

Appendix 5B

Mining exploration entity and oil and gas exploration entity quarterly report

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Name of entity

West African Resources Limited

ABN

70 121 539 375

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

31 December 2017

Consolidated statement of cash flows	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
1. Cash flows from operating activities		
1.1 Receipts from customers		
1.2 Payments for		
(a) exploration & evaluation	(5,054)	(9,453)
(b) development	(637)	(865)
(c) production	-	-
(d) staff costs	(191)	(335)
(e) administration and corporate costs	(285)	(687)
1.3 Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
1.4 Interest received	63	106
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid	(1)	(1)
1.6 Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7 Research and development refunds	-	-
1.8 Other (provide details if material)		
1.9 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities	(6,105)	(11,235)

2. Cash flows from investing activities		
2.1 Payments to acquire:		
(a) property, plant and equipment	(65)	(127)
(b) tenements (see item 10)	-	-
(c) investments		
(d) other non-current assets		

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
2.2	Proceeds from the disposal of:		
	(a) property, plant and equipment		
	(b) tenements (see item 10)		
	(c) investments		
	(d) other non-current assets		
2.3	Cash flows from loans to other entities		
2.4	Dividends received (see note 3)		
2.5	Other (provide details if material)		
2.6	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities	(65)	(127)

3.	Cash flows from financing activities		
3.1	Proceeds from issues of shares	-	17,339
3.2	Proceeds from issue of convertible notes		
3.3	Proceeds from exercise of share options	-	5,676
3.4	Transaction costs related to issues of shares, convertible notes or options	-	(1,186)
3.5	Proceeds from borrowings		
3.6	Repayment of borrowings		
3.7	Transaction costs related to loans and borrowings		
3.8	Dividends paid		
3.9	Other (provide details if material)		
3.10	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities	-	21,829

4.	Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period		
4.1	Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	27,376	10,550
4.2	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9 above)	(6,105)	(11,235)
4.3	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities (item 2.6 above)	(65)	(127)
4.4	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities (item 3.10 above)	-	21,829
4.5	Effect of movement in exchange rates on cash held	96	285
4.6	Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	21,302	21,302

5. Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1 Bank balances	5,738	7,361
5.2 Call deposits	15,564	20,015
5.3 Bank overdrafts		
5.4 Other (provide details)		
5.5 Cash and cash equivalents at end of quarter (should equal item 4.6 above)	21,302	27,376

6. Payments to directors of the entity and their associates

- 6.1 Aggregate amount of payments to these parties included in item 1.2
- 6.2 Aggregate amount of cash flow from loans to these parties included in item 2.3
- 6.3 Include below any explanation necessary to understand the transactions included in items 6.1 and 6.2

Current quarter \$A'000
140
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7. Payments to related entities of the entity and their associates

- 7.1 Aggregate amount of payments to these parties included in item 1.2
- 7.2 Aggregate amount of cash flow from loans to these parties included in item 2.3
- 7.3 Include below any explanation necessary to understand the transactions included in items 7.1 and 7.2

Current quarter \$A'000
1,134
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The Chairman, Mr Connelly is a director of Ausdrill Ltd which through its wholly owned subsidiary, African Mining Services Burkina Faso SARL, has provided exploration drilling services of \$1,130k to Tanlouka SARL on normal commercial terms.

An associate of the Managing Director has provided office premises to the company for \$4k.

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8.	Financing facilities available <i>Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position</i>	Total facility amount at quarter end \$A'000	Amount drawn at quarter end \$A'000
8.1	Loan facilities	-	-
8.2	Credit standby arrangements	-	-
8.3	Other (please specify)	-	-
8.4	Include below a description of each facility above, including the lender, interest rate and whether it is secured or unsecured. If any additional facilities have been entered into or are proposed to be entered into after quarter end, include details of those facilities as well.		

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9.	Estimated cash outflows for next quarter	\$A'000
9.1	Exploration and evaluation	4,900
9.2	Development	630
9.3	Production	-
9.4	Staff costs	300
9.5	Administration and corporate costs	330
9.6	Other (provide details if material)	-
9.7	Total estimated cash outflows	6,160

10.	Changes in tenements (items 2.1(b) and 2.2(b) above)	Tenement reference and location	Nature of interest	Interest at beginning of quarter	Interest at end of quarter
10.1	Interests in mining tenements and petroleum tenements lapsed, relinquished or reduced	Zam No 2012 12-205/MCE/SG/D GMGC Note: The Zam permit was reapplied for under a new permis de recherche entitled Bollé. The Bollé permit was granted in November 2017	Exploration permit	100%	0%
10.2	Interests in mining tenements and petroleum tenements acquired or increased	Bollé No 17 – 223/MMC/SG/D GCM	Exploration permit	0%	100%

Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared in accordance with accounting standards and policies which comply with Listing Rule 19.11A.
- 2 This statement gives a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Sign here: 

Company Secretary

Date: 31 January 2018

Print name: **Simon Storm**

Notes

1. The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity that wishes to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes included in or attached to this report.
2. If this quarterly report has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the definitions in, and provisions of, AASB 6: Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources and AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows apply to this report. If this quarterly report has been prepared in accordance with other accounting standards agreed by ASX pursuant to Listing Rule 19.11A, the corresponding equivalent standards apply to this report.
3. Dividends received may be classified either as cash flows from operating activities or cash flows from investing activities, depending on the accounting policy of the entity.