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Australian Securities Exchange Announcement

Vesting of Performance Rights – Appendix 3B

Following the approval of the Leaf Resources Ltd Performance Rights Plan on 25 November 2015 please find attached the Appendix 3B in relation to 869,608 Performance Rights following the achievement of related performance criteria.

About Leaf Resources Ltd (ASX: LER)

Leaf Resources is commercialising the Glycell™ process.

The Glycell™ Process is an innovative technology that uses a low cost, recyclable, biodegradable reagent glycerol, in a simple process that breaks down plant biomass into lignin, cellulose and hemicellulose at low temperature and pressure. The cellulose is then converted to cellulosic sugars through enzymatic hydrolysis and the lignin, hemicellulose and glycerol become valuable co-products.

Cellulosic sugars are a major feedstock for green, renewable biobased chemicals, bioplastics and biofuels, products whose markets are multi \$billions and fast growing. Many biobased products can now economically replace petroleum based products.

The Glycell™ process can produce cellulosic sugars at under \$50 per tonne when co-products are included. This compares with \$220 per tonne for sugars produced from the conversion of corn starch, the cheapest alternative and \$280 per tonne for raw sugar.

By dramatically reducing the cost of the main feedstock for bio based chemicals, plastics and biofuels, the Glycell™ process has the potential to change the face of global renewable production.

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Rule 2.7, 3.10.3, 3.10.4, 3.10.5

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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.

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Name of entity

Leaf Resources Limited

ABN

18 074 969 056

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).

- 1 +Class of +securities issued or to be issued

Performance Rights (unlisted)

- 2 Number of +securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued

869,608

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- 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)

The Performance Rights were granted to the Managing Director and a Company Executive under the Leaf Resources Ltd Performance Rights Plan and were subject to certain performance criteria being met. Those performance conditions were achieved on 1 July 2016 and as a result the Performance Rights have now vested.

The vested Rights include 777,780 Performance Rights held by the Managing Director. These Rights were granted in accordance with shareholder approval attained at the Company's AGM on 25 November 2015.

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4	<p>Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the +issue date with an existing +class of quoted +securities?</p> <p>If the additional +securities do not rank equally, please state:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 	<p>No, the Performance Rights do not rank equally with the existing class of quoted securities.</p> <p>The Performance Rights do not have any voting rights or rights to receive dividends attached.</p> <p>After the Performance Rights are exercised and converted to ordinary shares, those ordinary shares will rank equally with existing fully paid ordinary shares (including the right to vote and receive dividends).</p>
5	Issue price or consideration	Nil consideration
6	Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	The Performance Rights were issued under the Leaf Resources Ltd Performance Rights Plan to the Managing Director and a Company Executive.
6a	<p>Is the entity an +eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A?</p> <p>If Yes, complete sections 6b – 6h in relation to the +securities the subject of this Appendix 3B, and comply with section 6i</p>	Yes
6b	The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed	25 November 2015
6c	Number of +securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	Nil – this document relates only to Performance Rights which have vested.

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6d	Number of +securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	Nil – this document relates only to Performance Rights which have vested.
6e	Number of +securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	Nil – this document relates only to Performance Rights which have vested.
6f	Number of +securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	Nil – this document relates only to Performance Rights which have vested.
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.	
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	
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	
7	<p>+Issue dates</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Cross reference: item 33 of Appendix 3B.</p>	

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8	Number and ⁺ class of all ⁺ securities quoted on ASX (including the ⁺ securities in section 2 if applicable)	Number	⁺ Class
		142,749,760	Fully paid ordinary shares

9	Number and ⁺ class of all ⁺ securities not quoted on ASX (including the ⁺ securities in section 2 if applicable)	Number	⁺ Class
		1,300,000 Exercisable at \$0.10, Expire 20/12/16	Options
		2,625,000 Exercisable at \$0.10, Expire 17/12/17	Options
		375,000 Exercisable at \$0.10 Expire 2/9/18	Options
		1,000,000 Exercisable at \$0.10 Expire 28/10/18	Options

10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	N/A	
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Part 2 - Pro rata issue

11	Is security holder approval required?	N/A	
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?		
13	Ratio in which the ⁺ securities will be offered		
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

<small>Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.
Cross reference: rule 7:7.</small> | |
| 19 | Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations | |
| 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 | |
| 26 | Date entitlement and acceptance form and offer documents will be sent to persons entitled | |

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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	

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 1

(b) ☐ All other +securities

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

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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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Entities 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	<p>Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the +issue date with an existing +class of quoted +securities?</p> <p>If the additional +securities do not rank equally, please state:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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	<p>Reason for request for quotation now</p> <p>Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period</p> <p>(if issued upon conversion of another +security, clearly identify that other +security)</p>					
42	Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (including the +securities in clause 38)	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 50%; padding: 5px;">Number</th> <th style="width: 50%; padding: 5px;">+Class</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="height: 100px;"></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Number	+Class		
Number	+Class					

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Quotation agreement

1 +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.

3 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.

4 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:


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Company secretary

Date: 15/07/2016
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Print name: Helen Pennisi

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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	113,357,067
Add the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number of fully paid +ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2 Number of fully paid +ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval Number of partly paid +ordinary securities that became fully paid in that 12 month period <p><i>Note:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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 	10,192,373 874,132
Subtract the number of fully paid +ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period	
“A”	124,423,572

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Step 2: Calculate 15% of “A”									
“B”	0.15 <i>[Note: this value cannot be changed]</i>								
Multiply “A” by 0.15	18,663,536								
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 <i>not counting</i> those issued: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Under an exception in rule 7.2 Under rule 7.1A With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4 	<table> <tr> <td>28/10/15</td> <td>3,736,883</td> </tr> <tr> <td>19/11/15</td> <td>4,635,971</td> </tr> <tr> <td>01/12/15</td> <td>1,183,334</td> </tr> <tr> <td>15/06/16</td> <td>8,770,000</td> </tr> </table>	28/10/15	3,736,883	19/11/15	4,635,971	01/12/15	1,183,334	15/06/16	8,770,000
28/10/15	3,736,883								
19/11/15	4,635,971								
01/12/15	1,183,334								
15/06/16	8,770,000								
Note: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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”	18,326,188								
Step 4: Subtract “C” from [“A” x “B”] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1									
“A” x 0.15 <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2</i>	18,663,536								
Subtract “C” <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3</i>	18,326,188								
Total [“A” x 0.15] – “C”	337,348 <i>[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]</i>								

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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	
“A” <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 1 of Part 1</i>	124,423,572
Step 2: Calculate 10% of “A”	
“D”	0.10 <i>Note: this value cannot be changed</i>
Multiply “A” by 0.10	12,442,357
Step 3: Calculate “E”, the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1A that has already been used	
<div style="display: flex;"> <div style="flex: 1; padding-right: 10px;"> <p>Insert number of +equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A</p> <p>Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities</i> <i>Include here – if applicable – the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</i> <i>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</i> <i>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</i> </div> <div style="flex: 1;"></div> </div>	
“E”	Nil

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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 <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2</i>	12,442,357
Subtract “E” <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3</i>	Nil
Total [“A” x 0.10] – “E”	12,442,357 <i>Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A</i>

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