



ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

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Issue of Shares on Exercise of Quoted Options

Core Exploration Limited (ASX: CXO and CXOOA) advises that it has issued 12,500 ordinary shares upon the exercise of quoted options. The options have an exercise price of \$0.05 and expiry of 31 August 2017.

An updated Appendix 3B is attached to this announcement.

For any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Jaroslaw (Jarek) Kopias

Company SecretaryCore Exploration Ltd

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.

 $Introduced \ o1/o7/96 \ \ Origin: Appendix \ 5 \ \ Amended \ o1/o7/98, \ o1/o9/99, \ o1/o7/oo, \ 30/o9/o1, \ 11/o3/o2, \ o1/o1/o3, \ 24/10/o5, \ o1/o8/12, \ o4/o3/13$

Core Exploration Limited		
ABN		
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We ((the entity) give ASX the following	g information.
-	t 1 - All issues nust complete the relevant sections (attac	h sheets if there is not enough space).
1	*Class of *securities issued or to be issued	Ordinary shares (CXO)
2	Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued	12,500
3	Principal terms of the *securities (e.g. if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid *securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if *convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)	Fully paid ordinary shares
	partly paid *securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if *convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for	

Name of entity

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4	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the *issue date with an existing *class of quoted *securities?	Yes
	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	
5	Issue price or consideration	5 cents each
6	Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	Exercise of quoted options (CXOOA)
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	Yes
	subject of this Appendix 3B, and comply with section 6i	
6b	The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed	29 October 2015
6c	Number of *securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	None

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6d	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	None
6e	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	None
6f	Number of *securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	12,500
6g	If *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.	Not applicable
6h	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	Not applicable
6i	Calculate the entity's remaining issue capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A – complete Annexure 1 and release to ASX Market Announcements	Rule 7.1 – 26,046,831 Rule 7.1A – 17,467,679
7	*Issue 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.	23 February 2016

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8 Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the *securities in section 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class	
174,831,483	Ordinary shares	
55,653,574	Options exercisable at 5.00 cents on or before 31 August 2017	

9 Number and *class of all *securities not quoted on ASX (including the *securities in section 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class	
1,000,000	Exercise price 5.00 cents. Expiry 30 September 2016	
1,000,000	Exercise price 7.50 cents. Expiry 30 September 2016	
200,000	Exercise price 8.50 cents. Expiry 16 October 2016	
1,000,000	Exercise price 10.00 cents. Expiry 31 January 2017	
3,200,000	Total unlisted options	
800,000	Unlisted performance rights	

Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)

As per all other securities

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Part 2 - Pro rata issue

11	Is security holder approval required?	Not applicable
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-	
12	renounceable?	
13	Ratio in which the *securities will be offered	
14	*Class of *securities to which the	
	offer relates	
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15	⁺ Record date to determine entitlements	
16	Will holdings on different	
10	registers (or subregisters) be	
	aggregated for calculating entitlements?	
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	
	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.	
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	
20	Names of any underwriters	
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21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	
	or commission	
22	Names of any brokers to the	
	issue	
22	Fee or commission payable to the	
23	broker to the issue	

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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
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and offer documents will be sent to persons entitled
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)
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)
30	How do security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?
31	How do security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?
32	How do security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?
33	⁺ Issue date

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Part 3 - Quotation of securities

 $You \ need \ only \ complete \ this \ section \ if \ you \ are \ applying \ for \ quotation \ of \ securities$

34	Type of *securities
	(tick one)

(a)		⁺ Securities described in Part
()	$\perp \wedge \perp$	

(b)		All other ⁺ securities
	ш	Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities

Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

Additional securities forming a new class of securities

Tick to indicate you are providing the information or documents

35	If the *securities are *equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional *securities, and the number and percentage of additional *securities held by those holders
36	If the *securities are *equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional *securities setting out the number of holders in the categories

1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over

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	⁺ Class of ⁺ 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

- ⁺Quotation of our additional ⁺securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the ⁺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 *securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the *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: 23 February 2016

Company secretary

Print name: Jaroslaw (Jarek) Kopias

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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	150,486,287 ordinary shares	
Add the following:		
Number of fully paid ⁺ ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2	5,020,000 ordinary shares issued on 2 September 2015 under listing rule 7.2, exception 15.	
Number of fully paid ⁺ ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval	19,158,008 ordinary shares issued on 2 September 2015 approved by shareholders at an annual general meeting held on 29 October 2015.	
Number of partly paid ⁺ ordinary securities that became fully paid in that 12 month period	12,500 ordinary shares issued on 23 February 2016 under listing rule 7.2, exception 4.	
Note: Include only ordinary securities here — 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	Nil	
"A"	174,676,795	

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Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"		
"B"	0.15	
	[Note: this value cannot be changed]	
Multiply "A" by 0.15	26,201,519	
Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1 that has already been used		
Insert number of *equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period not counting those issued:	154,688 ordinary shares issued on 19 January 2016.	
Under an exception in rule 7.2		
• Under rule 7.1A		
 With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4 		
 Note: This applies to equity securities, unless specifically excluded – not just ordinary securities 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 		
"C"	154,688	
Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x "B"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1		
"A" x 0.15	26,201,519	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2		
Subtract "C"	154,688	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3		
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.15] – "C"	26,046,831	
	[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]	

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Part 2

Rule 7.1A – Additional placement capacity for eligible entities Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated		
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 1 of Part 1		
Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"		
"D"	0.10	
	Note: this value cannot be changed	
Multiply "A" by 0.10	17,467,679	
Step 3: Calculate "E", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1A that has already been used		
Insert number of ⁺ equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A	Nil	
 Notes: This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities Include here – if applicable – the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed Do not include equity securities issued under rule 7.1 (they must be dealt with in Part 1), or for which specific security holder approval has been obtained It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items 		
"E"	0	

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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	17,467,679	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2		
Subtract "E"	0	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3		
Total ["A" x 0.10] – "E"	17,467,679	
	Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A	

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