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# **Appendix 5B**

## Mining exploration entity quarterly report

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Name of entity

**Empire Energy Group Limited** 

Effective 1 July 2011 the Company's presentational currency for all financial reporting is denominated in USD.

ABN Quarter ended ("current quarter")

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#### Consolidated statement of cash flows

Coah f	Jarra valated to anomating as	dividing	Current quarter	Year to date
Cash	lows related to operating ac	cuviues	\$US	(12 months) \$US
1.1	Receipts from product sale	s and related debtors	6,886,966	30,467,576
1.2	Payments for (a) explora (b) develo (c) produc (d) admini	tion	(262,562) (321,762) (1,977,328) (937,749)	(603,602) (1,940,634) (9,690,515) (4,095,280)
1.3	Dividends received		-	-
1.4	Interest and other items of	a similar nature received	1,563	20,967
1.5	Interest and other costs of	finance paid	(469,684)	(2,563,328)
1.6	Income taxes (including pr	oduction & land tax)	791,156	(773,730)
1.7	Other sundry revenue		1	(386,869)
	Net Operating Cash Flow	vs	3,710,600	10,434,585
	Cash flows related to inve	esting activities		
1.8	Payment for purchases of:	(a) prospects	(205,503)	(904,924)
		<ul><li>(b) equity investments</li><li>(c) other fixed assets</li></ul>	(137,938)	(100,000) (2,230,887)
1.9	Proceeds from sale of:	<ul><li>(a) prospects</li><li>(b) equity investments</li><li>(c) other fixed assets</li></ul>	342,338	811,764 135,000
1.10	Loans to other entities		-	(300,000)
1.11	Loans repaid by other entit	ies	-	-
1.12	Other (provide details if ma	aterial)	-	(134,231)
	Net investing cash flows		(1,103)	(2,723,278)
1.13	Total operating and inveforward)	sting cash flows (carried	3,709,497	7,711,307

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1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (brought forward)	3,709,497	7,711,307
	Cash flows related to financing activities		
1.14	Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc. (A\$1.1m)	1,148,950	2,139,330
1.15	Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares	-	-
1.16	Proceeds from borrowings	-	1,699,969
1.17	Repayment of borrowings	(2,815,130)	(10,453,599)
1.18	Dividends paid (minority interest distribution)	-	-
1.19	Other (provide detail if material)	-	-
	Net financing cash flows	(1,666,180)	(6,614,300)
	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	2,043,317	1,097,007
1.20	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	4,121,440	4,995,946
1.21	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	(17,043)	54,761
1.22	Cash at end of quarter	6,147,714	6,147,714

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

		Current quarter \$US
1.23	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	183,195
1.24	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	Nil

- 1.25 Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions
  - Consultant fees paid to Eastern & Pacific Capital Pty Ltd of which B W McLeod is a Director
  - Non-Executive Directors fees and superannuation guarantee levy payments

#### Non-cash financing and investing activities

2.1	Details of financing and	investing transaction	ons which	have had	l a material	effect on	consolidated	assets
	and liabilities but did no	t involve cash flows						

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

Nil			

Nil

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#### Financing facilities available

Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position.

		Amount available \$US	Amount used \$US
3.1	Loan facilities	150 million	49.4 million
3.2	Credit standby arrangements	Nil	Nil

### Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

		\$US
4.1	Exploration and evaluation	500,000
4.2	Development	1,000,000
4.3	Production	2,000,000
4.4	Administration	900,000
	Total	4,400,000

## **Reconciliation of cash**

the co	aciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related in the accounts is as follows.	Current quarter \$US	Previous quarter \$US
5.1	Cash on hand and at bank	1,788,269	795,525
5.2	Deposits at call	4,359,445	3,325,915
5.3	Bank overdraft	-	-
5.4	Other (provide details)	-	-
	Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	6,147,714	4,121,440

### Changes in interests in mining tenements

		reference	(note (2))	beginning of quarter	end of quarter
6.1	Interests in mining tenements relinquished, reduced or lapsed	-	-	-	-
6.2	Interests in mining tenements acquired or increased	-	-	-	-

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# **Issued and quoted securities at end of current quarter**Description 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 *securities (description)	Nil	Nil		
7.2	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues	Nil	Nil		
	(b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy- backs, redemptions	Nil	Nil		
7.3	<sup>+</sup> Ordinary securities	304,863,682	304,863,682		
7.4	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues	6,666,666 options exercised	6,666,666	6,666,666 @ A\$0.165	A\$0.165
	(b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy- backs	Nil	Nil	Quotation of the above securities granted 24/12/2012	
7.5	*Convertible debt securities (description)	Nil	Nil		
7.6	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues	Nil	Nil		
	(b) Decreases through securities matured, converted	Nil	Nil		
7.7	<b>Options</b> (description and conversion factor)	13,866,666	Nil	Refer to attacl	ned schedule
7.8	Issued during quarter	Nil	Nil		
7.9	Exercised during quarter	6,666,666	6,666,666	Refer to attached schedule	
7.10	Expired during quarter	6,666,666	Nil		
7.11	<b>Debentures</b> (totals only)	Nil	Nil		
7.12	<b>Unsecured notes</b> (totals only)	Nil	Nil		

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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 4).
- 2 This statement does give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Sign here:	(Joint Company Secretary)	Date:	31 Jan 2013
Print name:	Rachel Ryan		

#### **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.
- 3 **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 1022: Accounting for Extractive Industries and AASB 1026: Statement of Cash Flows apply to this report.
- Accounting Standards ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Accounting 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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7.7 Options	Total Number	Number quoted	Exercise Price \$AUD	Expiry Date
	66,666	Nil	\$0.1575	5 March 2013
	3,500,000	Nil	\$0.15	1 July 2013
	1,650,000	Nil	\$0.17	1 July 2013
	1,650,000	Nil	\$0.18	31 December 2013
	7,000,000	Nil	\$0.35	31 December 2014
	13,866,666			

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