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	
Carbon Energy Limited (CNX)	
ABN	
56 057 552 137	

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).

[†]Class of *securities issued or to be issued

Unlisted options to subscribe for ordinary shares.

- Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued
- . Credit Suisse 61,728,395 options.
- 2. Pacific Road 9,645,845 options.

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- 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)
- 1. 61,728,395 options at \$0.081 per option (subject to adjustments as provided for under the Credit Suisse Senior Secured Funding Facility), expiring 24 months from the Issue Date if the Facility is prepaid in full prior to the date falling 6 months after the Utilisation Date, otherwise 36 months from the Issue Date. Exercisable by cash settlement or physical settlement (subject to shareholder approvals being obtained).
- 2. 9,645,845 options at \$0.081 per option (subject to adjustments as provided for under the Pacific Road Capital Convertible Note Facility Agreement), under the same terms and conditions as the Credit Suisse options issued under the Credit Suisse Senior Secured Funding Facility.
- 4 Do the *securities rank equally in all 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

Not applicable. No CNX options are currently listed, in the event the options are exercised the resulting ordinary shares issued will rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with the existing class of quoted securities.

- 5 Issue price or consideration
- 1. \$0.081 per option on exercise (assuming physical settlement)
- 2. \$0.081 per option on exercise
- 6 Purpose of the issue
 (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)
- 1. Issue of 61,728,395 options under the \$10 million Credit Suisse Senior Secured Loan Facility Agreement on the drawdown of the Facility. These options are issued in accordance with ASX Listing Rule 7.1
- 2. Issue of 9,645,845 options under the \$10 million Pacific Road Convertible Note Facility Agreement. These options are issued in accordance with ASX Listing Rule 7.1

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 subject of this Appendix 3B, and comply with section 6i	No
6b	The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed	Not applicable
6c	Number of *securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	Not applicable
6d	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	Not applicable
6e	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	Not applicable
6f	Number of securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	Not applicable
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	Not applicable

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Dates of entering *securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates

15 November 2012

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

Number	+Class
776,306,566	Ordinary Fully Paid Shares.

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

5,000,000, 25c Options expiring 10 Dec 2013 1,400,000, 35c Options expiring 10 Dec 2013 5,600,000, 70c Options expiring 10 Dec 2013 5,250,000, 80c Options expiring 10 Dec 2013 875,000, \$1.20 Options expiring 10 Dec 2013 1,750,000, \$1.60 Options expiring 10 Dec 2013 2,000,000, 80c Options expiring 10 Dec 2013

+Class

10,000,000, \$1.00 Options with vesting date of 30 June 2012 (must achieve certain Performance Benchmarks to vest) expiring 10 Dec 2014.

7,000,000, 18.75c Options (subject to adjustments as provided for under the Option Subscription Deed relating to Pro-rata issues, Bonus issues and reorganisations), expiring 18 January 2017.

28,000,000, 18.75c Options (subject to adjustments as provided for under the Option Subscription Deed relating to Pro-rata issues, Bonus issues and reorganisations), expiring 25 February 2017.

61,728,395, 8.1c Options (subject to adjustments as provided for under the Credit Suisse Senior Secured Loan Facility Agreement), expiring 24 months from the Issue Date if the Facility is prepaid in full prior to the date falling 6 months after the Utilisation Date, otherwise 36 months from the Issue Date. Exercisable by cash settlement or physical settlement (subject to shareholder approvals being obtained)

9,645,845, 8.1c Options (subject to adjustments as provided for under the Pacific Road Convertible Note Facility Agreement), under the same terms and conditions as the Credit Suisse options issued under the Credit Suisse Senior Secured Funding Facility.

Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests) Not applicable

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Part 2 - Bonus issue or pro rata issue

11	Is security holder approval required?	Not applicable
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	Not applicable
13	Ratio in which the *securities will be offered	Not applicable
14	⁺ Class of ⁺ securities to which the offer relates	Not applicable
15	⁺ Record date to determine entitlements	Not applicable
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	Not applicable
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	Not applicable
18	Names of countries in which the entity has *security holders who will not be sent new issue documents Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.	Not applicable
	Cross reference: rule 7.7.	
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	Not applicable
20	Names of any underwriters	Not applicable
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	Not applicable
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	Not applicable
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	Not applicable

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24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of *security holders	Not applicable
25	If the issue is contingent on *security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	Not applicable
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled	Not applicable
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	Not applicable
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	Not applicable
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	Not applicable
30	How do *security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?	Not applicable
31	How do *security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	Not applicable
32	How do *security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?	Not applicable
33	⁺ Despatch date	Not applicable

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Part 3 - Quotation of securities You need only complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities Type of securities 34 (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 Entities that have ticked box 34(a) - N/A Additional securities forming a new class of securities Tick to indicate you are providing the information or documents If the +securities are +equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the 35 additional *securities, and the number and percentage of additional *securities held by those holders If the +securities are +equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional 36 *securities setting out the number of holders in the categories

Entities that have ticked box 34(b)

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

38	Number of securities for which ⁺ quotation is sought	Not applicable
39	Class of *securities for which quotation is sought	Not applicable

A copy of any trust deed for the additional *securities

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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?	Not applicable	
	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	Not applicable	
	Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period		
	(if issued upon conversion of another security, clearly identify that other security)		
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42	Number and +class of all	Number Not applicable	+Class
42	*securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 38)	Not applicable	

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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 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.

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Sign here:	Date: <u>16 November 2012</u>
(CFO & Company secretary)	

Print name: Morné Engelbrecht

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