ASX Announcement (ASX: HMX)



July 28th 2016

QUARTERLY ACTIVITIES REPORT FOR THE PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30 2016

HIGHLIGHTS

Mount Isa Copper-Gold Program (Hammer 100% tenements)

- Millennium Cu-Au-Co mining leases acquired;
- RC drilling programs at Millennium and Scalper commenced;
- Update of the Kalman Mineral Resource Estimate in progress;
- Kalman's down plunge high grade copper-gold potential under review;
- Generative work to identify and secure high potential copper-gold targets is ongoing.

Mount Isa Farm-in and Joint Venture

- Active field exploration programs are continuing under the Farmin and Joint Venture Agreement signed
 with Newmont Exploration Pty Ltd ("Newmont") to explore three of Hammer's IOCG prospects near
 Mount Isa Overlander, Even Steven and Dronfield;
- Newmont may earn up to 75% by spending US\$10,500,000 (A\$15,000,000) with Hammer managing the first two stages of the JV until Newmont earns a 65% interest;
- During the quarter gravity, magnetics, geological mapping and geochemical sampling programs were completed at Even Steven and geochemical sampling and ground electrical geophysical programs in progress at Dronfield;
- Processing and modelling of the geophysical and geochemical data is in progress utilizing Newmont's inhouse technical support;
- Drill testing of specific targets is anticipated to commence during the third quarter.

Corporate

- Hammer Metals finalized a share placement at 6.5 cents per share during the quarter raising \$1,230,000 (before costs);
- Exploration credits were distributed to eligible shareholders through the Federal Government's Exploration Development Incentive Scheme.

OPERATIONS SUMMARY

MOUNT ISA PROJECT

Hammer Metals Limited (ASX: HMX) ("Hammer" or "the Company") is targeting the large iron oxide coppergold (IOCG) alteration systems the Company has outlined within its Mount Isa project for Ernest Henry style of copper-gold deposit (approximately 220 million tonnes at 1.1% Cu and 0.5g/t Au).

Late in 2015 a Farmin and Joint Venture Agreement was executed with Newmont Exploration Pty Ltd ("Newmont") encompassing three of Hammer's IOCG prospects – **Overlander, Even Steven and Dronfield**, covering approximately 250km² of Hammer's 2,600 km² Mount Isa project.



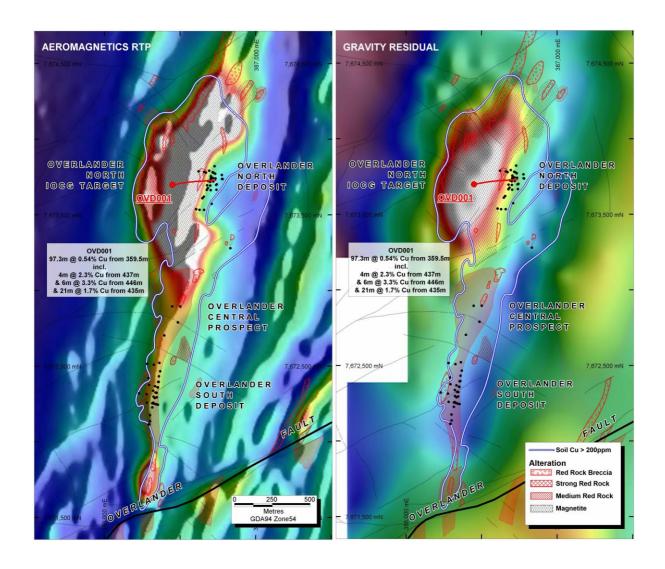
Mount Isa Farmin and Joint Venture

Overlander

The Overlander area is a regionally significant zone of alteration with IOCG style, shear-hosted and breccia-hosted copper mineralisation located 8km west of the Kalman deposit.

Work has focused on the IOCG target and comprised detailed alteration and geological mapping, rock chip sampling, collection of infill gravity data and inversion modeling of the updated geophysical datasets. A water bore was successfully drilled and developed in preparation for upcoming drilling activities.

The field work and modelling is now complete and a drilling proposal is in preparation. It is anticipated that drilling will be undertaken in the third quarter. (Refer to ASX release dated March 15th 2016 for further details.)



Overlander Magnetic and Gravity Imagery



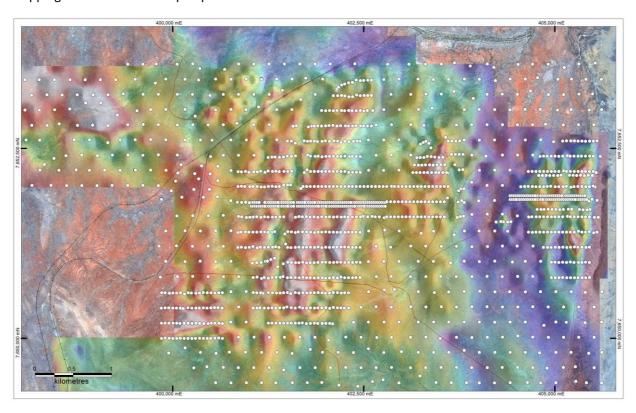
Dronfield

The Dronfield magnetic and gravity anomalies are located 25km southeast of Overlander on EPM 18084 which is subject to a farm-in agreement with Kabiri Resources Pty Ltd. Hammer has the right to earn up to an 80% interest in EPM 18084 from Kabiri by spending \$250,000 on exploration.

The favourable alteration, copper-gold anomalism and the strong overlapping gravity and magnetic features are considered highly supportive of the potential of the Dronfield project for IOCG deposits. To date the focus has been on 3 of these features.

Sample collection for Newmont's proprietary deep-sensing geochemical technique was completed over the main target areas with 1,485 samples collected. The full suite of results is expected early in the third quarter.

Late in the quarter preparations began for a geophysical (NEWDAS) IP survey and rock chip sampling and mapping continued over the prospect.



Dronfield Gravity Imagery with DSG sample locations

Even Steven

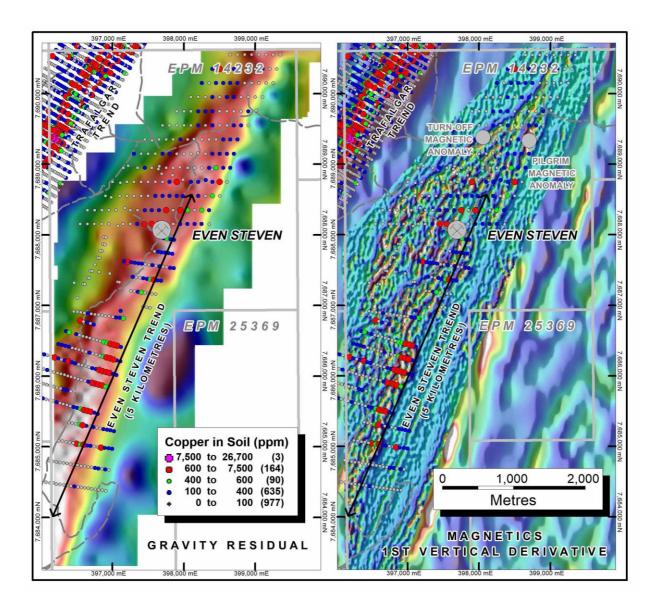
The Even Steven prospect is located approximately 15km to the northeast of the Kalman deposit in a similar structural position immediately west of the Pilgrim Fault.

The prospect is characterized by a 6km long zone of linear magnetic and gravity highs that coincide with outcropping feldspar – magnetite ("red-rock") alteration and breccia and anomalous gold and copper soil geochemistry. The prospect has been drilled in only one location (at the historical Even Steven workings) where intercepts of up to 14 metres at 1.26% Cu and 0.7g/t Au from 20 metres and 4 metres at 1.43% Cu and 0.61g/t Au from 76 metres in ES001 were returned.

The prospect was geologically mapped during the quarter. The geophysical inversion modelling of the gravity



and ground magnetic data collected in the previous quarter was finalised and the soil and rock chip geochemical sampling data received. (Refer to ASX release dated March 15th 2016 for further details.)



Even Steven Ground Magnetic and Gravity Imagery

The mapping program identified several types of breccia and 17 occurrences of oxide copper mineralisation. A number of these occurrences were identified as structural (shear-hosted) occurrences. In the strong magnetite altered zone identified by CRA in the southern part of the prospect there are clusters of magnetite-hematite breccia with copper mineralisation present as malachite within the breccia, wall rock and adjacent pegmatites.

The modelling of the geophysical data indicated that the inversion anomalies generated are reported as relatively small in volume in comparison with the Ernest Henry deposit however further field review of the unexplained gold and copper geochemical anomalies has been recommended.



Mount Isa Copper - Gold Targeting Program - 100% Hammer

Since late 2013 Hammer has been undertaking a systematic targeting exercise for large Iron Oxide Copper-Gold (IOCG) deposits within under-explored sections of the Mount Isa Mineral Province. Hammer now holds approximately 2,600 km² of exploration tenure within the region.

Reconnaissance mapping and sampling carried out by Hammer during the quarter following up gold and copper geochemical anomalies generated by previous explorers has highlighted the potential of the package of altered and brecciated rocks in the greater Kalman / Overlander / Mt Philp area. A systematic program of geophysics and geochemical sampling is warranted to provide an initial test of this area.

Millennium Copper-Cobalt-Gold Leases

As announced to the ASX on May 4th 2016 Hammer acquired five granted mining leases over the Millennium copper-cobalt-gold project near Cloncurry. The acquisition secures a prospective high-grade cobalt-copper-gold target that complements Hammer's existing tenement portfolio in the region.

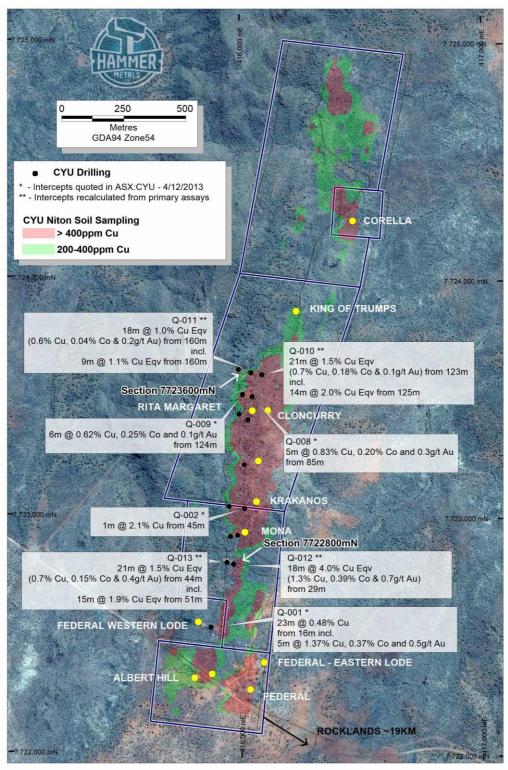
ML's 2512, 2761, 2762, 7506 and 7507 (the "Millennium" leases) are situated on the northern projection of the Pilgrim Fault, approximately 50km north of the Company's Kalman deposit and 16km west of the Rocklands copper-cobalt mine. Previous drilling indicates the potential for significant copper-cobalt-gold mineralisation in the area of the historical workings including previous drill intersections of up to 19m at 1.27% Cu, 0.38% Co and 0.7g/t Au including 6m @3.45% Cu, 0.32% Co and 2.0g/t Au. (Refer to the CYU ASX release dated December 4th 2013 and the attached figures for details.)

Hammer issued 0.5 million shares to Chinalco Yunnan Copper Resources Ltd (ASX:CYU) and paid \$57,950 (including the replacement of an environmental bond) to Elementos Ltd (ASX:ELT) for the Millennium Mining Leases.

Data compilation and drill hole planning were completed and a preliminary RC drilling program of approximately 2000m allocated to further test the higher grade sections of the lode with the objective of outlining a JORC standard resource, as well as provide an initial drill test of the extensive and as yet untested copper-cobalt soil anomaly to the north. Depending on the results of this program it is anticipated that a further program of resource definition drilling will follow.

The RC drilling program commenced early in the current quarter with results expected in three to four weeks' time.





Millennium showing significant intersections in previous drilling. (Refer to HMX ASX release dated May 25th 2016 for details of CuEq calculation)

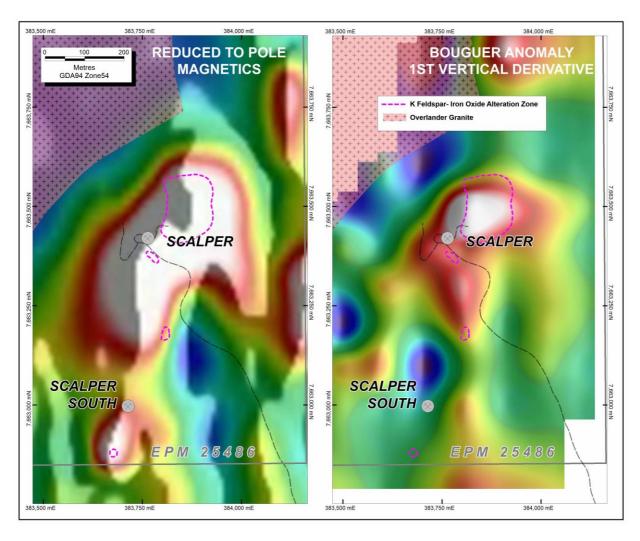


Scalper

Scalper is located in the same stratigraphic position as the Overlander and Andy's Hill IOCG targets 6-10km to the north. Hammer has drilled one RC hole at the Scalper prospect that returned 23 metres at 1.1% Cu and 0.27g/t Au (HSRC001) within strongly altered and brecciated sediments. (Refer to ASX release dated November 19th 2014 for details.) Most of the alteration zone and magnetic anomaly has not been tested nor the old copper workings in similarly altered material located 500m to the south.

A detailed gravity survey completed over the prospect in February identified a gravity high coincident with the northern magnetic target enhancing the prospectivity of this zone. Inversion modelling of the geophysical data indicated an overlapping gravity/magnetic body adjacent to and below HSRC001.

Scalper has similarities to the Overlander IOCG target where shear-related copper mineralisation occurs marginal to strong magnetic and gravity features. Drilling is planned to test for extensions to the mineralised zone in SCRC001 and also to provide an initial test of the adjacent gravity/magnetic target (Refer to the attached figures and to ASX release November 19th 2014). An aboriginal heritage clearance survey was completed in preparation for the drilling.



Scalper Magnetic and Gravity Imagery



Kalman Deposit

The Kalman Deposit and immediate strike extensions have been geologically remapped by an experienced geological consultant resulting in a clearer understanding of the deposit's geology. This mapping along with a re-interpretation of the drill hole geology will be used to update the geological model and in particular target the higher grade copper-gold zones at the southern end of the deposit. Concurrently with this work the Mineral Resource Estimate for Kalman is under review.

Hammertime

Hammertime is located on the eastern side of the Ballara Fault 1.5km west of Hammer's Kalman copper-gold-molybdenum-rhenium deposit. The Ballara Fault is a splay off the sub-parallel and regional scale Pilgrim Fault. Previous soil sampling had defined a +4km long zone of elevated copper and gold which has now been further investigated through detailed geological mapping and sampling.

During the quarter Hammer completed inversion modelling of the new detailed gravity and magnetic survey data over the alteration zones. Three target zones have been selected for drilling.

Future Activities at Mount Isa

Field programs will continue on both the JV and non-JV tenements.

RC drilling will continue at Hammer's 100%-owned Millennium and Scalper prospects with the first drilling results expected in mid-August. Work will continue with finalizing drill targets at Hammertime and Kalman South as well as progressing the early stage IOCG targets within the portfolio.

Field programs are continuing under the Farm-in and Joint Venture Agreement with Newmont in order to complete the data acquisition and interpretation and progress the copper-gold targets to the drilling stage. It is anticipated that drilling will commence in the third quarter.

GOLDEN PEAKS PROJECT (QLD) - (Farm-in Agreement with Perilya Limited)

A field visit was made to the property during the quarter in preparation for potential drilling in the Mt Dick area where there is extensive copper anomalism and EM conductors as previously reported.

CORPORATE

The Company held \$2.4 million on deposit at the end of the quarter.

On June 15th 2016 the Company confirmed the allotment and issue of 18,923,075 ordinary shares to sophisticated investors at \$0.065 to raise \$1,230,000 (before costs). The placement was made pursuant to the Company's placement capacity under listing rules 7.1 and 7.1A. The number of shares on issue after the placement is 153,434,961.

Argonaut Securities, who participated in the placement, was mandated as Hammer's corporate advisor.

During the quarter Hammer announced that exploration credits will be distributed to eligible shareholders through the Federal Government's Exploration Development Incentive Scheme ("EDI").

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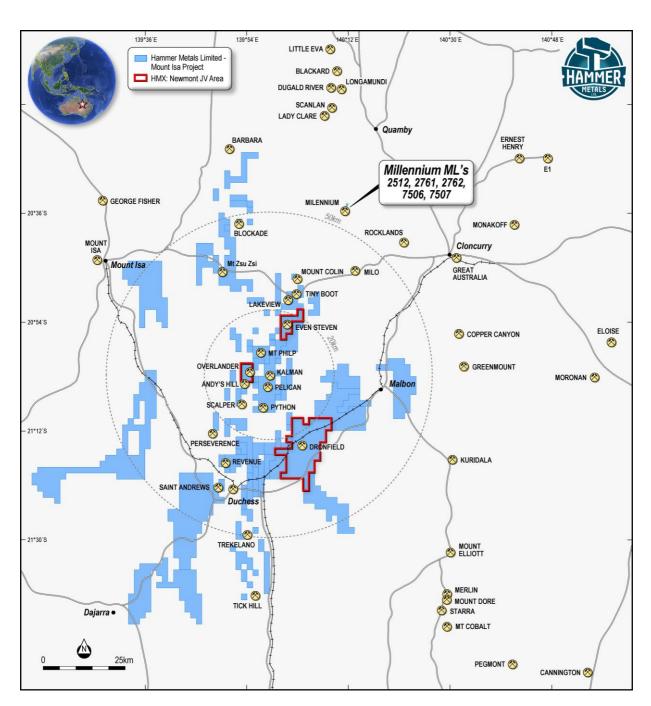
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Competent Person's Statement

The information in this report as it relates to exploration results and geology was compiled by Mr. Mark Whittle, who is a Member of the AusIMM, a consultant to the Company and a shareholder and option holder. Mr. Mark Whittle has sufficient experience 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 2012 Edition of the 'Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves'. Mr. Whittle consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on the information in the form and context in which it appears.

Where references are made to previous ASX announcements relating to Exploration results and updates provided to the market, the Company confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in those announcement and all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning those announcements continue to apply and have not materially changed.





Mount Isa Project



			Interest at		er Listing Rule 5.3.3
	Tenement		end of	during	
Project	Number	Status	Quarter	quarter	Comment
Pilbara Iron Ore - WA	E08/1997	Granted	100%	No	Converting to Retention License
Viount Isa - Old	EPM 13870	Granted	100%	No	EPM 13870 subject to 2% NSR
	EPM 14232	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 15972	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 16726	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 16987	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 17453	Surrender Lodged	0%	No	
	EPM 17762	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 18116	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 18320	Surrender Lodged	0%	No	
	EPM 19782	Surrendered	0%	No	
	EPM 19783	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 19784	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 19785	Surrendered	0%	No	
	EPM 19805	Surrendered	0%	No	
	EPM 25145	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 25369	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 25402	Surrendered	0%	No	
	EPM 25425	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 25452	Surrendered	0%	No	
	EPM 25486	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 25523	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 25666	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 25686	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 25777	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 25866	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 25867	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 25892	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 25997	Granted	100%	No	
	EPM 26126	Application	100%	No	
	EPM 26127	Application	100%	No	
	EPM 26128	Application	100%	No	
	EPM 26130	Application	100%	No	
	EPM 26172	Application	100%	No	
	EPM 18084	Granted	0%	No	Can earn 80% from Kabiri Resources Pty Ltd
	ML 2512	Granted	100%	Yes	1
	ML 2761	Granted	100%	Yes	
	ML 2762	Granted	100%	Yes	
	ML 7506	Granted	100%	Yes	
	ML 7507	Granted	100%	Yes	
Golden Peaks - Qld	EPM 15810	Granted	0%	No	Can earn 60% from Perilya Limited

Rule 5.3 Appendix 5B

Mining exploration entity quarterly report

Introduced 01/07/96 Origin Appendix 8 Amended 01/07/97, 01/07/98, 30/09/01, 01/06/10, 17/12/10

Name of entity	
HAMI	MER METALS LIMITED
ABN	Quarter ended ("current quarter")
87 095 092 158	30 June 2016

Consolidated statement of cash flows

Cash	flows related to operating activities	\$A'ooo	Year to date (12 months) \$A'ooo
1.1	Receipts from product sales and related debtors	-	-
1.2	Payments for (a1) exploration & evaluation (a2) exploration & evaluation	(255)	(1,108)
	– Farm-in JV	(230)	(411)
	(b) development	-	-
	(c) production	-	-
	(d) administration	(173)	(598)
1.3	Dividends received	-	-
1.4	Interest and other items of a similar nature received		
1.5	Interest and other costs of finance paid	4	10
1.5 1.6	Income taxes paid	_	_
1.7	Other - Reimbursement of exploration	_	103
.,	costs		,
	Net Operating Cash Flows	(654)	(2,004)
	Cash flows related to investing activities		
1.8	Payment for purchases of: (a) prospects	(50)	(50)
1.0	(b) equity investments	-	-
	(c) other fixed assets	-	(3)
1.9	Proceeds from sale of: (a) prospects	-	-
	(b) equity investments	-	-
	(c) other fixed assets	-	-
1.10	Loans to other entities	-	-
1.11	Loans repaid by other entities	-	-
1.12	Other- Farm in Cash Calls Received	576	937
	Net investing cash flows	526	884
1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows		
	(carried forward)	(128)	(1,120)

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	Total operating and investing cash flows (brought		
1.13	forward)	(128)	(1,120)
	Cash flows related to financing activities		
1.14	Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc.	2,198	2,629
1.15	Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares	-	-
1.16	Proceeds from borrowings	-	650
1.17	Repayment of borrowings	-	-
1.18	Dividends paid	-	-
1.19	Other - Share issue costs	(106)	(124)
	Net financing cash flows	2,092	3,155
	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	1,964	2,035
1.20 1.21	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	463	392
1.22	Cash at end of quarter	2,427	2,427

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

		Curent quarter \$A'ooo
1.23	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	61
1.24	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	-

Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions

Director's salary consulting fees and directors' fees are included in 1.23 above.

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

None

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

None

Financing facilities available

Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position.

		Amount available \$A'ooo	Amount used \$A'ooo
3.1	Loan facilities	650	650
3.2	Credit standby arrangements	-	-

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Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

		\$A'000
4.1	Exploration and evaluation	553
4.2	Development	-
4.3	Production	-
4.4	Administration	120
	Total	6=0
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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'ooo	Previous quarter \$A'ooo
5.1	Cash on hand and at bank	2,427	463
5.2	Deposits at call	-	-
5.3	Bank overdraft	-	-
5.4	Other (provide details)	-	-
	Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	2,427	463

Changes in interests in mining tenements

6.1	Interests in
	mining
	tenements
	relinquished,
	reduced or
	lapsed
6.2	Interests in
	mining
	tenements
	acquired or
	increased

Tenement reference EPM's 17453, 18320, 19782, 19785, 19805, 25402 & 25452	Nature of interest (note (2))	Interest at beginning of quarter	Interest at end of quarter o%
ML2512, ML2761, ML2762, ML7506, ML7507	Acquired during the quarter	ο%	100%

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Issued and quoted securities at end of current quarterDescription 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	Preference	-	-	<i>J</i> , ()	J, ()
,	+securities (description)				
7.2	Changes during quarter				
,	(a) Increases through				
	issues	-	-		
	(b) Decreases through				
	returns of capital, buy-	-	-		
	backs, redemptions				
7.3	[†] Ordinary securities	153,434,951	153,434,951		
7.4	Changes during quarter	24,200,000	24,200,000	4c per share	4c per share
	(a) Increases through	500,000	500,000	4c per share	4c per share
	issues	18,923,075	18,923,075	6.5c per share	6.5c per share
	(b) Decreases through				
	returns of capital, buy-				
	backs				
7.5	*Convertible debt securities (description)				
7.6	Changes during quarter				
	(a) Increases through				
	issues				
	(b) Decreases through				
	securities matured, converted				
				F	F 1
7.7	Options (description and conversion factor)	14 200 000		Exercise price \$0.20	Expiry date 30 June 2017
	conversion juctor)	14,300,000 1,000,000	_	\$0.20 \$0.20	26 May 2017
		1,000,000	_	\$0.20	11 Sept 2017
		300,000	_	\$0.30	11 Sept 2017
		7,100,000	_	\$0.135	30 Nov 2017
		3,811,953	_	\$0.15	6 Feb 2018
		8,338,334	_	\$0.10	30 July 2017
		500,000	-	\$0.10	6 Aug 2017
		1,000,000	-	\$0.10	30 Nov 2017
		12,800,000		\$0.06	30 Jun 2020
		5,000,000		\$0.075	29 Jun 2019
7.8	Issued during quarter			Exercise price	Expiry date
		12,800,000	-	\$0.06	30 Jun 2020
		5,000,000	-	\$0.075	29 Jun 2019
7.9	Exercised during quarter	-	-	-	-
7.10	Expired during quarter	2,116,674	-	\$0.30	26 May 2016
7.11	Debentures				
	(totals only)	1			
7.12	Unsecured notes (totals only)				
	(totals offly)				

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Compliance statement

- 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 5).
- This statement does give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Sign here:	(Company secretary)	Date: 28 July 2016
Print name:	Mark Pitts	

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Notes

- 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- The definitions in, and provisions of, AASB 6: Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources and AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows apply to this report.
- Accounting Standards ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Financial Reporting 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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