

1 March 2018

# ARDIDEN LIMITED CLEANSING STATEMENT

Ardiden Limited (ASX: ADV – the "Company" or "Ardiden") has issued and allotted 1,000,000 ordinary shares to the vendor of the Pickle Lake Gold Project, being White Metal Resources Corp. as part consideration, under the option agreement, announced by the Company on 2 August 2017, to acquire 100% of the Pickle Lake Gold Project. Below is the applicable Cleansing Notice.

#### **Secondary Trading Exemption:**

The Act restricts the on-sale of securities issued without disclosure, unless the sale is exempt under Section 708 or 708A. By the Company giving this notice, a sale of the Securities noted above will fall within the exemption in section 708A(5) of the Act.

The Company hereby notifies the ASX under paragraph 708(A)(5)(e) of the Act that:

- a) The Company issued the Securities without disclosure to investors under Part 6D.2 of the Act;
- b) As at the date of this notice the Company has complied with the provisions of Chapter 2M of the Act as they apply to the Company, and section 674 of the Act; and
- c) As at the date of this notice there is no information:
  - i) that has been excluded from a continuous disclosure notice in accordance with the Listing Rules; and
  - ii) that investors and their professional advisors would reasonably require for the purpose of making an informed assessment of:
    - (1) The assets and liabilities, financial position and performance, profits and losses and prospects of the Company; or
    - (2) The rights and liabilities attaching to the Securities.

Yours sincerely

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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

-	ation or documents not available now mi ents given to ASX become ASX's property o	ust be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and and and may be made public.	
Introduce	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		
Name o	of entity		
Ardid	en Limited		
ABN			
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We (t	he entity) give ASX the following	information.	
Dart	1 - All issues		
	ist complete the relevant sections (attach s	heets if there is not enough space).	
1	*Class of *securities issued or to be issued	1. Fully Paid Ordinary Shares	
	be issued		
2	Number of +securities issued or to	1. 1,000,000 Fully Paid Ordinary Shares	
	be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued	(Pickle Lake Gold Project Acquisition –	
	·	Consideration to White Metal Resources Corp)	
3	Principal terms of the +securities	1. Fully Paid Ordinary Shares	
	(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)		

<sup>+</sup> 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?  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	Yes – fully paid ordinary shares
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5	Issue price or consideration	1. \$0.017 per share
6	Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	1. Per the terms of the Option to Acquire 100% of the Pickle Lake Gold Project as detailed in the announcement dated 2 August 2017.
	* a	**
6a	Is the entity an <sup>+</sup> eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A?  If Yes, complete sections 6b – 6h in relation to the <sup>+</sup> 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	29 November 2017
6c	Number of *securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	130,100,000
6d	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	Nil

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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)	Nil	
6f	Number of *securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	7,502,500	
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	Capacity under LR 7.1 i Capacity under LR 7.1A	
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7	*Issue dates  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.  Cross reference: item 33 of Appendix 3B.	26 February 2018	
8	Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (including the +securities in section 2 if applicable)	Number 1,179,787,269	+Class Ordinary Shares

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		Number	+Class
9	Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX (including the +securities in section	30,000,000	Unlisted Conditional Performance Options
	2 if applicable)	152,400,000	Unlisted Options
10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	Not Applicable	
Part	2 - Pro rata issue		
11	Is security holder approval required?		
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?		
13	Ratio in which the *securities will be offered		
14	<sup>+</sup> Class of <sup>+</sup> securities to which the offer relates		
15	<sup>+</sup> Record date to determine entitlements		
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?		
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions		
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.		
19	Closing date for receipt of		

acceptances or renunciations

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20	Names of any underwriters	
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of security holders	
25	If the issue is contingent on security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and offer documents will be sent to persons entitled	
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	
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	
30	How do security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?	
31	How do security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	

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32	their	do security holders dispose of entitlements (except by sale gh a broker)?
33	<sup>+</sup> Issue	date
		uotation of securities omplete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities
34	Type of	of *securities one)
(a)		<sup>+</sup> 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
Entiti	es tha	t have ticked box 34(a)
Addit	ional s	ecurities forming a new class of securities
Tick to docume		e you are providing the information or
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

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Entitie	Entities that have ticked box 34(b)			
38	Number of *securities for which *quotation is sought			
39	<sup>+</sup> Class of <sup>+</sup> 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 <sup>+</sup> class of all <sup>+</sup> securities quoted on ASX ( <i>including</i> the <sup>+</sup> securities in clause 38)	Number	<sup>+</sup> Class	

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#### **Quotation agreement**

- <sup>+</sup>Quotation of our additional <sup>+</sup>securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the <sup>+</sup>securities on any conditions it decides.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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 <sup>†</sup>quotation of the <sup>†</sup>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:	
Print name:	Jessamyn Lyons
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## 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 <sup>+</sup> ordinary securities on issue 12 months before the <sup>+</sup> issue date or date of agreement to issue	818,995,965	
Add the following:		
Number of fully paid <sup>+</sup> ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2	7,502,500	
Number of fully paid <sup>+</sup> ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval	223,188,804	
Number of partly paid <sup>+</sup> ordinary securities that became fully paid in that 12 month period		
<ul> <li>Note:</li> <li>Include only ordinary securities here – other classes of equity securities cannot be added</li> <li>Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</li> <li>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</li> </ul>		
<b>Subtract</b> the number of fully paid <sup>+</sup> ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period	Nil	
"A"	1,049,687,269	

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Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"		
"B"	0.15	
	[Note: this value cannot be changed]	
Multiply "A" by 0.15	157,453,090	
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:	100,000	
<ul> <li>Under an exception in rule 7.2</li> </ul>	125,000,000	
• Under rule 7.1A	4,000,000	
<ul> <li>With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4</li> </ul>	1,000,000	
<ul> <li>Note:</li> <li>This applies to equity securities, unless specifically excluded – not just ordinary securities</li> <li>Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</li> <li>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</li> </ul>		
"C"	130,100,000	
Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x "E placement capacity under rule 7.1	B"] to calculate remaining	
"A" x 0.15  Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2	157,453,090	
Subtract "C"		
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	130,100,000	
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.15] – "C"	27,353,090	
	[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]	

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### 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"	1,049,687,269	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 1 of Part 1		
Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"		
"D"	0.10	
	Note: this value cannot be changed	
<b>Multiply</b> "A" by 0.10	104,968,727	
Step 3: Calculate "E", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1A that has already been used		
<ul> <li>Insert number of +equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A</li> <li>Notes:         <ul> <li>This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities</li> <li>Include here – if applicable – the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</li> <li>Do not include equity securities issued under rule 7.1 (they must be dealt with in Part 1), or for which specific security</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	nil	
<ul> <li>holder approval has been obtained</li> <li>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</li> </ul>	nil	

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Step 4: Subtract "E" from ["A" x "D"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A		
"A" x 0.10	104,968,727	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2		
Subtract "E"	0	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3		
<b>Total</b> ["A" x 0.10] – "E"	104,968,727	
	Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A	

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