

29 October 2015

# QUARTERLY REPORT FOR THE PERIOD ENDING 30 September 2015

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

Major events for Australasian Resources Ltd. ("Australasian" or "Company") (ASX: ARH) during the quarter were as follows:

#### **CORPORATE**

The Company has continued to receive financial support from its major shareholder.

#### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

There were no Health or Safety incidents to report for the Quarter.

#### **FINANCES**

There has been ongoing support of the company by its major shareholder who has reserved the right to convert any loans via the issue of company shares at market price in order to settle any outstanding amounts. There were additional funds transferred during the quarter of \$108,532 and at the end of the period the outstanding loan is \$2,945,063.

The loan has been provided on an interest free basis; this ongoing financial support via loans has the benefit of not further diluting existing shareholders present holdings.

The company is presently suspended on the Australian Stock Exchange due to the non lodgement of its Annual Report. In order to receive final audit clearance from it's auditors the company has one remaining outstanding item to complete. The company anticipates lodge its Annual Report in the near future.

#### COMMERCIAL

There has been no further formal advice on the request for a 5 year extension of the granted environmental approval from the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Mineralogy, on behalf of International Minerals (a 50/50 joint venture), has applied for this extension. The company has received a request from The Office of the Environmental Protection Authority for additional information on the Balmoral deposit. Upon receipt of this information the EPA will be in a position to proceed with the application.

## **ASX Code: ARH**

# **Company overview**

Australasian Resources is an iron ore company currently developing the worldclass Balmoral South Iron Ore Project in the Pilbara region of Western Australia.

#### **Fast Facts**

ASX Code: ARH Shares on Issue: 489M

## **Board of Directors**

Mr Domenic Martino Chairman
Mr Paul Piercy Director
Mr Clive Mensink Director

# **Company Secretary**

Mr Grant Rvan

## **Chief Executive Officer**

Mr Grant Ryan

## **Major Shareholding**

Professor Clive Palmer and Associates	69.83%
Timefull Investments (Shougang Concord)	5.72%
JP morgan Nominees Australia Limited (APAC Resources)	4.27%
Australian Minerals (Hong Kong) Holding Ltd	3.16%

## **Balmoral Project Highlights**

- JV arrangement with Mineralogy increased BSIOP to 2 billion tonnes of magnetite iron ore:
- Feasibility Study Completed;
- Federal Ministerial Approval;
- State Ministerial Approval.



#### **BALMORAL SOUTH PROJECT**

The Company, through its 50% ownership of International Minerals Pty Ltd., plans to develop the world-class Balmoral South Iron Ore Project (BSIOP) in the Pilbara region of Western Australia. The Balmoral South deposit is located approximately 80km southwest of the town of Karratha and 30km from a port currently under construction by CITIC Pacific Mining Management Pty Ltd. (CPMM) at Cape Preston.

No activity has taken place on the BSIOP during the quarter.

#### **EXPLORATION**

SHERLOCK BAY NICKEL AND SHERLOCK EXTENDED PROJECT (BASE METALS)
The Company's Sherlock Bay Nickel Project (100% Australasian) includes the Sherlock Bay Nickel Deposit and is located east of Karratha, in the Pilbara Region of Western Australia. The Sherlock Extended Project (70% Australasian) surrounds the main Sherlock Bay nickel deposit.

The Sherlock Extended Project is a joint venture between Australasian and Metals Australia Ltd (30% interest). Australasian are the managers of the project, with Metals Australia being 'free-carried' through to the completion of a bankable feasibility study and the decision to commence commercial mining.

No activity has taken place on the Sherlock Bay Nickel or Sherlock Extended Project during the quarter.

For and on behalf of Australasian Resources Limited

Grant Ryan

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