

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.*

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Name of entity

Mineral Deposits Limited

ABN

19 064 377 420

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).*

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| 1 | +Class of +securities issued or to be issued                                                  | Unlisted performance rights granted as long-term incentives under the MDL Performance Rights Plan ( <b>PRP</b> ) |
| 2 | Number of +securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued | 702,689 unlisted performance rights                                                                              |

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<p>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)</p>	<p>Unlisted performance rights under the PRP as long-term incentives</p> <p>Grant date: 25 May 2018</p> <p>Exercise price: Nil</p> <p>Performance Period: Three years from 1 February 2018 to 31 January 2021</p> <p>Expiry Date: 31 January 2023</p> <p>Vesting: 50% of the performance rights will vest subject to an Absolute Total Shareholder Return (<b>TSR</b>) performance condition and 50% will vest subject to a Relative TSR performance condition over the three year period.</p> <p>Performance rights subject to an Absolute TSR vest as follows: 50% vest at 15% compound annual growth rate (<b>CAGR</b>), 100% vests at 25% CAGR, with pro rata vesting between the two points. Note that for the purposes of calculating the CAGR over the duration of the performance period, the price for MDL Shares will be calculated on the basis of the 20 day VWAP preceding 1 February 2018.</p> <p>Performance rights subject to a Relative TSR vest as follows: 50% vest at 50<sup>th</sup> percentile performance against companies in the S&amp;P/ASX Resources 300 Index (peer group), 100% at 75<sup>th</sup> percentile and pro rata vesting between the two points. For the purposes of calculating the Relative TSR performance over the duration of the performance period, the price for MDL Shares will be calculated on the basis of the 20 trading day VWAP preceding 1 February 2018.</p> <p>Should a change of control occur before the end of the vesting period, the amount of the rights that will vest will be calculated in accordance with the Absolute TSR vesting conditions.</p> <p>Further details are available in the Notice of Annual General Meeting released to the market on 23 April 2018.</p> <p>The issue of these rights, their vesting conditions and the amended PRP were approved by Shareholders of the Company at the Annual General Meeting held 4 May 2017.</p>
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4	<p>Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the +issue date with an existing +class of quoted +securities?</p> <p>If the additional +securities do not rank equally, please state:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the date from which they do</li> <li>the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment</li> <li>the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment</li> </ul>	<p>No – the unlisted performance rights only rank equally with ordinary shares if and when any vested performance rights are exercised.</p> <p>Unlisted performance rights carry no dividend or voting rights.</p>
5	Issue price or consideration	Nil
6	Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	As approved by MDL shareholders on 25 May 2018, issued to an MDL director, three executive employees, and other staff of the Company under the MDL PRP.
6a	<p>Is the entity an +eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A?</p> <p>If Yes, complete sections 6b – 6h <i>in relation to the +securities the subject of this Appendix 3B</i>, and comply with section 6i</p>	No
6b	The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed	N/A
6c	Number of +securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	N/A
6d	Number of +securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	N/A
6e	Number of +securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	N/A

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6f	Number of *securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	N/A								
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.	N/A								
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	N/A								
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	N/A								
7	<p>*Issue dates</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Cross reference: item 33 of Appendix 3B.</p>	25 May 2018								
8	Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX ( <i>including</i> the *securities in section 2 if applicable)	<table><tr><th>Number</th><th>*Class</th></tr><tr><td>196,985,649</td><td>Ordinary Fully Paid</td></tr></table>	Number	*Class	196,985,649	Ordinary Fully Paid				
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10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	There has been no change to the Mineral Deposits Limited dividend policy.								

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## Part 2 - Pro rata issue

11	Is security holder approval required?	N/A
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	N/A
13	Ratio in which the +securities will be offered	N/A
14	+Class of +securities to which the offer relates	N/A
15	+Record date to determine entitlements	N/A
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	N/A
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	N/A
18	Names of countries in which the entity has security holders who will <b>not</b> be sent new offer documents  <small>Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with. Cross reference: rule 7.7.</small>	N/A
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	N/A
20	Names of any underwriters	N/A
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	N/A
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	N/A
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	N/A

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24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of security holders	N/A
25	If the issue is contingent on security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	N/A
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and offer documents will be sent to persons entitled	N/A
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	N/A
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	N/A
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	N/A
30	How do security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?	N/A
31	How do security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	N/A
32	How do security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?	N/A
33	*Issue date	N/A

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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 <sup>+</sup>securities  
(tick one)

(a) ☐ <sup>+</sup>Securities described in Part 1

(b) ☐ All other <sup>+</sup>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 <sup>+</sup>securities are <sup>+</sup>equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional <sup>+</sup>securities, and the number and percentage of additional <sup>+</sup>securities held by those holders

36 ☐ If the <sup>+</sup>securities are <sup>+</sup>equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional <sup>+</sup>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 <sup>+</sup>securities

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**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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• the date from which they do</li><li>• the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment</li><li>• the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment</li></ul>					
41	Reason for request for quotation now <small>Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period</small>  (if issued upon conversion of another +security, clearly identify that other +security)					
42	Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX ( <i>including</i> the +securities in clause 38)	<table border="1"><thead><tr><th>Number</th><th>+Class</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td></td><td></td></tr></tbody></table>	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: 25 May 2018  
(Company Secretary)

Print name: Michaela Evans

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