*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.*

Introduced 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, 04/03/13

*This Appendix 3B also reflects the lapse/cancellation of 11,416,325 unlisted options having various exercise prices ranging between $0.20 and $0.33.*

Name of entity

**COVATA LIMITED**

ABN

**61 120 658 497**

We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

## Part 1 - All issues

*You must complete the relevant sections (attach sheets if there is not enough space).*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | +Class of +securities issued or to be issued | Ordinary fully paid shares. |
| 2 | Number of +securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued | 10,000,000. |
| 3 | Principal terms of the +securities (e.g. if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid +securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if +convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion) | Ordinary fully paid shares. |

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

| 4 | Do the ⁺securities rank equally in all respects from the ⁺issue date with an existing ⁺class of quoted ⁺securities?<br><br>If the additional ⁺securities do not rank equally, please state:<br>• the date from which they do<br>• the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment<br>• the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment | Yes, but subject to 12-month voluntary escrow period. |
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| 5 | Issue price or consideration | Issued as part of consideration for acquisition of CipherPoint Inc. following satisfaction of milestone (refer ASX announcement 17/1/2018) as a deemed issue price of $0.10 per share. Issue approved by shareholders at annual general meeting on 22 November 2017. |
| 6 | Purpose of the issue<br>(If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets) | Refer 5 above, part consideration for acquisition of CipherPoint Inc. |
| 6a | Is the entity an ⁺eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A?<br><br>If Yes, complete sections 6b – 6h *in relation to the ⁺securities the subject of this Appendix 3B*, and comply with section 6i | Yes |
| 6b | The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed | 22 November 2017 |
| 6c | Number of ⁺securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1 | Not applicable. |

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| 6d | Number of ⁺securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A | Not applicable. |
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| 6e | Number of ⁺securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting) | 10,000,000, approved at annual general meeting on 22 November 2017 (Resolution 5). |
| 6f | Number of ⁺securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2 | Not applicable. |
| 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 | LR 7.1 – 86,658,570<br>LR7.1A - 63,800,748 |
| 7 | ⁺Issue dates<br><br>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.<br><br>Cross reference: item 33 of Appendix 3B. | 31 January 2018. |

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| | | Number | +Class |
|---|---|---|---|
| 8 | Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (*including* the +securities in section 2 if applicable) | 561,489,571 | Ordinary shares (excludes employee share loan plan shares – see item 9). |
| | | 18,468,974 | Ordinary shares subject to voluntary escrow until 25 August 2018. |
| | | 10,000,000 | Ordinary shares subject to voluntary escrow until 31 January 2019. |

| | | Number | +Class |
|---|---|---|---|
| 9 | Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX (*including* the +securities in section 2 if applicable) | 57,091,489 | Employee share loan plan shares (ordinary, employee incentive scheme shares) (CVTAG). |
| | | 6,828,816 | Options exercisable at USD$0.1467 expiring 31 October 2019 (CVTAH/AF). |
| | | 5,000,000 | Options exercisable at AUD$0.20 expiring 31 October 2019 (CVTAF). |
| | | 1,237,500 | Options exercisable at AUD$0.20 expiring 22 December 2019 (CVTAH). |
| | | 231,400 | Options exercisable at $0.33, expiring 12 March 2020 (CVTAH). |
| | | 38,240,979 | Warrants exercisable at $0.274 (27.4 cents) expiring 25 March 2020. The warrants are subject to the vesting conditions outlined in the Company's announcement to ASX on 20 March 2015. (CVTAK) |

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| 300,000 | Options exercisable at $0.24, expiring 2 November 2020. |
| 490,669 | Options exercisable at $0.33 and expiring on 17 December 2020. |
| 400,000 | Options exercisable at $0.195 and expiring on 20 July 2021. |
| 3,000,000 | Options exercisable at $0.20 and expiring on 4 May 2022. |
| 840,000 | Options exercisable at $0.05 (5 cents) and expiring on 21 June 2022. |
| 1,000,000 | Options exercisable at $0.05 (5 cents) and expiring on 17 August 2022. |
| 11,064,000 | Options exercisable at $0.05 5 cents) and expiring on 22 November 2022. |
| 5,569,583 | Options exercisable at $0.045 (4.5 cents) and expiring on 22 November 2022. |

10   Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)

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| Not applicable. |

## Part 2 - Pro rata issue

11   Is security holder approval required?

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| Not applicable. |

12   Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?

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| Not applicable. |

13   Ratio in which the <sup>+</sup>securities will be offered

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| Not applicable. |

| 14 | +Class of +securities to which the offer relates | Not applicable. |
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| 15 | +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. |
| 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.

Cross reference: rule 7.7. | Not applicable. |
| 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. |

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| 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. |
| 29 | Date rights trading will end (if applicable) | Not applicable. |
| 30 | How do security holders sell their entitlements *in full* through a broker? | Not applicable. |
| 31 | How do security holders sell *part* 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 | ⁺Issue date | Not applicable. |

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## Part 3 - Quotation of securities

*You need only complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities*

34      Type of +securities
        (*tick one*)

(a)     ☒      +Securities described in Part 1

(b)     ☐      All other +securities

        Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities

## Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

### Additional securities forming a new class of securities

*Tick to indicate you are providing the information or documents*

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      ☐      If the +securities are +equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional +securities setting out the number of holders in the categories
                1 - 1,000
                1,001 - 5,000
                5,001 - 10,000
                10,001 - 100,000
                100,001 and over

37      ☐      A copy of any trust deed for the additional +securities

## Entities that have ticked box 34(b)

38      Number of +securities for which +quotation is sought

39      +Class of +securities for which quotation is sought

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

41  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 |
|--------|--------|
|        |        |

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**Quotation agreement**

1 +Quotation of our additional +securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the +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.

3 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.

4 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: 31 January 2018

Print name: Patrick Gowans
(~~Director/~~Joint Company Secretary)

# 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 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 | 526,504,652 |
| ***Add*** the following:<br>• Number of fully paid +ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2<br>• Number of fully paid +ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval<br>• Number of partly paid +ordinary securities that became fully paid in that 12 month period<br><br>*Note:*<br>• *Include only ordinary securities here – other classes of equity securities cannot be added*<br>• *Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed*<br>• *It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items* | • 10,000,000 shares issued under Loan Share Plan with shareholder approval on 4 May 2017<br><br>• 2,304,395 shares issued with shareholder approval on 4 May 2017.<br><br>• 6,300,000 shares issued under shareholder approved Loan Share Plan.<br><br>• 60,000 shares issued under shareholder approved Loan Share Plan.<br><br>• 18,468,974 shares issued to CipherPoint Inc. vendors on 25 August 2017, ratified at annual general meeting on 22 November 2017.<br><br>• 34,835,163 shares issued under Share Purchase Plan on 22 November 2017.<br><br>• 10,352,298 shares issued with shareholder approval on 22 November 2017.<br><br>• 19,182,000 shares issued under shareholder approved Loan Share Plan on 22 November 2017.<br><br>• 10,000,000 shares issued with shareholder approval on 31 January 2018. |

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|---|---|
| **Subtract** the number of fully paid ⁺ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period | Nil |
| **"A"** | **638,007,482** |

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|---|---|
| ***Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"*** | |
| **"B"** | 0.15<br><br>*[Note: this value cannot be changed]* |
| ***Multiply*** "A" by 0.15 | **95,701,122** |
| ***Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1 that has already been used*** | |
| ***Insert*** number of ⁺equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period *not counting* those issued:<br><br>• Under an exception in rule 7.2<br><br>• Under rule 7.1A<br><br>• With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4<br><br>*Note:*<br>• *This applies to equity securities, unless specifically excluded – not just ordinary securities*<br>• *Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed*<br>• *It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items* | • 8,510,638 shares issued under placement on 7 November 2017.<br><br>• 531,914 shares issued under placement on 22 November 2017. |
| **"C"** | **9,042,552** |
| ***Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x "B"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1*** | |
| "A" x 0.15<br><br>*Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2* | **95,701,122** |
| ***Subtract*** "C"<br><br>*Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3* | **9,042,552** |
| ***Total*** ["A" x 0.15] – "C" | **86,658,570**<br><br>*[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]* |

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

## 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"** <br><br> *Note: number must be same as shown in Step 1 of Part 1* | **638,007,482** |
| **Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"** | |
| **"D"** | 0.10 <br><br> *Note: this value cannot be changed* |
| ***Multiply*** "A" by 0.10 | **63,800,748** |
| **Step 3: Calculate "E", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1A that has already been used** | |
| ***Insert*** number of +equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A <br><br> *Notes:* <br> • *This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities* <br> • *Include here – if applicable – the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed* <br> • *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* <br> • *It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items* | Nil |
| **"E"** | **Nil** |

| Step 4: Subtract "E" from ["A" x "D"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A | |
|---|---|
| "A" x 0.10<br><br>*Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2* | **63,800,748** |
| **Subtract** "E"<br><br>*Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3* | **Nil** |
| **Total** ["A" x 0.10] – "E" | **63,800,748**<br><br>*Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A* |

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# ASX ANNOUNCEMENT I COVATA LIMITED

31 January 2018

# 708A CLEANSING NOTICE

Covata Limited [ASX:CVT] (**the Company**) gives notice under section 708A(5)(e) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) (**Act**) in compliance with the requirements of section 708A(6) of the Act as follows:

  (a)  On 31 January 2018 the Company issued 10,000,000 fully paid ordinary shares without disclosure under Part 6D.2 of the Act.

(a)      As at the date of this notice, the Company has complied with:

        (i)        the provisions of Chapter 2M of the Act as they apply to the Company; and

        (ii)      the provisions of section 674 of the Act.

(b)      The Company is not aware of any information required to be disclosed for the purposes of section 708A(6)(e) of the Act, being information:

        (i)        that has been excluded from a continuous disclosure notice in accordance with the Listing Rules of the ASX; and

        (ii)      that investors and their professional advisors would reasonably require for the purposes of making an informed assessment of:

- the assets and liabilities, financial position and performance, profits and losses and prospects of the Company; or
- the rights and liabilities attaching to the ordinary shares of the Company.

An Appendix 3B with respect to the issue has been lodged with ASX.

For and on behalf of Covata Limited

Patrick Gowans

Joint Company Secretary