

# Form 603

Corporations Law  
Section 671B

## Notice of initial substantial holder

To: Company Name/Scheme METALIKO RESOURCES LIMITED

ACN/ARSN 120 974 567

### 1. Details of substantial holder (1)

Name Bank of America Corporation and its related bodies corporate (See Appendix C)

ACN/ARSN (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

The holder became a substantial holder on: 15 December 2016

### 2. Details of 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 on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

| Class of securities (4) | Number of securities | Persons' votes (5) | Voting power (6) |
|-------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Ordinary                | 23,948,547           | 23,948,547         | 5.42%            |

### 3. Details of relevant interests

The nature of the relevant interest the substantial holder or an associate had in the following voting securities on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

| Holder of relevant interest           | Nature of relevant interest (7)                                                                                                                                          | Class and number of securities |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd | Power to control voting and/or disposal of securities in its capacity as ultimate beneficial owner having a principal position.                                          | Ordinary 4,952,547             |
| Merrill Lynch International           | Borrowing of securities pursuant to a International Prime Brokerage Agreement (see Appendix B), with power to control the voting and/or disposal of borrowed securities. | Ordinary 18,996,000            |

### 4. Details of present registered holders

The persons registered as holders of the securities referred to in paragraph 3 above are as follows:

| Holder of relevant interest           | Registered holder of securities            | Person entitled to be registered as holder (8) | Class and number of securities |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Nominees Pty Ltd | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd          | Ordinary 4,952,547             |
| Merrill Lynch International           | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Nominees Pty Ltd | Merrill Lynch International                    | Ordinary 18,996,000            |

## 5. Consideration

The consideration paid for each relevant interest referred to in paragraph 3 above, and acquired in the four months prior to the day that the substantial holder became a substantial holder is as follows:

| Holder of relevant interest | Date of acquisition | Consideration (9) | Class and number of securities |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| Please see Annexure A.      |                     |                   |                                |

## 6. Associates

The reasons the persons named in paragraph 3 above are associates of the substantial holder are as follows:

| Name and ACN/ ARSN (if applicable)    | Nature of association  |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd | Related body corporate |
| Merrill Lynch International           | Related body corporate |

## 7. Addresses

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

| Name                                       | Addresses                                                                    |
|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Bank of America Corporation                | 100 North Tryon Street, Charlotte, North Carolina, 28255, USA                |
| Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd      | Level 34, Governor Phillip Tower, 1 Farrer Place, Sydney NSW 2000, Australia |
| Merrill Lynch International                | 2 King Edward Street, London EC1A 1HQ, United Kingdom                        |
| Merrill Lynch (Australia) Nominees Pty Ltd | 120 Collins Street, Level 19, Melbourne Victoria 3000, Australia             |

## SIGNATURE

Print Name: Kelvin Kwok

Capacity: Authorised signatory

Sign Here:



Date: 19 December 2016

## Appendix A

| Date of change | Person whose relevant interest changed | Nature of change    | Consideration | Class of securities | Securities affected | Person's votes affected | Remark            |
|----------------|----------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| 8/17/2016      | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 4,813.13      | Ordinary            | 75,000              | 75,000                  | N/A               |
| 9/30/2016      | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Sell                | 94,952.00     | Ordinary            | (1,000,000)         | (1,000,000)             | N/A               |
| 10/3/2016      | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 230,500.00    | Ordinary            | 2,500,000           | 2,500,000               | N/A               |
| 10/3/2016      | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 85,170.00     | Ordinary            | 1,000,000           | 1,000,000               | N/A               |
| 10/24/2016     | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 12,450.00     | Ordinary            | 150,000             | 150,000                 | N/A               |
| 10/25/2016     | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 12,449.10     | Ordinary            | 150,000             | 150,000                 | N/A               |
| 10/26/2016     | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 12,450.00     | Ordinary            | 150,000             | 150,000                 | N/A               |
| 11/16/2016     | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 7,150.03      | Ordinary            | 91,667              | 91,667                  | N/A               |
| 11/18/2016     | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 1,950.00      | Ordinary            | 25,000              | 25,000                  | N/A               |
| 11/23/2016     | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 3,925.00      | Ordinary            | 50,000              | 50,000                  | N/A               |
| 11/28/2016     | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Sell                | 1,329,720.00  | Ordinary            | (18,996,000)        | (18,996,000)            | N/A               |
| 11/29/2016     | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 29,216.95     | Ordinary            | 439,862             | 439,862                 | N/A               |
| 11/30/2016     | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 19,773.77     | Ordinary            | 253,101             | 253,101                 | N/A               |
| 12/1/2016      | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 15,212.49     | Ordinary            | 196,113             | 196,113                 | N/A               |
| 12/2/2016      | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Sell                | 1,448.69      | Ordinary            | (19,845)            | (19,845)                | N/A               |
| 12/2/2016      | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 1,449.40      | Ordinary            | 19,845              | 19,845                  | N/A               |
| 12/9/2016      | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 2,437.47      | Ordinary            | 35,155              | 35,155                  | N/A               |
| 12/12/2016     | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 10,505.25     | Ordinary            | 150,000             | 150,000                 | N/A               |
| 12/14/2016     | Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Ltd  | Buy                 | 3,501.75      | Ordinary            | 50,000              | 50,000                  | N/A               |
| 12/15/2016     | Merrill Lynch International            | Securities borrowed | N/A           | Ordinary            | 18,996,000          | 18,996,000              | Refer to App. B-1 |

## Appendix B-1: Prescribed information

|                                                          |                                                                                                  |
|----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Type of agreement</b>                                 | International Prime Brokerage Agreement                                                          |
| <b>Parties to agreement</b>                              | Merrill Lynch International and Harbour Asia Opportunity Master Fund                             |
| <b>Holder of voting rights</b>                           | Securities borrower. Securities lender may instruct the registered holder to vote on securities. |
| <b>Are there any restrictions on voting rights?</b>      | No                                                                                               |
| <b>If yes, detail</b>                                    | N/A                                                                                              |
| <b>Scheduled return date (if any)</b>                    | On recall of the securities loan by the securities lender.                                       |
| <b>Does the borrower have the right to return early?</b> | Yes                                                                                              |
| <b>If yes, detail</b>                                    | Securities borrower will have right to return assets at any time.                                |
| <b>Does the lender have the right to recall early?</b>   | Yes                                                                                              |
| <b>If yes, detail</b>                                    | Securities lender will have right to recall assets at any time.                                  |
| <b>Will the securities be returned on settlement?</b>    | Yes                                                                                              |
| <b>If yes, detail any exceptions</b>                     | N/A                                                                                              |

## Appendix C

| <b>Related bodies corporate</b>                 | <b>Incorporated</b> | <b>ACN/Registration/Incorporation Number</b> |
|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| Merrill Lynch (Australia) Futures Limited       | Australia           | 003639674                                    |
| Merrill Lynch International (Australia) Limited | Australia           | 002892846                                    |
| Merrill Lynch Markets (Australia) Pty. Limited  | Australia           | 075587816                                    |
| Merrill Lynch (Australasia) Pty. Limited        | Australia           | 075923894                                    |
| Merrill Lynch International                     | United Kingdom      | 2312079                                      |
| ML UK Capital Holdings                          | United Kingdom      | 4971231                                      |
| BofAML EMEA Holdings 1                          | United Kingdom      | 119603                                       |
| BofAML EMEA Holdings 2                          | United Kingdom      | 119605                                       |
| BofAML Jersey Holdings Limited                  | United Kingdom      | 115831                                       |
| Merrill Lynch Group I, LLC                      | United States       | 3432346                                      |
| Merrill Lynch International Incorporated        | United States       | 0825826                                      |
| NB Holdings Corporation                         | United States       | 2361372                                      |
| Bank of America Corporation                     | United States       | N/A628                                       |