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

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

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 of entity

### CANYON RESOURCES LIMITED

#### ABN

13 140 087 261

We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

### Part 1 - All issues

You must complete the relevant sections (attach sheets if there is not enough space).

- +Class of +securities issued or to be issued
- 1. Shares
- 2. Unlisted options
- Number of \*securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued
- 1. 13,993,281
- 2. 6,996,644
- Principal of the terms 3 +securities (e.g. if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid +securities, amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if +convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)
- 1. Fully paid ordinary
- Unlisted options exercisable at 6 cents each expiring 29 September 2017.

<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

- 1. Yes
- 2. No. The shares issued on the exercise of the options will rank equally with existing ordinary shares.

- 5 Issue price or consideration
- 1. \$0.035 each
- 2. Nil
- 6 Purpose of the issue
  (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)
- Funds to be used for ongoing exploration on the Birsok project and general working capital.
- Options issued to brokers to the share placement (or their nominees).
- 6a Is the entity an \*eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A?

If Yes, complete sections 6b – 6h in relation to the \*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

21 November 2014

6c Number of \*securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1

8,634,836 6,996,643 options 1,638,193 shares

6d Number of \*securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A 12,355,093 shares

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66 Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)  67 Number of *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.  68 If *securities were issued under rule 7.1A,3? Include the *issue date and both values. Include the source of the VWAP calculation.  69 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  70 ASX Market Announcements  71 Assue 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.			
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		Number	+Class
8	Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX	137,544,219	Ordinary shares
	(including the +securities in	14,106,130	Options exercisable
	section 2 if applicable)		at 16 cents each
			expiring 29 February 2016
			_515
		60,843,977	Options exercisable
			at 6 cents each expiring 31 January
			2017
		Number	+Class
9	Number and *class of all *securities not quoted on ASX	3,000,000	Options exercisable
	(including the *securities in section 2 if applicable)		at 16 cents expiring 29 February 2016
		10,000,000	Options exercisable
			at 6.8 cents expiring
			22 February 2017
		6,996,643	Options exercisable
			at 6 cents expiring
			29 September 2017
		10	Class B convertible securities
10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	N/A	
<b>D</b> 4	0 D ( )		
Part	2 - Pro rata issue		
11	Is security holder approval	-	
	required?		
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	-	
12	Ratio in which the +securities		
13	will be offered		
	101 (1 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11		
14	*Class of *securities to which the offer relates	-	
15	*Record date to determine	-	
	entitlements		

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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.	
••	Closing data for receipt of	
19	Closing date for receipt of	<del>-</del>
	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	
- (	Data antidoment and accordance	
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and offer documents will be	-
	sent to persons entitled	
	The state of the s	
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)	
	D	
29	Date rights trading will end (if	-
	applicable)	
30	How do security holders sell	-
	their entitlements in full through	
	a broker?	
21	How do security holders sell <i>part</i>	_
31	of their entitlements through a	_
	broker and accept for the	
	balance?	

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32	of the	do security holders dispose ir entitlements (except by nrough a broker)?	-
33	<sup>+</sup> Issue	date	-
		uotation of securitie	<b>S</b> oplying for quotation of securities
34	Type (tick o	of *securities one)	
(a)	X	<sup>+</sup> Securities described in Part	1
(b)			nd of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, en restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible
Entitie	es tha	t have ticked box 34(a)	
Addit	ional	securities forming a new	class of securities
Tick to docume		you are providing the informat	ion or
35			securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the he number and percentage of additional *securities
36			r securities, a distribution schedule of the additional umber of holders in the categories
37		A copy of any trust deed for	the additional *securities

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Entitie	es 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 *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the *securities in clause 38)	Number	+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.
- 2 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 <sup>+</sup>securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the <sup>+</sup>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 †quotation of the †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:

Date: 18 May 2015

Company secretary

Print name: Phillip MacLeod

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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 *ordinary securities on issue 12 months before the *issue date or date of agreement to issue	97,462,039	
<ul> <li>Add the following:         <ul> <li>Number of fully paid <sup>+</sup>ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2</li> <li>Number of fully paid <sup>+</sup>ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval</li> <li>Number of partly paid <sup>+</sup>ordinary securities that became fully paid in that 12 month period</li> </ul> </li> <li>Note:         <ul> <li>Include only ordinary securities here —</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	7,000,000 10,444,450 8,000,000 644,444	
other classes of equity securities cannot be added  Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed  It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items  Subtract the number of fully paid +ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period	-	
" <b>A</b> "	123,550,933	

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Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"				
"B"	0.15 [Note: this value cannot be changed]			
<b>Multiply</b> "A" by 0.15	18,532,639			
Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1 that has already been used				
Insert number of <sup>+</sup> equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period not counting those issued:	8,634,836			
<ul> <li>Under an exception in rule 7.2</li> </ul>				
• Under rule 7.1A				
<ul> <li>With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4</li> </ul>				
<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"	8,634,836			
Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x "B"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1				
"A" x 0.15	18,532,639			
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2				
Subtract "C"	8,634,836			
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3				
<b>Total</b> ["A" x 0.15] – "C"	9,897,803			
	[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]			

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### Part 2

Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated		
"A"  Note: number must be same as shown in	123,550,933	
Step 1 of Part 1		
Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"		
" <b>D</b> " 0.10		
	Note: this value cannot be changed	
<b>Multiply</b> "A" by 0.10	12,355,093	
Step 3: Calculate "E", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1A that has already been used		
<i>Insert</i> number of <sup>+</sup> equity securities issued	12,355,093	
or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A  Notes:  This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities  Include here – if applicable – the	12,355,093	
or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A  Notes:  This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities	12,355,093	

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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 Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2	12,355,093	
Subtract "E"  Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	12,355,093	
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.10] – "E"	Nil  Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A	

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18 May 2015

The Manager
Australian Stock Exchange Limited ("ASX")
Company Announcements Office

Dear Sir

#### **Placement**

Canyon Resources Limited (ASX: CAY) has completed a placement of 13,993,281 fully paid ordinary shares at a price of 3.5 cents per share (Placement) to raise approximately \$490,000 before costs of the issue. The terms of the placement were previously announced on 8 May 2015. The Company has also issued 6,996,644 unlisted options to brokers to the Placement (or their nominees). The options are exercisable at 6 cents each and expire on 29 September 2017.

As outlined in the Placement announcement of 8 May 2015, Director David Netherway has indicated his intention to subscribe for shares on the same terms as this Placement, subject to shareholder approval.

#### **Information Required Under Listing Rule 3.10.5A**

The Placement shares were issued pursuant to ASX listing rules 7.1 (1,638,193 shares) and 7.1A (12,355,093 shares). The unlisted options were issued pursuant to listing rule 7.1. Canyon provides the following information as required under ASX listing rule 3.10.5A:

a) The dilution to existing shareholders at the time of the Placement as a result of the issue under ASX listing rule 7.1A was 9.1%.

Details of the approximate percentage of the issued capital post the Placement of shares under ASX listing rule 7.1A held by the pre-Placement shareholders and new shareholders are:

Pre-Placement shareholders who did not participate in the Placement	90.9%
Pre-Placement shareholders who did participate	5.9%
Participants in the Placement who were not previously shareholders	3.2%

- b) Canyon issued shares to sophisticated and institutional investors as it was considered to be a more efficient mechanism for raising the funds for this Placement. The Placement did not expose the Company to market volatility that it may have experienced over a more extended capital raising process such as a pro-rata issue;
- c) No underwriting arrangements were in place for the Placement; and

d) The capital raising fees payable to the brokers to the Placement are 6% of the total funds raised. In addition to the capital raising fee, nominees of the participating brokers were issued 6,996,644 unlisted options exercisable at 6 cents each expiring 29 September 2017.

#### **Section 708A Notice**

The shares issued are part of a class of securities quoted on the ASX Limited. The Company gives this notice pursuant to Section 708A(5)(e) of the Corporations Act.

The securities are issued without disclosure to investors under Part 6D.2, in reliance on Section 708A(5) of the Corporations Act. The Company, as at the date of this notice, has complied with:

the provisions of Chapter 2M of the Corporations Act; and Section 674 and 675 of the Corporations Act.

There is no excluded information for the purposes of Sections 708A(7) and (8) of the Corporations Act.

Yours faithfully

Phillip MacLeod

**Company Secretary**