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# **Quarterly Report for the Period Ending 31 March 2015**

The Board of Black Mountain Resources Limited ("**Black Mountain**" or the "**Company**"), the silver focused development company with interests in the US, provides the following commentary regarding its activities during the three months ended 31 March 2015 and the Appendix 5B (Quarterly Cash Flow Report).

#### **OPERATIONS**

#### **New Departure Silver Project**

The New Departure Silver Project in Montana, USA is the Company principal's asset. Since it was discovered in the 1880's, New Departure has produced high grade silver through several operators up until mining was halted in the 1980s

The Company remains focused on restarting initial high grade silver production at New Departure from two mining blocks an initial mining rate of 250tpd.

Mine site and field work during the Quarter was limited due to the seasonal weather, that restricted access to the project site and continued negotiations on appropriate financing moving forward.

The Company's technical team and consultants however continued to focus on updating and optimizing mine planning work associated with the Company's strategy of initially developing the high grade areas of the upper Coppin Level at New Departure before focussing on the Blue Dot Level.

#### **Conjecture Silver Project**

No significant work was undertaken at the Conjecture Silver Project during the Quarter.

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#### Corporate

During the Quarter the Company advanced discussions with its existing financiers regarding a potential restructure of its debt facilities. These discussions follow the delays in development of New Departure, the prevailing silver price and the very difficult prevailing market conditions for junior resource companies that have impacted the Company's ability to secure the necessary long term development funding for New Departure.

Further discussions in respect to the long term development funding for New Departure continued throughout the Quarter, although no significant progress was made. These discussions have continued into the current quarter and the Company anticipates further updates on this will be provided to shareholders this quarter.

#### **Cancellation of AIM Listing**

On 20 April 2015 the AIM regulators cancelled the Company's AIM traded securities. The Company's securities had been suspended on AIM since 19 March 2015, pending the replacement of the Company's Nomad. Unfortunately on Friday 17 April 2015, the Nomad that had accepted the role moving forward with all relevant announcements prepared gave notice that they regrettably could not continue due to circumstances outside of BMZ. At such a late stage, there was no time for BMZ to find another Nomad to take on the role and as such AIM Regulation has given notice of the cancellation despite requests for an extension given the circumstances.

Appropriate arrangements are being made for all BMZ security holders whose securities were trading on AIM to be registered on the Company's Australian register of members and for the holders to be able to trade their securities on the ASX. The Company's Registrar, Computershare Investor Services Pty Ltd, are writing to all security holders to advise the process.

For and on behalf of the Board



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#### **About Black Mountain Resources Limited**

Black Mountain Resources Limited is a dual listed (ASX: BMZ) silver and gold focused development company focussed on the advancement of three highly prospective previously operating assets located in two of the world's most developed and proven silver and gold mining regions of Idaho and Montana, USA.

The Company holds a 70% interest in the New Departure Silver Project and the Conjecture Silver Project pursuant to 45 year leases from Chester Mining Company and Lucky Friday Extension Mining Company respectively. Black Mountain plans to implement low cost production and development programmes across these two assets. It is also implementing exploration programmes to capitalise on the exploration upside potential apparent across its portfolio.

Black Mountain Resources Limited was incorporated on 29 October 2010 and is listed on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX) and London's AIM Market – trading codes BMZ and BMZO.



#### **Competent Persons Statement**

The information included in this release that relates to historical mining data and exploration results is based on information compiled by Mr. James Baughman, a technical consultant to the Company. Mr. Baughman is a qualified geologist and has sufficient experience in exploration and mine development which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2004 Edition of the 'Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves'. Mr. Baughman has reviewed this release and consents to the inclusion in the release of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

#### Forward Looking Statement

Certain statements made during or in connection with this communication, including, without limitation, those concerning the economic outlook for the silver market, expectations regarding silver ore prices, production, cash costs and other operating results growth prospects and the outlook of the Company's operations including the likely commencement of commercial operations of the New Departure and Conjecture Silver Projects, its liquidity and the capital resources and expenditure, contain or comprise certain forward-looking statements regarding the Company's development and exploration operations economic performance and financial condition. Although the Company believes that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, no assurance can be given that such expectations will prove to have been correct. Accordingly, results could differ materially from those set out in the forward-looking statements as a result of, among other factors, changes in economic and market conditions, success of business and operating initiatives, changes in the regulatory environment and other government actions, fluctuations in silver ore prices and exchange rates and business and operational risk management. For a discussion of such factors refer to the Company's most recent annual report and half year report. The Company undertakes no obligation to update publicly or release any revisions to these forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances after today's date or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events.



Mining Tenement (Claim)	Reference (BLM Serial No.)	Interest Held
Ν	ew Departure Silver Project, Montana US	
IM 1- 12	MMC224987 – 224998	70%
IM 14 – 18	MMC225000 – 225004	70%
IM 24	MMC225010	70%
IM 27-30, 32, 34-70	MMC226248 – 226289	70%
MOTHER LODE – 8431	-	70%
DIRECTOR LODE – 5600	-	70%
PROTECTOR LODE – 5601	-	70%
SHIELD LODE – 5602	-	70%
CLIFF LODE – 2264	-	70%
GUARDIAN LODE – 2411	-	70%
QUIEN SABE LODE – 2265	-	70%
SIGNAL LODE – 2505A	-	70%
	Conjecture Silver Project, Idaho US	
SPIDER – SURVEYOR GENERAL'S	-	70%
SURVEY #2683		
CONJECTURE – SURVEYOR	-	70%
GENERAL'S SURVEY #2683		
RAINBOW – SURVEYOR GENERAL'S	-	70%
SURVEY #2689		
COMET – SURVEYOR GENERAL'S	-	70%
SURVEY #3071		
LUCKY STRIKE – SURVEYOR	-	70%
GENERAL'S SURVEY #2744		
SILVER CORD – SURVEYOR	-	70%
GENERAL'S SURVEY #2744		
FEDS #1 - #4	IMC206019 - 206022	70%
FEDCO FR	IMC206023	70%
FEDCO #2	IMC206024	70%
NORTHSIDE #1 - #4	IMC206025 - 206028	70%
METEOR #6	IMC206029	70%
METEOR #7	IMC206030	70%
MET #3 - #5	IMC206031 - 206033	70%
UFCO #1	IMC206034	70%
UFCO #2	IMC206035	70%
STAR #4	IMC206036	70%
STAR #5	IMC206037	70%
ROBIN	IMC206038	70%
MARS #1	IMC206039	70%
MARS #2	IMC206040	70%
MARS #4	IMC206041	70%
MARS #6	IMC206042	70%
METEOR #1	IMC206043	70%
METEOR #2	IMC206044	70%
METEOR #18	IMC206045	70%
LAKEVIEW 1-81	IMC210780 -210860	70%
	IMC210780-210783,	70%
	IMC210796,	
LAKEVIEW 1-4,17,29-33,43-47,58-60	IMC210808-210812,	
	IMC210822-210826,	
	IMC210837-210839	
CC 1-20	IMC212242-212261	70%
HEWER NO. 2-4	IMC13736-13738	100%
HEWER NO. 5	IMC13739	100%



BUNCO	IMC103971	100%
HEWER NO. 1 MILLSITE	IMC13743	100%
IDAHO LAKEVIEW NO. 6 MILLSITE	IMC13746	100%
IDAHO LAKEVIEW NO. 9 MILLSITE	IMC13749	100%
TIP TOP MILLSITE	IMC13753	100%

Rule 5.3

# **Appendix 5B**

# Mining exploration entity quarterly report

Introduced 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 8. Amended 1/7/97, 1/7/98, 30/9/2001.

Name of entity

#### BLACK MOUNTAIN RESOURCES LIMITED

ABN

55 147 106 974

Quarter ended ("current quarter") 31 MARCH 2015

#### Consolidated statement of cash flows

Cash flows related to operating activities		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
1.1	Receipts from product sales and related debtors	-	-
1.2	Payments for		
	(a) exploration, permitting & evaluation	-	-
	(b) development & equipment	(63)	(303)
	(c) production	-	-
	(d) administration	(10)	(124)
1.3	Dividends received	-	-
1.4	Interest and other items of a similar nature		
	received	-	-
1.5	Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6	Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7	Other Receipts (refunds)	-	207
2.7	Other	-	-
	Net Operating Cash Flows	(73)	(220)
	Cook flows solated to investige activities		
1.8	Cash flows related to investing activities Payment for purchases of:		
1.8	(a)prospects		
	(b)equity investments	-	-
	(c) new project acquisition	-	-
1.9	Proceeds from sale of:	-	-
1.9	(a)prospects		
	(b)equity investments	_	-
	(c)other fixed assets	_	126
1.10	Loans from other entities	-	-
1.10	Loans repaid by other entities	-	-
1.12	Proceeds from underwriting	-	-
	Net investing cash flows	-	126
1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows		
	(carried forward)	(73)	(94)

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows	(72)	(04)
	(brought forward)	(73)	(94)
	Cash flows related to financing activities		
1.14	Proceeds from raising	-	-
1.15	Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares	-	-
1.16	Proceeds from borrowings	70	270
1.17	Repayment of borrowings	-	(212)
1.18	Dividends paid	-	-
1.19	Costs associated with issue of shares	-	-
	Net financing cash flows	70	58
	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(3)	(36)
1.20	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	28	62
1.21	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	2	1
1.22	Cash at end of quarter	27	27

# Payments to directors of the entity and associates of the directors Payments to related entities of the entity and associates of the related entities

		Current quarter \$A'000
1.23	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	Nil
1.24	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	Nil
1.25	Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions	

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 Nil

## Non-cash financing and investing activities

- 2.1 Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows
   Nil
- 2.2 Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their share in projects in which the reporting entity has an interest

Nil

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#### Financing facilities available

Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position.

		Amount available	Amount used
		\$A'000	\$A'000
3.1	Loan facilities	3,000	1,570
3.2	Credit standby arrangements	Nil	-

## Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

	Total	200
4.4	Administration	100
4.3	Production	-
4.2	Development and equipment	100
4.1	Exploration, permitting and evaluation	-
		\$A'000

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# **Reconciliation of cash**

Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.		Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1	Cash on hand and at bank	27	28
5.2	Deposits at call	-	-
5.3	Bank overdraft	-	-
5.4	Other – Term Deposit	-	-
	Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	27	28

## Changes in interests in mining tenements

		Tenement reference	Nature of interest (note (2))	Interest at beginning of quarter	Interest at end of quarter
6.1	Interests in mining tenements relinquished, reduced or lapsed	N/A	See additional information appendix		
6.2	Interests in mining tenements acquired or increased	N/A	See additional information appendix		

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## Issued and quoted securities at end of current quarter

Description includes rate of interest and any redemption or conversion rights together with prices and dates.

		Total number	Number quoted	Issue price per security (see note 3) (cents)	Amount paid up per security (see note 3) (cents)
7.1	<b>Preference *securities</b> (description)	Nil			
7.2	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy- backs, redemptions	Nil			
7.3	*Ordinary securities	119,625,361	119,625,361		
7.4	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy- backs	Nil Nil	Nil		
7.5	<pre>*Convertible debt securities (description)</pre>	Nil			
7.6	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through securities matured, converted	Nil			
7.7	<b>Options</b> (description and conversion factor)	2,000,000 51,123,750	Nil 51,123,750	\$0.30 \$0.20	
7.8	Issued during quarter	Nil	Nil		
7.9	Exercised during quarter	Nil	Nil		
7.10	Expired during quarter	Nil	Nil		
7.11	<b>Debentures</b> (totals only)	Nil	Nil		
7.12	Unsecured notes (totals only)	Nil	Nil		
	Performance Based Shares	Nil	Nil		
	Changes during quarter (a) Increases	Nil	Nil	Nil	

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# **Compliance statement**

- 1 This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Act or other standards acceptable to ASX (see note 4).
- 2 This statement does give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Jane Flegg Company Secretary 30 April 2015

# 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 wanting to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes attached to this report.
- 2 The "Nature of interest" (items 6.1 and 6.2) includes options in respect of interests in mining tenements acquired, exercised or lapsed during the reporting period. If the entity is involved in a joint venture agreement and there are conditions precedent which will change its percentage interest in a mining tenement, it should disclose the change of percentage interest and conditions precedent in the list required for items 6.1 and 6.2.
- 3 **Issued and quoted securities** The issue price and amount paid up is not required in items 7.1 and 7.3 for fully paid securities.
- 4 The definitions in, and provisions of, AASB 1022: Accounting for Extractive Industries and AASB 1026: Statement of Cash Flows apply to this report.
- 5 **Accounting Standards** ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Accounting Standards for foreign entities. If the standards used do not address a topic, the Australian standard on that topic (if any) must be complied with.

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