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QUARTERLY REPORT FOR PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

CORPORATE

During the final quarter of 2017, Crossland Strategic Metals Limited ("Crossland"), focused on finalizing the 2013 Scoping Study update and resource re-estimation work program with independent consultants. These independent technical reports are a necessary requirement to justify and further support a substantial capital raise for the Pre-Feasibility Study (PFS). Both Atlas Offshore Services (AOS) and shareholder, EMMCO Mining, have offered financial support, by way of loans, to undertake this work.

Crossland committed to a further loan for ongoing company administration and corporate governance expenses. The loan, with EMMCO, for AUD\$200,000 matures on the 30th June 2018. Existing loan agreements for AUD\$700,000, with AOS, matured during the quarter. Loans with AOS have been consolidated and the accumulated interest of \$97,000 has been rolled over into a new extended loan, maturing on the 30th June 2018.

PROJECT STUDY ACTIVITY

Engineering consultants MSP (Perth), who completed the 2013 Scoping Study, will undertake the 2018 update. Work is targeted to commence in early February and take 10 weeks to complete. The Study will be in two stages, firstly- to broadly establish the base case viability and secondly- to refine and report the findings.

Former Crossland Director, Geoff Eupene is compiling and updating the Charley Creek project geological and drill database. As the Competent Person responsible for our prior 2013 JORC resource estimate, he is most familiar with the data and field activities at that time. This database update will include drill data awaiting processing since 2013. The resource modelling and re-estimation work will be tendered once the compiled dataset is available. In December, Crossland met with consultants in Perth to discuss the resource update scope of work and assess each parties' capabilities. The resource update is expected to commence in early February and will take 6 weeks to complete.

TENEMENTS

Crossland continues to actively rationalize our abundant tenement position to reduce financial demands, without compromising our long-term aspirations. We are mindful of finances, tenement holding costs and our future study commitments. Our current tenement holdings, as of $31^{\rm st}$ December 2017, are tabulated below. A comparison of our tenement holdings last year-end is also presented.

TENEMENT HOLDINGS (CHANGES) FOR PERIOD ENDING 31 December 2017



Project Area: Charlie Creek Project Group 2

Tenements held by Crossland Nickel Pty Ltd (56.28%) / Essential Mining Resources Pty Ltd (43.72%)

Tenement	Name / Location	Status Date Granted		Renewal date	End 31 December 2016		End 31 December 2017	
			Date Granted		AREA (Sub-blocks)	AREA (Km2)	AREA (Sub-blocks)	AREA (Km2)
EL 28434	Hamilton Homestead	Current	26/07/2011	27/07/2017	125	381.1	125	381.1
EL 28795	Amburla SE	Current	14/12/2011	13/12/2017	10	31.52	10	31.52
EL 28796	Amburla North	Current	14/12/2011	13/12/2017	81	255.1	Surrendered	
EL 28866	Everard	Current	21/02/2012	20/02/2018	8	25.19	8	25.19
EL 29789	Mulga Bore	Current	25/07/2013	24/07/2019	14	44.1	14	44.1
EL 29853	Bond Springs	Current	15/08/2013	14/08/2019	133	419.3	68	214.31
EL 30058	Milton Park	Current	23/04/2014	22/04/2020	106	334.3	106	334.3

Project Area: Charlie Creek Project Group 1

Tenements held by Crossland Nickel Pty Ltd

Tenement	Name / Location	Status	Date Granted	Renewal date	AREA (Sub-blocks)	AREA (Km2)	AREA (Sub-blocks)	AREA (Km2)
EL 24281	Charley Creek (NT)	Current	7/02/2005	6/02/2018	37	116.6	37	116.6
EL 25230	Cockroach Dam (NT)	Current	9/11/2006	8/11/2017	102	289	102	289
EL 27283	Mt Chapple (NT)	Current	17/11/2009	16/11/2017	153	475.38	Surre	ndered
EL 27358	Hamilton Downs (NT)	Current	17/11/2009	16/11/2017	82	258.3	82	258.3
EL 27359	Hamilton Downs North (NT)	Current	17/11/2009	17/11/2017	31	97.8	31	97.8
EL 28154	Hamilton South1	Current	20/04/2011	19/04/2017	68	171.3	Surrei	ndered
EL 28155	Hamilton South 2	Current	2/02/2011	1/02/2017	11	31.38	11	31.38
EL 28224	Hamilton North 2	Current	8/03/2011	7/03/2017	15	47.25	15	47.25
EL 28226	Hamilton North 3	Current	8/03/2011	7/03/2017	22	69.34	22	69.34
EL 30486	Mallee Bore	Current	28/4/2015	27/04/2021	30	94.63	Surre	ndered
EL 30487	Clark Creek	Current	28/4/2015	28/04/2021	107	337.35	Surre	ndered

Project Area: Charlie Creek Project

Tenements held by Crossland Nickel Pty Ltd (45.024%): Essential Mining Resources Pty Ltd (34.976%), WDR Base Metals Pty Ltd (20%)

Tenement	Name / Location	Status	Date Granted	Renewal date	AREA	AREA	AREA	AREA
	8	3.0			(Sub-blocks)	(Km2)	(Sub-blocks)	(Km2)
EL 25657	Cloughs Dam (NT)	Pending Renewal	30/08/2007	29/08/2017	130	396.7	58	172.8

Project Area: Highland Rocks Project

Tenements held by Paradigm Mexico Pty Ltd

Tenement	Name / Location	Status	Date Granted	Renewal date	AREA (Sub-blocks)	AREA (Km2)	AREA (Sub-blocks)	AREA (Km2)
EL 27375	Highland Rocks2	Application	N/A	N/A	118	371.6	Surrendered	
EL 27571	Highland Rocks3	Application	N/A	N/A	340	1070.7	Surrendered	
EL 27572	Highland Rocks4	Application	N/A	N/A	330	1039.2	Surrendered	

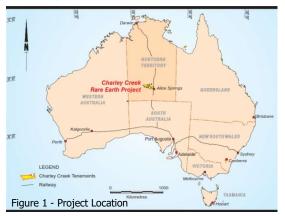
Total Area (Km2)

6542.94

2112.99

About the Charley Creek (Mineral Sands) Project

Crossland continues to develop its flagship Charley Creek project and surrounding tenements. The project, located 110km W-NW of Alice Springs NT Australia, is an alluvial sand mining development, refer Figure 1 below.



The future operation will seek to responsibly mine, extract and process rare earth minerals (monazite and xenotime). Our target product will be a high purity rare earth oxide/hydroxide suitable for export to downstream high-purity product refiners with by-products of industrial zircon and ilmenite. With substantial tenements and an abundant mineral potential, the project has a bright future given the following strengths:

- favorable project location:
 - situated on private pastoral land, with single owner,
 - topography is flat to gentle sloping, dry with sparse vegetation,
 - site access to Alice Springs, via a partly sealed road (Tanami Road),
 - accessible to resources (water, gas, Alice Springs service providers & suppliers),
 - no potential issues with the development site encroaching on, or conflicting with, excluded areas,
 - positive community support with few local stakeholders,
- large holding of tenements (total area exceeding 2000 sq.km). Small fraction drilled relative to the area. There is potential for multiple mining start-up operations outside the Charley Creek area,
- conditions are ideal for bulk low-cost bulk mining, with negligible overburden, high productivity "free-dig" conditions, shallow pits and consistent mineral distribution contained in alluvial fans,
- screening and spiral separation can produce an exceptionally high-grade concentrate, with a high ratio of high value heavy rare-earth minerals,
- dewatered tailings, free of chemicals, will be returned immediately to the mining void,
- efficient land restoration turnaround,
- no permanent tailings dams and minimal mine waste storage above the surface,
- growing world-wide demand for rare-earth products and industrial minerals,
- mature development concept, with years of experience invested in understanding the project, extensive test work, studies and planning to ensure success,
- established Scoping Study, advancing toward a high standard Pre-Feasibility Study,
- relatively low project capital costs,
- long mine life potential.

Further information is available at our website www.crosslandstrategic.com.

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