Fraser Range Metals Group Limited ACN 098 236 938 (Company)

Corporate Governance Statement 2019 Financial Year

This Corporate Governance summary discloses the extent to which the Company will follow the recommendations set by the ASX Corporate Governance Council in its publication Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations (3rd Edition) (**Recommendations**). The Recommendations are not mandatory, however the Recommendations that will not be followed have been identified and reasons have been provided for not following them.

The Company's Corporate Governance Plan has been posted on the Company's website at http://www.frmetals.com.au/corporate-governance-statement.html

| PRINCIPLES AND RECOMMENDATIONS | COMPLY (YES/NO) | EXPLANATION | | |
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| Principle 1: Lay solid foundations for management and oversight | | | | |
| Recommendation 1.1 | | The Company has adopted a Board Charter. | | |
| A listed entity should have and disclose a charter which sets out the respective roles and responsibilities of the board, the chair and management; and includes a description of those matters expressly reserved to the board and those delegated to management. | YES | The Board Charter sets out the specific responsibilities of the Board, requirements as to the Boards composition, the roles and responsibilities of the Chairman and Company Secretary, the establishment, operation and management of Board Committees, Directors access to Company records and information, details of the Board's relationship with management, details of the Board's performance review and details of the Board's disclosure policy. A copy of the Company's Board Charter is available on the Company's website. | | |
| Recommendation 1.2 A listed entity should: | YES | a) The Company undertakes appropriate checks in accordance with the guidelines for the appointment and selection of the Board in its Corporate Governance Plan. The Company's Nomination Committee Charter (in the Company's Corporate | | |

| (a) undertake appropriate checks before appointing a person, or putting forward to security holders a candidate for election, as a director; and (b) provide security holders with all material information relevant to a decision on whether to elect or re-elect a director. | | Governance Plan) requires the Nomination Committee (or, in its absence, or if one has not yet been established, the Board) to ensure appropriate checks (including checks in respect of character, experience, education, criminal record and bankruptcy history (as appropriate)) are undertaken before appointing a person, or putting forward to security holders a candidate for election, as a Director. b) Under the Nomination Committee Charter, all material information relevant to a decision on whether to elect or re-elect a Director must be provided to security holders in the Notice of Meeting containing the resolution to elect or re-elect a Director. |
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| Recommendation 1.3 A listed entity should have a written agreement with each director and senior executive setting out the terms of their appointment. | YES | The Company's Nomination Committee Charter requires the Board, in the absence of a Nomination Committee, to ensure that each Director and senior executive is a party to a written agreement with the Company which sets out the terms of that Director's or senior executive's appointment. The Company has written agreements with each of its Directors and senior executives. |
| Recommendation 1.4 The company secretary of a listed entity should be accountable directly to the board, through the chair, on all matters to do with the proper functioning of the board. | YES | The Company's Nomination Committee Charter requires the Board, in the absence of a Nomination Committee, to ensure that each Director and senior executive is a party to a written agreement with the Company which sets out the terms of that Director's or senior executive's appointment. The Company has written agreements with each of its Directors and senior executives. |
| Recommendation 1.5 A listed entity should: (a) have a diversity policy which includes requirements for the board: (i) to set measurable objectives for achieving gender diversity; and (ii) to assess annually both the objectives and the entity's progress in achieving them; | NO | a) The Company has adopted a Diversity Policy which provides a framework for the Company to establish and achieve measurable diversity objectives, including in respect of gender diversity. The Diversity Policy allows the Board to set measurable gender diversity objectives, if considered appropriate, and to assess annually both the objectives if any have been set and the Company's progress in achieving them. |

| (b) disclose that policy or a summary or it; and | | b) The Diversity Policy is available, as part of the Corporate Governance Plan, on the Company's website. |
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| (c) disclose as at the end of each reporting period: (i) the measurable objectives for achieving gender diversity set by the board in accordance with the entity's diversity policy and its progress towards achieving them; and (ii) either: (A) the respective proportions of men and women on the board, in senior executive positions and across the whole organisation (including how the entity has defined "senior executive" for these purposes); or (B) the entity's "Gender Equality Indicators", as defined in the Workplace Gender Equality Act 2012. | | i) The Board does not presently intend to set measurable gender diversity objectives because: A) it is the Board's view that the existing Directors and senior executives have sufficient skill and experience to carry out the Company's plans; and B) if it becomes necessary to appoint any new Directors or senior executives, the Board considered the application of a measurable gender diversity objective requiring a specified proportion of women on the Board and in senior executive roles will, given the small size of the Company and the Board, unduly limit the Company from applying the Diversity Policy as a whole and the Company's policy of appointing based on skills and merit; and ii) the respective proportions of men and women on the Board, in senior executive positions and across the whole organisation (including how the entity has defined "senior executive" for these purposes) for each financial year will be disclosed in the Company's Annual Report. |
| Recommendation 1.6 A listed entity should: (a) have and disclose a process for periodically evaluating the performance of the board, its committees and individual directors; and | YES | a) The Board, in the absence of a Nomination Committee, is responsible for evaluating the performance of the Board, its committees and individual Directors on an annual basis. It may do so with the aid of an independent advisor. The process for this is set out in the Company's Corporate Governance Plan, which is available on the Company's website. |

| (b) disclose in relation to each reporting period, whether a performance evaluation was undertaken in the reporting period in accordance with that process. | | During the 2019 financial year, the Board undertook ad hoc reviews of respective directors in accordance with its Corporate Governance Plan. |
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| Recommendation 1.7 A listed entity should: (a) have and disclose a process for periodically evaluating the performance of its senior executives; and (b) disclose in relation to each reporting period, whether a performance evaluation was undertaken in the reporting period in accordance with that process. | YES | a) The Board, in the absence of a Remuneration Committee is responsible for evaluating the performance of the Company's senior executives on an annual basis. A senior executive, for these purposes, means key management personnel (as defined in the Corporations Act) other than a non-executive Director. The Company's Corporate Governance Plan provides that the duties of the Remuneration Committee include the review of on-going appropriateness and relevance of the executive remuneration and make recommendations to the Board having regard to the executive remuneration policy disclose whether performance. As part of this review, the Remuneration Committee will oversee an annual performance evaluation of the executive team. b) During the 2019 financial year, the Board reviewed each senior executive over a series of informal discussions to satisfy itself that strategic objectives are being achieved. |
| Principle 2: Structure the board to add value | | |
| Recommendation 2.1 | | a) The Company does not currently have a Nomination Committee. The Company's Nomination Committee Charter provides for the |
| The board of a listed entity should: (a) have a nomination committee which: (i) has at least three members, a majority of whom are independent directors; and (ii) is chaired by an independent director, and disclose: (iii) the charter of the committee; (iv) the members of the committee; and | NO | creation of a Nomination Committee (if it is considered it will benefit the Company), with at least three members, a majority of whom are independent Directors, and which must be chaired by an independent Director. b) The Company does not have a Nomination Committee as the Board considers the Company will not currently benefit from its establishment. In accordance with the Company's Board Charter, the Board carries out the duties that would ordinarily be carried out by the Nomination Committee under the Nomination Committee Charter, including the following processes to address succession issues and to ensure the Board has the appropriate balance of skills, experience, independence and knowledge of |

| (v) as at the end of each reporting period, the number of times the committee met throughout the period and the individual attendances of the members at those meetings; or (b) if it does not have a nomination committee, disclose that fact and the processes it employs to address board succession issues and to ensure that the board has the appropriate balance of skills, experience, independence and knowledge of the entity to enable it to discharge its duties and responsibilities effectively. | | the entity to enable it to discharge its effectively i) devoting time at least ann succession issues and updating t matrix; and ii) all Board members being invonmination process, to the mounder the Corporations Act and | ually to discuss Board he Company's Board skills blved in the Company's aximum extent permitted |
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| Recommendation 2.2 A listed entity should have and disclose a board skill matrix setting out the mix of skills and diversity that the board currently has or is looking to achieve in its membership. | YES | The Company has a Board skill matrix setting diversity that the Board currently has or is I membership. A copy is available in the Comp Board Charter requires the disclosure of qualifications and expertise. Full details as to executive's relevant skills and experience Company's Annual Report. The Company has identified the following as required by the Board to successfully service the have measured to these areas in the skills matrix | looking to achieve in its pany's Annual Report. The each Board member's each Director and senior are available in the sthe main areas of skills e Company. The Directors |
| | | Skills and Experience | Board representation (out of 3 Directors) |
| | | Executive and Non-Executive experience | 3 |
| | | Industry experience and knowledge | 3 |
| | | Leadership | 3 |
| | | Corporate governance and risk management | 3 |
| | | Strategic thinking | 3 |

| Geological and Exploration experience | 1 |
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| Listed Companies | 3 |
| Subject matter expertise - Exploration - Capital markets - Corporate financing - Industry taxation - Risk management The Board Charter requires the disclosure of equalifications and expertise as set out in the Cmatrix. Full details as to each director and senioskills and experience are available in the Anr Company's website. | 1 3 2 1 3 ach board members ompany's Board skills r executive's relevant |

| | Aidan Platel | Tom Bahen | Zane Lewis |
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| Executive/Non-Executive Experience | ✓ | ✓ | √ |
| Industry experience and knowledge | √ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Leadership | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Corporate governance and risk management | √ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Strategic thinking | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Exploration and Geology | ✓ | - | - |
| Listed Companies | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Accounting & Finance | - | ✓ | ✓ |
| Equity Markets | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |

| (a) the names of the directors considered by the board to be independent directors; (b) if a director has an interest, position, association or relationship of the type described in Box 2.3 of the ASX Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendation (3rd Edition), but the board believes it does not compromise the independence of the director, the nature of the interest, position, association or relationship in question and an explanation of why the board is of that opinion; and (c) the length of service of each director | YES | independent in its Annual Report and on its ASX website. Aidan Platel, Zane Lewis and Thomas Bahen are independent directors. b) The Company has provided details of any departures from Principle 2 in its Annual Report. c) The Company's Annual Report will disclose the length of service of each Director, as at the end of each financial year. |
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| Recommendation 2.4 | | The Board currently comprises a total of three directors, of which three |
| A majority of the board of a listed entity should be independent directors. | YES | are considered to be independent. |
| Recommendation 2.5 | YES | |
| The chair of the board of a listed entity should be an independent director and, in particular, should not be the same person as the CEO of the entity. | . 20 | |
| Recommendation 2.6 | | In accordance with the Company's Board Charter, the Board, in the |
| A listed entity should have a program for inducting new directors and providing appropriate professional development opportunities for continuing directors to develop and maintain the skills and knowledge needed to perform their role as a director effectively. | YES | absence of a Nomination Committee, is responsible for the approval and review of induction and continuing professional development programs and procedures for Directors to ensure that they can effectively discharge their responsibilities. The Company Secretary is responsible for facilitating inductions and professional development. |
| Principle 3: Act ethically and responsibly | | |
| Recommendation 3.1 | | a) The Company's Corporate Code of Conduct applies to the |
| A listed entity should: | YES | Company's Directors, senior executives and employees. |

| (a) have a code of conduct for its directors, senior executives and employees; and (b) disclose that code or a summary of it. Principle 4: Safeguard integrity in financial reporting | | b) The Company's Corporate Code of Conduct (which forms part of the Company's Corporate Governance Plan) is available on the Company's website. |
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| Recommendation 4.1 The board of a listed entity should: (a) have an audit committee which: (i) has at least three members, all of whom are non-executive directors and a majority of whom are independent directors; and (ii) is chaired by an independent director, who is not the chair of the board, and disclose: (iii) the charter of the committee; (iv) the relevant qualifications and experience of the members of the committee; and (v) in relation to each reporting period, the number of times the committee met throughout the period and the individual attendances of the members at those meetings; or (b) if it does not have an audit committee, disclose that fact and the processes it employs that independently verify and safeguard the integrity of its financial reporting, including the processes for the appointment and removal of the external auditor and the rotation of the audit engagement partner. | NO | a) The Company does not currently have an Audit and Risk Committee. The Company's Corporate Governance Plan contains an Audit and Risk Committee Charter that provides for the creation of an Audit and Risk Committee (if it is considered it will benefit the Company). b) The Board carries out the duties that would ordinarily be carried out by the Audit and Risk Committee under the Audit and Risk Committee Charter including the following processes to independently verify and safeguard the integrity of its financial reporting, including the processes for the appointment and removal of the external auditor and the rotation of the audit engagement partner: i) the Board devotes time at annual Board meetings to fulfilling the roles and responsibilities associated with maintaining the Company's internal audit function and arrangements with external auditors; and ii) all members of the Board are involved in the Company's audit function to ensure the proper maintenance of the entity and the integrity of all financial reporting. |
| Recommendation 4.2 | | The Company's Audit and Risk Committee Charter requires the CEO and CFO (or, if none, the person(s) fulfilling those functions) to provide a sign |

| The board of a listed entity should, before it approves the entity's financial statements for a financial period, receive from its CEO and CFO a declaration that the financial records of the entity have been properly maintained and that the financial statements comply with the appropriate accounting standards and give a true and fair view of the financial position and performance of the entity and that the opinion has been formed on the basis of a sound system of risk management and internal control which is operating effectively. | YES | off on these terms. The Company intends to obtain a sign off on these terms for each of its financial statements in each financial year. |
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| Recommendation 4.3 A listed entity that has an AGM should ensure that its external auditor attends its AGM and is available to answer questions from security holders relevant to the audit. | YES | The Company's Corporate Governance Plan provides that the Board must ensure the Company's external auditor attends its AGM and is available to answer questions from security holders relevant to the audit. |
| Principle 5: Make timely and balanced disclosure | | |
| Recommendation 5.1 A listed entity should: (a) have a written policy for complying with its continuous disclosure obligations under the Listing Rules; and | YES | a) The Board Charter provides details of the Company's continuous disclosure policy. In addition, the Corporate Governance Plan details the Company's disclosure requirements as required by the ASX Listing Rules and other relevant legislation. b) The Corporate Governance Plan, which incorporates the Board Charter, is available on the Company website. |
| (b) disclose that policy or a summary of it. | | |
| Principle 6: Respect the rights of security holders | | |
| Recommendation 6.1 A listed entity should provide information about itself and its governance to investors via its website. | YES | Information about the Company and its governance is available in the Corporate Governance Plan which can be found on the Company's website. |
| Recommendation 6.2 | | The Company has adopted a Shareholder Communications Strategy which aims to promote and facilitate effective two-way communication with investors. The Strategy outlines a range of ways in which information |

| A listed entity should design and implement an investor relations program to facilitate effective two-way communication with investors. | YES | is communicated to shareholders and is available on the Company's website as part of the Company's Corporate Governance Plan. |
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| Recommendation 6.3 A listed entity should disclose the policies and processes it has in place to facilitate and encourage participation at meetings of security holders. | YES | Shareholders are encouraged to participate at all general meetings and AGMs of the Company. Upon the despatch of any notice of meeting to Shareholders, the Company Secretary shall send out material stating that all Shareholders are encouraged to participate at the meeting. |
| Recommendation 6.4 A listed entity should give security holders the option to receive communications from, and send communications to, the entity and its security registry electronically. | YES | The Shareholder Communication Strategy provides that security holders can register with the Company to receive email notifications when an announcement is made by the Company to the ASX, including the release of the Annual Report, half yearly reports and quarterly reports. Links are made available to the Company's website on which all information provided to the ASX is immediately posted. Shareholders queries should be referred to the Company Secretary at first instance. |
| Principle 7: Recognise and manage risk | | |
| Recommendation 7.1 The board of a listed entity should: (a) have a committee or committees to oversee risk, each of which: (i) has at least three members, a majority of whom are independent directors; and (ii) is chaired by an independent director, and disclose: (iii) the charter of the committee; (iv) the members of the committee; and (v) as at the end of each reporting period, the number of times the committee met throughout the period and the individual attendances of the members at those meetings; or | NO | (a) The Company does not currently have an Audit and Risk Committee as the Board consider the Company will not currently benefit from its establishment. The Company's Corporate Governance Plan contains an Audit and Risk Committee Charter that provides for the creation of an Audit and Risk Committee (if it is considered it will benefit the Company). A copy of the Corporate Governance Plan is available on the Company's website. (b) In accordance with the Company's Board Charter, the Board carries out the duties that would ordinarily be carried out by the Audit and Risk Committee under the Audit and Risk Committee Charter including the following processes to oversee the entity's risk management framework: i) the Board devotes time at quarterly Board meetings to fulfilling the roles and responsibilities associated with overseeing risk and maintaining the entity's risk |

| (b) if it does not have a risk committee or committees that satisfy (a) above, disclose that fact and the process it employs for overseeing the entity's risk management framework. | | management framework and associated internal compliance and control procedures; and ii) the Board has required management to design and implement risk management and internal control systems to manage the Company's material business risks and has required management to report to it on whether those risks are being managed effectively; and iii) the Chief Executive Officer reports to the Board as to the effectiveness of the Company's management of its material business risks. |
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| Recommendation 7.2 | \/F2 | a) The Audit and Risk Committee Charter requires that the Board, in the absence of an Audit and Risk Committee, should, at least |
| The board or a committee of the board should: | YES | annually, satisfy itself that the Company's risk management framework continues to be sound. |
| (a) review the entity's risk management framework with management at least annually to satisfy itself that it continues to be sound, to determine whether there have been any changes in the material business risks the entity faces and to ensure that they remain within the risk appetite set by the board; and | | b) The Company's Corporate Governance Plan requires the Company to disclose at least annually whether such a review of the company's risk management framework has taken place. |
| (b) disclose in relation to each reporting period, whether such a review has taken place. | | |
| Recommendation 7.3 | | a) The Company does not currently have an internal audit function. b) The Audit and Risk Committee Charter provides for the Board, in |
| A listed entity should disclose: | YES | the absence of an Audit and Risk Committee, to monitor the need for an internal audit function. The Board plays an active role |
| (a) if it has an internal audit function, how the function is structured and what role it performs; or | | in monitoring the daily affairs of the Company. Each Board member has access to external auditors and the auditor has access to each Board Member. In the event of a resignation of |
| (b) if it does not have an internal audit function, that fact and the processes it employs for evaluating and continually improving the effectiveness of its risk management and internal control processes. | | external auditors, the Board will appoint a new external auditor which is subsequently ratified by shareholders in general meeting. In all other cases an external auditor is appointed by shareholders in general meeting. An external auditor can be removed by |

| | | shareholders in general meeting. The Board does not have a policy for the rotation of external audit engagement partners. |
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| Recommendation 7.4 A listed entity should disclose whether, and if so how, it has regard to economic, environmental and social sustainability risks and, if it does, how it manages or intends to manage those risks. | YES | The Audit and Risk Committee Charter requires the Board, in the absence of an Audit and Risk Committee, to assist management determine whether the Company has any material exposure to economic, environmental and social sustainability risks and, if it does, how it manages or intends to manage those risks. The Company's Corporate Governance Plan requires the Company to disclose whether it has any material exposure to economic, environmental and social sustainability risks and, if it does, how it manages or intends to manage those risks. The Company will disclose this information in its Annual Report and on its ASX website as part of its continuous disclosure obligations. |
| Principle 8: Remunerate fairly and responsibly | | |
| Recommendation 8.1 The board of a listed entity should: (a) have a remuneration committee which: (i) has at least three members, a majority of whom are independent directors; and (ii) is chaired by an independent director, and disclose: (iii) the charter of the committee; (iv) the members of the committee; and (v) as at the end of each reporting period, the number of times the committee met throughout the period and the individual attendances of the members at those meetings; or | NO | a) The Company does not currently have a Remuneration Committee as the Board considers the Company will not currently benefit from its establishment. The Company's Corporate Governance Plan contains a Remuneration Committee Charter that provides for the creation of a Remuneration Committee (if it is considered it will benefit the Company). b) In accordance with the Company's Board Charter, the Board carries out the duties that would ordinarily be carried out by the Remuneration Committee under the Remuneration Committee Charter including the following processes to set the level and composition of remuneration for Directors and senior executives and ensuring that such remuneration is appropriate and not excessive: i) the Board devotes time at the annual Board meeting to assess the level and composition of remuneration for Directors and senior executives; |
| (b) if it does not have a remuneration committee, disclose that fact | | ii) the Company has not adopted any schemes for retirement benefits; |
| and the processes it employs for setting the level and composition | | reilrement benefits; |

| of remuneration for directors and senior executives and ensuring that such remuneration is appropriate and not excessive. | | iii) the total maximum remuneration of non-executive Directors is initially set by the Constitution and subsequent variation is by ordinary resolution of the shareholders in general meeting; and iv) the determination of non-executive Directors' remuneration within the maximum amount fixed will be made by the Board having regard to the inputs and value to the Company or the respective contributions be each non-executive Director. |
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| A listed entity should separately disclose its policies and practices regarding the remuneration of non-executive directors and the remuneration of executive directors and other senior executives and ensure that the different roles and responsibilities of non-executive directors compared to executive directors and other senior executives are reflected in the level and composition of their remuneration. | YES | The Company's Corporate Governance Plan requires the Board to disclose its policies and practices regarding the remuneration of Directors and senior executives, which is disclosed on the Company's website. |
| Recommendation 8.3 A listed entity which has an equity-based remuneration scheme should: (a) have a policy on whether participants are permitted to enter into transactions (whether through the use of derivatives or otherwise) which limit the economic risk of participating in the scheme; and (b) disclose that policy or a summary of it. | YES | a) The Company does not currently have an equity-based remuneration scheme. In any event, the Company's securities trading policy includes prohibitions on hedging & derivative trading in respect of participants in any Company share, option, performance rights or other plan or similar arrangement which limit the economic risk of participating in such schemes. b) The securities trading policy is available on the Company's website. |