



ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

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Stavely Successful in \$1.75m JMEI Application for Eligible Investors in 2020/2021

Stavely Minerals Limited (ASX:SVY) (**‘Stavely Minerals’**) advises that it has been successful in its application for participation in the Federal Government’s Junior Minerals Exploration Incentive (“JMEI”) scheme for the 2020/2021 income year. The Company has received an allocation of up to \$1,750,000 in tax credits which can be distributed to eligible investors. The scheme is voluntary and companies must apply each year to participate. This is the third year in succession that Stavely Minerals has been successful in receiving an allocation of JMEI credits. Stavely’s JMEI for 2018/2019 of \$1.576 million resulted in an average credit of 5.7 cents per share to each eligible investor in that year. The JMEI for 2019/2020 of \$1.35 million is expected to result in a credit of over 6.8 cents per share to each eligible investor for that year (subject to finalisation of Stavely’s 2019/2020 tax return).

The JMEI scheme encourages investment in exploration companies undertaking greenfields mineral exploration in Australia, by creating exploration credits using a portion of their tax losses from eligible exploration expenditure and distributing these exploration credits to investors who contribute new equity. The exploration company’s carry forward losses are reduced proportionately to reflect the amount of exploration credits created.

Eligible investors must be Australian resident shareholders who apply for and are issued new shares in the Company’s capital raising activities between 9 July 2020 and 30 June 2021. JMEI credits will be distributed to all eligible investors on a pro-rata basis. The precise amount of credit per share issued will be determined after 30 June 2021 and is based on total capital raised during the year to 30 June 2021, together with the amount of eligible exploration expenditure for the year, and the tax result of the Company.

Australian resident shareholders that are issued with JMEI credits will be entitled to a refundable tax offset (for shareholders who are individuals or superannuation funds) or franking credits (for shareholders who are companies).

The JMEI credits will apply to the 2020/2021 tax year and can be issued by the Company after lodgement of its 30 June 2021 tax return. Eligible shareholders will be notified of their JMEI credit entitlement in the approved form once the Company has lodged its 2020/2021 tax return, and the JMEI credits will apply to their income tax assessment for the year ended 30 June 2021.

Yours faithfully,



Chris Cairns
Executive Chairman and Managing Director

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