9
UCTGDXJ	02/06/2017		43,807.12	7.	16,5
UCTGDXJ	02/08/2017	-	50,553.36	:-	18,8
UCTGDXJ	02/09/2017		103,173.35	100	37,7
UCTGDXJ	02/21/2017		53,467.80	-	18,88

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Holder of relevant			Consideration	Consideration	
interest	Date of Acquisition	B/S	Cash	Non-Cash	Number of Securities
UCTGDXJ	02/24/2017	S	16,818.23		5,947
UCTGDXJ	03/01/2017	В	47,612.59		18,732
UCTGDXJ	03/09/2017	В	43,338.20	3	18,748
UCTGDXJ	03/17/2017	В	553,161.73		218,641
UCTGDXJ	03/20/2017	В	31,924.43	*	12,710
UCTGDXJ	03/27/2017	В	58,058.21		22,752
UCTGDXJ	04/10/2017	S	2,378.25		838

In-Kind transactions result from UCTGDXJ receiving a basket of securities (including ST BARBARA LTD) in exchange for securities in UCTGDXJ.

