

ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

19 December 2011

ISSUE OF CDIs AND NOTICE UNDER SECTION 708A(5)

I advise that Sumatra Copper & Gold plc ('the Company') has issued 477,500 new CHESS Deposit Interests ('CDIs') at A\$0.16 per CDI to Newcrest Mining Limited for proceeds of A\$76,400. I attach an Appendix 3B, New Issue Announcement.

The Company gives notice under section 708A(5)(e) of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth) (**Corporations Act**) that:

- 1. The CDIs will be issued under a placement without disclosure to investors under Part 6D.2 of the Corporations Act.
- 2. As at the date of this notice:
 - (a) the Company has complied with the provisions of Chapter 2M of the Corporations Act;
 - (b) the Company has complied with section 674 of the Corporations Act; and
 - (c) there is no 'excluded information' within the meaning of sections 708A(7) and 708A(8) of the Corporations Act which is required to be disclosed under section 708A(6)(e) of the Corporations Act.

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Yours faithfully

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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.

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Name of entity

SUMATRA COPPER & GOLD PLC

477,500

ABN

14 136 694 267

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

CHESS Depositary Interests

- 2 Number of +securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued
- 3 Principal terms of the *securities (eg, 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)

CHESS Depositary Interests ranking pari

cHESS Depositary Interests ranking part passu with existing ordinary shares and CHESS Depositary Interests

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4 Do the ⁺securities rank equally in all Yes respects from the date of allotment 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
- 5 Issue price or consideration
- 6 Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)
- 7 Dates of entering +securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates
- 8 Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable)
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A\$76,400

Contribute to continued advance of feasibility studies at the Company's Tembang project

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Number	+Class
190,621,681	Fully paid ordinary shares and CHESS Depositary Interests

		Number	+Class
	Number and +class of all	10,000,000	20/02/12 A\$0.38 options
(including the sec	securities not quoted on ASX	6,250,000	18/06/13 A\$0.20 options
	(<i>including</i> the securities in clause 2 if applicable)	750,661	25/08/13 A\$0.20 options
		750,661	07/09/13 A\$0.20 options
		3,750,000	26/10/14 A\$0.20 options
		3,800,000	26/10/14 A\$0.25 options
		5,250,000	26/10/14 A\$0.35 options
		2,500,000	01/06/16 A\$1.00 options
0	Dividend policy (in the case of a		
	trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	Remains unchanged	

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Part 2 - Bonus issue or pro rata issue

11	Is security holder approval required?	N/A
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	N/A
13	Ratio in which the *securities will be offered	N/A
14	*Class of *securities to which the offer relates	N/A
15	⁺ Record date to determine entitlements	N/A
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	N/A
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	N/A
18	Names of countries in which the entity has ⁺ security holders who will not be sent new issue documents	N/A
	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	N/A
20	Names of any underwriters	N/A
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	N/A
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	N/A
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	N/A
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of +security holders	N/A

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- 25 If the issue is contingent on +security holders' approval, the date of the meeting
- 26 Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled
- If the entity has issued options, and 27 the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders
- Date rights trading will begin (if | N/A 28 applicable)
- 29 Date rights trading will end (if applicable)
- 30 How do +security holders sell their entitlements in full through a broker?
- 31 How do +security holders sell part 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 +Despatch date

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24/10/2005

N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

Part 3 - Quotation of securities

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

N/A

(a)

- 34 Type of securities (*tick one*)
 - Securities (CHESS Depositary Interests) 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

Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

Additional securities forming a new class of securities

N/A

Tick to indicate you are providing the information or documents

- 35 If the \pm securities are \pm equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional \pm securities, and the number and percentage of additional \pm securities held by those holders
- 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 N/A A copy of any trust deed for the additional +securities

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
N/A

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40	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities?	N/A	
	 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	N/A	
	(if issued upon conversion of another security, clearly identify that other security)		
		Number	+Class
42	Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (<i>including</i> the securities in clause 38)	N/A	N/A

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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 noone 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 not available now, 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.

Company Secretary

Sign here:

Date: 19 December 2011

Print name: Richard Edwards

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