
AURUM RESOURCES LIMITED
ACN 650 477 286
NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is given that the Meeting will be held at:

TIME: 10:00 am (AWST)
DATE: 6 November 2024
PLACE: Unit 1, 1 Centro
Avenue SUBIACO WA
6008

The business of the Meeting affects your shareholding and your vote is important.

This Notice should be read in its entirety. If Shareholders are in doubt as to how they should vote, they should seek advice from their professional advisers prior to voting.

The Directors have determined pursuant to Regulation 7.11.37 of the Corporations Regulations 2001 (Cth) that the persons eligible to vote at the Meeting are those who are registered Shareholders at 5.00pm (AWST) on 4 November 2024.

BUSINESS OF THE MEETING

AGENDA

1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND REPORTS

To receive and consider the annual financial report of the Company for the financial year ended 30 June 2024 together with the declaration of the Directors, the Director's report, the Remuneration Report and the auditor's report.

2. RESOLUTION 1 – ADOPTION OF REMUNERATION REPORT

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as a **non-binding resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of section 250R(2) of the Corporations Act and for all other purposes, approval is given for the adoption of the Remuneration Report as contained in the Company's annual financial report for the financial year ended 30 June 2024."

Note: the vote on this Resolution is advisory only and does not bind the Directors or the Company.

3. RESOLUTION 2 – ELECTION OF MR MARK STRIZEK

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That, for the purpose of clause 14.4 of the Constitution, Listing Rule 14.4 and for all other purposes, Mr Mark Strizek, an Executive Director who was appointed casually on 1 February 2024, retires, and being eligible, is elected as a Director."

4. RESOLUTION 3 – RE-ELECTION OF MR TROY FLANNERY

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That, for the purpose of clause 14.2 of the Constitution, and for all other purposes, Mr Troy Flannery, a Non-Executive Director, retires by rotation, and being eligible, is re-elected as a Director."

5. RESOLUTION 4 – APPROVAL OF 7.1A MANDATE

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as a **special resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.1A and for all other purposes, approval is given for the Company to issue up to that number of Equity Securities equal to 10% of the issued capital of the Company at the time of issue, calculated in accordance with the formula prescribed in Listing Rule 7.1A.2 and otherwise on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement."

6. RESOLUTION 5 – RATIFICATION OF PRIOR ISSUE OF SHARES IN CONSIDERATION FOR SERVICES PROVIDED

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.4 and for all other purposes, Shareholders ratify the issue of 100,000 Shares on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement."

7. RESOLUTION 6 – RATIFICATION OF PRIOR ISSUE OF OPTIONS IN CONSIDERATION FOR SERVICES PROVIDED

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.4 and for all other purposes, Shareholders ratify the issue of 750,000 Options on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement."

8. RESOLUTION 7 – RATIFICATION OF PRIOR ISSUE OF PERFORMANCE RIGHTS IN CONSIDERATION FOR SERVICES PROVIDED

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.4 and for all other purposes, Shareholders ratify the issue of 4,850,000 Performance Rights on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement."

9. RESOLUTION 8 – APPROVAL TO ISSUE SECURITIES TO UNRELATED PARTIES UNDER AN INCENTIVE PLAN

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13(b)) and for all other purposes, approval is given for the Company to issue up to maximum of 15,209,392 Securities under the employee incentive scheme titled 'Employee Incentive Securities Plan', on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement."

Dated: 1 October 2024

Voting Prohibition Statements

Resolution 1 – Adoption of Remuneration Report	<p>A vote on this Resolution must not be cast (in any capacity) by or on behalf of either of the following persons:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a member of the Key Management Personnel, details of whose remuneration are included in the Remuneration Report; or (b) a Closely Related Party of such a member. <p>However, a person (the voter) described above may cast a vote on this Resolution as a proxy if the vote is not cast on behalf of a person described above and either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the voter is appointed as a proxy by writing that specifies the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution; or (b) the voter is the Chair and the appointment of the Chair as proxy: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) does not specify the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution; and (ii) expressly authorises the Chair to exercise the proxy even though this Resolution is connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of a member of the Key Management Personnel.
Resolution 8 - Approval to issue securities to unrelated parties under an incentive plan	<p>A person appointed as a proxy must not vote, on the basis of that appointment, on this Resolution if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the proxy is either: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) a member of the Key Management Personnel; or (ii) a Closely Related Party of such a member; and (b) the appointment does not specify the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution. <p>However, the above prohibition does not apply if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (c) the proxy is the Chair; and (d) the appointment expressly authorises the Chair to exercise the proxy even though this Resolution is connected directly or indirectly with remuneration of a member of the Key Management Personnel.

Voting Exclusion Statements

In accordance with Listing Rule 14.11, the Company will disregard any votes cast in favour of the Resolution set out below by or on behalf of the following persons:

Resolution 5 – Ratification of prior issue of Shares in consideration for services provided	The persons who participated in the issue or an associate of that person or those persons.
Resolution 6 – Ratification of prior issue of Options in consideration for services provided	The persons who participated in the issue or an associate of that person or those persons.
Resolution 7 – Ratification of prior issue of Performance Rights in consideration for services provided	The persons who participated in the issue or an associate of that person or those persons.
Resolution 8 - Approval to issue securities to unrelated parties under an incentive plan	A person who is eligible to participate in the employee incentive scheme or an associate of that person or those persons.

However, this does not apply to a vote cast in favour of the Resolution by:

- (a) a person as a proxy or attorney for a person who is entitled to vote on the Resolution, in accordance with the directions given to the proxy or attorney to vote on the Resolution in that way; or
- (b) the Chair as proxy or attorney for a person who is entitled to vote on the Resolution, in accordance with a direction given to the Chair to vote on the Resolution as the Chair decides; or
- (c) a holder acting solely in a nominee, trustee, custodial or other fiduciary capacity on behalf of a beneficiary provided the following conditions are met:
 - (i) the beneficiary provides written confirmation to the holder that the beneficiary is not excluded from voting, and is not an associate of a person excluded from voting, on the Resolution; and
 - (ii) the holder votes on the Resolution in accordance with directions given by the beneficiary to the holder to vote in that way.

Voting by proxy

To vote by proxy, please complete and sign the enclosed Proxy Form and return by the time and in accordance with the instructions set out on the Proxy Form.

In accordance with section 249L of the Corporations Act, Shareholders are advised that:

- each Shareholder has a right to appoint a proxy;
- the proxy need not be a Shareholder of the Company; and
- a Shareholder who is entitled to cast two or more votes may appoint two proxies and may specify the proportion or number of votes each proxy is appointed to exercise. If the Shareholder appoints two proxies and the appointment does not specify the proportion or number of the member's votes, then in accordance with section 249X(3) of the Corporations Act, each proxy may exercise one-half of the votes.

Shareholders and their proxies should be aware that:

- if proxy holders vote, they must cast all directed proxies as directed; and
- any directed proxies which are not voted will automatically default to the Chair, who must vote the proxies as directed.

Voting in person

To vote in person, attend the Meeting at the time, date and place set out above.

Should you wish to discuss the matters in this Notice please do not hesitate to contact the Company Secretary on +61 8 6559 1792.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

This Explanatory Statement has been prepared to provide information which the Directors believe to be material to Shareholders in deciding whether or not to pass the Resolutions.

1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND REPORTS

In accordance with the Corporations Act, the business of the Meeting will include receipt and consideration of the annual financial report of the Company for the financial year ended 30 June 2024 together with the declaration of the Directors, the Directors' report, the Remuneration Report and the auditor's report.

The Company will not provide a hard copy of the Company's annual financial report to Shareholders unless specifically requested to do so. The Company's annual financial report is available on its website at <https://www.aurumres.com.au/>.

2. RESOLUTION 1 – ADOPTION OF REMUNERATION REPORT

2.1 General

The Corporations Act requires that at a listed company's annual general meeting, a resolution that the remuneration report to be adopted must be put to the shareholders. However, such a resolution is advisory only and does not bind the company or the directors of the company.

The remuneration report sets out the company's remuneration arrangements for the directors and senior management of the company. The remuneration report is part of the directors' report contained in the annual financial report of the company for a financial year.

The chair of the meeting must allow a reasonable opportunity for its shareholders to ask questions about or make comments on the remuneration report at the annual general meeting.

2.2 Voting consequences

A company is required to put to its shareholders a resolution proposing the calling of another meeting of shareholders to consider the appointment of directors of the company (**Spill Resolution**) if, at consecutive annual general meetings, at least 25% of the votes cast on a remuneration report resolution are voted against adoption of the remuneration report and at the first of those annual general meetings a Spill Resolution was not put to vote. If required, the Spill Resolution must be put to vote at the second of those annual general meetings.

If more than 50% of votes cast are in favour of the Spill Resolution, the company must convene a shareholder meeting (**Spill Meeting**) within 90 days of the second annual general meeting.

All of the directors of the company who were in office when the directors' report (as included in the company's annual financial report for the most recent financial year) was approved, other than the managing director of the company, will cease to hold office immediately before the end of the Spill Meeting but may stand for re-election at the Spill Meeting.

Following the Spill Meeting those persons whose election or re-election as directors of the company is approved will be the directors of the company.

2.3 Previous voting results

At the Company's previous annual general meeting the votes cast against the remuneration report considered at that annual general meeting were less than 25%. Accordingly, the Spill Resolution is not relevant for this Meeting.

3. RESOLUTION 2 – ELECTION OF MR MARK STRIZEK

3.1 General

The Constitution allows the Directors to appoint at any time a person to be a Director either to fill a casual vacancy or as an addition to the existing Directors, but only where the total number of Directors does not at any time exceed the maximum number specified by the Constitution.

Pursuant to the Constitution and Listing Rule 14.4, any Director so appointed holds office only until the next annual general meeting and is then eligible for election by Shareholders but shall not be taken into account in determining the Directors who are to retire by rotation (if any) at that meeting.

Mr Mark Strizek, having been appointed as a non-executive Director by other Directors on 29 January 2024 and subsequently appointed as an executive Director effective 1 June 2023, in accordance with the Constitution, will retire in accordance with the Constitution and Listing Rule 14.4 and being eligible, seeks election from Shareholders.

Further information in relation to Mr Mark Strizek is set out below.

Qualifications, experience and other material directorships	Mr Strizek joined the Board with more than 27 years' experience in the resource industry having worked as a geologist on multiple gold, base and technology metal projects. Mr Strizek has worked as an executive with management and Board responsibilities in exploration, feasibility, finance and development-ready assets across Australia, West Africa, Asia and Europe. Most recently Mr Strizek worked with Dr Wang on Tietto Minerals US\$200M Abujar Gold Project in Côte d'Ivoire, which went from IPO in January 2018 through to first gold production in January 2023.
Term of office	Mr Strizek has served as a Director since 1 February 2024.
Independence	If re-elected, the Board does not consider that Mr Strizek will be an independent Director.
Other material information	The Company conducts appropriate checks on the background and experience of candidates before their appointment to the Board. These include checks as to a person's experience, educational qualifications, character, criminal record and bankruptcy history. The Company undertook such checks prior to the appointment of Mr Strizek.
Board recommendation	Having received an acknowledgement from Mr Strizek that they will have sufficient time to fulfil their responsibilities as a Director and having reviewed the performance of Mr Strizek since their appointment to the Board and the skills, knowledge, experience and capabilities required by the Board, the Directors (other than Mr Strizek) recommend that Shareholders vote in favour of this Resolution.

3.2 Technical information required by Listing Rule 14.1A

If this Resolution is passed, Mr Strizek will be elected to the Board as an executive Director.

If this Resolution is not passed, Mr Strizek will not continue in their role as executive Director. The Company may seek nominations or otherwise identify suitably qualified candidates to join the Company. As an additional consequence, this may detract from the Board and Company's ability to execute on its strategic vision.

4. RESOLUTION 3 – RE-ELECTION OF MR TROY FLANNERY

4.1 General

The Constitution sets out the requirements for determining which Directors are to retire by rotation at an annual general meeting.

Non-Executive Chairman Mr Troy Flannery, who has held office without re-election since 3 November 2023 and being eligible retires by rotation and seeks re-election.

Further information in relation to Mr Flannery is set out below.

Qualifications, experience and other material directorships	Mr Flannery has more than 25 years' experience in the mining industry, including 9 years in corporate and 17 years in senior mining engineering & project development roles. He has a degree in Mining Engineering, Masters in Finance & First Class Mine Managers Certificate of Competency. Troy has recently performed NED roles with numerous ASX listed companies and for 31/2 years was the CEO of Abra Mining Pty Ltd up until October 2021. He has worked at numerous mining companies, mining consultancies & contractors including BHP, Newcrest, Xstrata, St Barbara Mines & AMC Consultants.
Term of office	Mr Flannery has served as a Director since 25 May 2021 and was last re-elected on 3 November 2023.
Independence	If re-elected, the Board considers that Mr Flannery will be an independent Director.
Board recommendation	Having received an acknowledgement from Mr Flannery that they will have sufficient time to fulfil their responsibilities as a Director and having reviewed the performance Mr Flannery since their appointment to the Board and the skills, knowledge, experience and capabilities required by the Board, the Directors (other than Mr Flannery) recommend that Shareholders vote in favour of this Resolution.

4.2 Technical information required by Listing Rule 14.1A

If this Resolution is passed, Mr Flannery will be re-elected to the Board as an independent Director.

If this Resolution is not passed, Mr Flannery will not continue in their role as Non-Executive Chairman. The Company may seek nominations or otherwise identify suitably qualified candidates to join the Company. As an additional consequence, this may detract from the Board and Company's ability to execute on its strategic vision.

5. RESOLUTION 4 – APPROVAL OF 7.1A MANDATE

5.1 General

This Resolution seeks Shareholder approval by way of special resolution for the Company to have the additional 10% placement capacity provided for in Listing Rule 7.1A to issue Equity Securities without Shareholder approval.

Broadly speaking, and subject to a number of exceptions, Listing Rule 7.1 limits the amount of equity securities that a listed company can issue without the approval of its shareholders over any 12 month period to 15% of the fully paid ordinary shares it had on issue at the start of that period.

Under Listing Rule 7.1A, an Eligible Entity may seek shareholder approval by way of a special resolution passed at its annual general meeting to increase this 15% limit by an extra 10% to 25% (**7.1A Mandate**). The Company is an Eligible Entity.

5.2 Technical information required by Listing Rule 14.1A

For this Resolution to be passed, at least 75% of votes cast by Shareholders present and eligible to vote at the Meeting must be cast in favour of the Resolution.

If this Resolution is passed, the Company will be able to issue Equity Securities up to the combined 25% limit in Listing Rules 7.1 and 7.1A without any further Shareholder approval.

If this Resolution is not passed, the Company will not be able to access the additional 10% capacity to issue Equity Securities without Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 7.1A and will remain subject to the 15% limit on issuing Equity Securities without Shareholder approval set out in Listing Rule 7.1.

5.3 Technical information required by Listing Rule 7.3A

REQUIRED INFORMATION	DETAILS
Period for which the 7.1A Mandate is valid	<p>The 7.1A Mandate will commence on the date of the Meeting and expire on the first to occur of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the date that is 12 months after the date of this Meeting; (b) the time and date of the Company's next annual general meeting; and (c) the time and date of approval by Shareholders of any transaction under Listing Rule 11.1.2 (a significant change in the nature or scale of activities) or Listing Rule 11.2 (disposal of the main undertaking).
Minimum price	<p>Any Equity Securities issued under the 7.1A Mandate must be in an existing quoted class of Equity Securities and be issued for cash consideration at a minimum price of 75% of the volume weighted average price of Equity Securities in that class, calculated over the 15 trading days on which trades in that class were recorded immediately before:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (d) the date on which the price at which the Equity Securities are to be issued is agreed by the entity and the recipient of the Equity Securities; or (e) if the Equity Securities are not issued within 10 trading days of the date in paragraph (a) above, the date on which the Equity Securities are issued.
Use of funds	<p>The Company intends to use funds raised from issues of Equity Securities under the 7.1A Mandate for</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the acquisition of new resources, assets and investments (including expenses associated with such an acquisition); (b) continued exploration expenditure on the Company's current assets/or projects (funds would then be used for project, feasibility studies and ongoing project administration); (c) the development of the Company's current business; and (d) general working capital.
Risk of economic and voting dilution	<p>Any issue of Equity Securities under the 7.1A Mandate will dilute the interests of Shareholders who do not receive any Shares under the issue.</p> <p>If this Resolution is approved by Shareholders and the Company issues the maximum number of Equity Securities available under the 7.1A Mandate, the economic and voting dilution of existing Shares would be as shown in the table below.</p> <p>The table below shows the dilution of existing Shareholders calculated in accordance with the formula outlined in Listing Rule 7.1A.2, on the basis of the closing market price of Shares and the number of Equity Securities on issue proposed to be issued as at 30 August 2024.</p>

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4. The Company has not issued any Equity Securities in the 12 months prior to the Meeting that were not issued under an exception in Listing Rule 7.2 or with approval under Listing Rule 7.1.																																											
5. The issue of Equity Securities under the 7.1A Mandate consists only of Shares. It is assumed that no Options are exercised into Shares before the date of issue of the Equity Securities. If the issue of Equity Securities includes quoted Options, it is assumed that those quoted Options are exercised into Shares for the purpose of calculating the voting dilution effect on existing Shareholders.																																											
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	<p>the time of issue. This is why the voting dilution is shown in each example as 10%.</p> <p>9. The table does not show an example of dilution that may be caused to a particular Shareholder by reason of placements under the 7.1A Mandate, based on that Shareholder's holding at the date of the Meeting.</p> <p>Shareholders should note that there is a risk that:</p> <p>(a) the market price for the Company's Shares may be significantly lower on the issue date than on the date of the Meeting; and</p> <p>(b) the Shares may be issued at a price that is at a discount to the market price for those Shares on the date of issue.</p>
<p>Allocation policy under 7.1A Mandate</p>	<p>The recipients of the Equity Securities to be issued under the 7.1A Mandate have not yet been determined. However, the recipients of Equity Securities could consist of current Shareholders or new investors (or both), none of whom will be related parties of the Company.</p> <p>The Company will determine the recipients at the time of the issue under the 7.1A Mandate, having regard to the following factors:</p> <p>(a) the purpose of the issue;</p> <p>(b) alternative methods for raising funds available to the Company at that time, including, but not limited to, an entitlement issue, share purchase plan, placement or other offer where existing Shareholders may participate;</p> <p>(c) the effect of the issue of the Equity Securities on the control of the Company;</p> <p>(d) the circumstances of the Company, including, but not limited to, the financial position and solvency of the Company;</p> <p>(e) prevailing market conditions; and</p> <p>(f) advice from corporate, financial and broking advisers (if applicable).</p>
<p>Previous approval under Listing Rule 7.1A.2</p>	<p>The Company previously obtained approval from its Shareholders pursuant to Listing Rule 7.1A at its annual general meeting held on 3 November 2023 (Previous Approval).</p> <p>During the 12-month period preceding the date of the Meeting, being on and from 6 November 2023, the Company issued 15,325,665 Shares pursuant to the Previous Approval (Previous Issue), which represent approximately 31.59% of the total diluted number of Equity Securities on issue in the Company on 6 November 2023, which was 48,509,090 Equity Securities.</p> <p>Further details of the issues of Equity Securities by the Company pursuant to Listing Rule 7.1A.2 during the 12 month period preceding the date of the Meeting are set out in Schedule 1.</p>
<p>Voting exclusion statement</p>	<p>As at the date of this Notice, the Company is not proposing to make an issue of Equity Securities under Listing Rule 7.1A. Accordingly, a voting exclusion statement is not included in this Notice.</p>

6. RESOLUTIONS 5, 6 AND 7 – RATIFICATION OF PRIOR ISSUE OF SECURITIES IN CONSIDERATION FOR SERVICES PROVIDED

6.1 General

Resolutions 5, 6 and 7 seek Shareholder ratification for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.4 for the issue of:

- (a) **Resolution 5:** 100,000 Shares;
- (b) **Resolution 6:** 750,000 Options; and
- (c) **Resolution 7:** 4,850,000 Performance Rights,

to unrelated employees of the Company on 11 September 2024 in consideration for services provided to the Company.

The terms and conditions of the Options and Performance Rights (including the applicable milestones and vesting criteria) are set out in Schedule 2 and Schedule 3, respectively.

6.2 Listing Rule 7.1

Broadly speaking, and subject to a number of exceptions, Listing Rule 7.1 limits the amount of equity securities that a listed company can issue without the approval of its shareholders over any 12 month period to 15% of the fully paid ordinary securities it had on issue at the start of that 12 month period.

The issues do not fit within any of the exceptions set out in Listing Rule 7.2 and, as they have not yet been approved by Shareholders, the issues effectively uses up part of the 15% limit in Listing Rule 7.1, reducing the Company's capacity to issue further equity securities without Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 7.1 for the 12 month period following the date of the issue.

6.3 Listing Rule 7.4

Listing Rule 7.4 allows the shareholders of a listed company to approve an issue of equity securities after it has been made or agreed to be made. If they do, the issue is taken to have been approved under Listing Rule 7.1 and so does not reduce the company's capacity to issue further equity securities without shareholder approval under that rule.

The Company wishes to retain as much flexibility as possible to issue additional equity securities in the future without having to obtain Shareholder approval for such issues under Listing Rule 7.1. Accordingly, the Company is seeking Shareholder ratification pursuant to Listing Rule 7.4 for the issues described in Section 6.1 above.

6.4 Technical information required by Listing Rule 14.1A

If Resolutions 5, 6 and 7 are passed, the issues will be excluded in calculating the Company's 15% limit in Listing Rule 7.1, effectively increasing the number of equity securities the Company can issue without Shareholder approval over the 12 month period following the date of the issues.

If Resolutions 5, 6 and 7 are not passed, the issues will be included in calculating the Company's 15% limit in Listing Rule 7.1, effectively decreasing the number of equity securities that the Company can issue without Shareholder approval over the 12 month period following the date of the issues.

6.5 Technical information required by Listing Rules 7.4 and 7.5

REQUIRED INFORMATION	DETAILS
Names of persons to whom Securities were issued or the basis on which those persons were identified/selected	Unrelated employees of the Company. The Company confirms that no recipient was issued more than 1% of the issued capital of the Company.

REQUIRED INFORMATION	DETAILS
Number and class of Securities issued	<p>Resolution 5: 100,000 Shares were issued.</p> <p>Resolution 6: 750,000 Options were issued, comprising 500,000 Class A Options and 250,000 Class B Options.</p> <p>Resolution 7: 4,850,000 Performance Rights were issued, comprising 800,000 Class A Performance Rights, 800,000 Class B Performance Rights, 500,000 Class C Performance Rights, 500,000 Class D Performance Rights, 250,000 Class E Performance Rights, 250,000 Class F Performance Rights, 250,000 Class G Performance Rights, 250,000 Class H Performance Rights, 250,000 Class I Performance Rights and 1,000,000 Class J Performance Rights.</p>
Terms of Securities	<p>Resolution 5: The Shares were fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Company issued on the same terms and conditions as the Company's existing Shares.</p> <p>Resolution 6: The Options were issued on the terms and conditions set out in Schedule 2.</p> <p>Resolution 7: The Performance Rights were issued on the terms and conditions set out in Schedule 3.</p>
Date(s) on or by which the Securities were issued.	11 September 2024
Price or other consideration the Company received for the Securities	Nil cash consideration. Securities were issued in consideration for services provided by the unrelated employees to the Company.
Purpose of the issue, including the intended use of any funds raised by the issue	<p>The Securities were issued at a nil issue price, in consideration for services provided by the unrelated employees to the Company.</p> <p>It is noted that the Shares the subject of Resolution 5 were issued at a deemed issue price of \$0.33 per Share.</p>
Voting Exclusion Statement	A voting exclusion statement applies to Resolutions 5, 6 and 7.
Compliance	The issues did not breach Listing Rule 7.1.

7. RESOLUTION 8 – APPROVAL TO ISSUE SECURITIES TO UNRELATED PARTIES UNDER AN INCENTIVE PLAN

7.1 General

This Resolution seeks Shareholder approval for purposes of Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13(b)) for the issue of a maximum of 15,209,392 Securities under the employee incentive scheme titled "Employee Incentive Securities Plan" (**Plan**).

The objective of the Plan is to attract, motivate and retain key employees, contractors and other persons who provide services to the Company, and the Company considers that the adoption of the Plan and the future issue of Securities under the Plan will provide these parties with the opportunity to participate in the future growth of the Company.

A summary of Listing Rule 7.1 is set out in Section 6.2 above.

Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13(b)) provides that Listing Rule 7.1 does not apply to an issue of securities under an employee incentive scheme if, within three years before the date of issue of the securities, the holders of the entity's ordinary securities have approved the issue of equity securities under the scheme as exception to Listing Rule 7.1.

Exception 13(b) is only available if and to the extent that the number of equity securities issued under the scheme does not exceed the maximum number set out in the entity's notice of meeting dispatched to shareholders in respect of the meeting at which shareholder approval was obtained pursuant to Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13(b)). Exception 13(b) also ceases to be available if there is a material change to the terms of the scheme from those set out in the notice of meeting.

7.2 Technical Information required by Listing Rule 14.1A

If this Resolution is passed, the Company will be able to issue Securities under the Plan to eligible participants over a period of 3 years. The issue of any Securities to eligible participants under the Plan (up to the maximum number of Securities stated in Section 7.3 below) will be excluded from the calculation of the number of equity securities that the Company can issue without Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 7.1.

For the avoidance of doubt, the Company must seek Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 10.14 in respect of any future issues of Securities under the Plan to a related party or a person whose relationship with the Company or the related party is, in ASX's opinion, such that approval should be obtained.

If this Resolution is not passed, the Company will be able to proceed with the issue of Securities under the Plan to eligible participants, but any issues of Securities will reduce, to that extent, the Company's capacity to issue equity securities without Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 7.1 for the 12 month period following the issue of the Securities.

7.3 Technical information required by Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13)

REQUIRED INFORMATION	DETAILS
Terms of the Plan	A summary of the material terms and conditions of the Plan is set out in Schedule 4.
Number of Securities previously issued under the Plan	The Company has not issued any Securities under the Plan as this is the first time that Shareholder approval is being sought for the adoption of the Plan.

REQUIRED INFORMATION	DETAILS
Maximum number of Securities proposed to be issued under the Plan	<p>The maximum number of Securities proposed to be issued under the Plan in reliance on to Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13), following Shareholder approval, is 15,209,392 Securities. It is not envisaged that the maximum number of Securities for which approval is sought will be issued immediately.</p> <p>The Company may also seek Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 10.14 in respect of any future issues of Securities under the Plan to a related party or a person whose relationship with the Company or the related party is, in ASX's opinion, such that approval should be obtained.</p>
Voting exclusion statement	A voting exclusion statement applies to this Resolution.
Voting prohibition statement	A voting prohibition statement applies to this Resolution.

GLOSSARY

\$ means Australian dollars.

7.1A Mandate has the meaning given in Section 5.1.

ASIC means the Australian Securities & Investments Commission.

ASX means ASX Limited (ACN 008 624 691) or the financial market operated by ASX Limited, as the context requires.

Board means the current board of directors of the Company.

Business Day means Monday to Friday inclusive, except New Year's Day, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Christmas Day, Boxing Day, and any other day that ASX declares is not a business day.

Chair means the chair of the Meeting.

Closely Related Party of a member of the Key Management Personnel means:

- (a) a spouse or child of the member;
- (b) a child of the member's spouse;
- (c) a dependent of the member or the member's spouse;
- (d) anyone else who is one of the member's family and may be expected to influence the member, or be influenced by the member, in the member's dealing with the entity;
- (e) a company the member controls; or
- (f) a person prescribed by the Corporations Regulations 2001 (Cth) for the purposes of the definition of 'closely related party' in the Corporations Act.

Company means Aurum Resources Limited (ACN 650 477 286).

Constitution means the Company's constitution.

Corporations Act means the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth).

Directors means the current directors of the Company.

Eligible Entity means an entity which is not included in the S&P/ASX 300 Index and has a market capitalisation of \$300,000,000 or less.

Equity Securities or **Securities** includes a Share, a right to a Share or Option, an Option, a convertible security and any security that ASX decides to classify as an Equity Security.

Explanatory Statement means the explanatory statement accompanying the Notice.

Group means the Company and each of its related bodies corporate from time to time.

JORC Code means the JORC Code (2012).

Key Management Personnel has the same meaning as in the accounting standards issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board and means those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company, or if the Company is part of a consolidated entity, of the consolidated entity, directly or indirectly, including any director (whether executive or otherwise) of the Company, or if the Company is part of a consolidated entity, of an entity within the consolidated group.

Listing Rules means the Listing Rules of ASX.

Managing Director means the managing director of the Company who may, in accordance with the Listing Rules, continue to hold office indefinitely without being re-elected to the office.

Meeting means the meeting convened by the Notice.

Notice means this notice of meeting including the Explanatory Statement and the Proxy Form.

Option means an option to acquire a Share.

Performance Rights means a performance right convertible into a Share.

Plan means the employee incentive scheme titled "Employee Incentive Securities Plan" the subject of Resolution 8.

Proxy Form means the proxy form accompanying the Notice.

Remuneration Report means the remuneration report set out in the Director's report section of the Company's annual financial report for the year ended 30 June 2024 .

Resolutions means the resolutions set out in the Notice, or any one of them, as the context requires.

Section means a section of the Explanatory Statement.

Security means a Share, Option, Performance Right or Performance Share (as applicable).

Share means a fully paid ordinary share in the capital of the Company.

Shareholder means a registered holder of a Share.

Variable A means "A" as set out in the formula in Listing Rule 7.1A.2.

WST means Western Standard Time as observed in Perth, Western Australia.

SCHEDULE 1 – ISSUES OF EQUITY SECURITIES UNDER LISTING RULE 7.1A SINCE 6 NOVEMBER 2023

DATE	RECIPIENTS	NUMBER AND CLASS OF EQUITY SECURITIES ISSUED	ISSUE PRICE AND DISCOUNT TO MARKET PRICE (IF APPLICABLE) ¹	TOTAL CASH CONSIDERATION AND USE OF FUNDS
Issue – 14 February 2024 Appendix 2A – 14 February 2024	Professional and sophisticated investors as part of a placement announced on 6 February 2024. The placement participants were identified through a bookbuild process, which involved Ashanti Capital Pty Ltd and Xcel Capital Pty Ltd seeking expressions of interest to participate in the placement from non-related parties of the Company.	6,188,787 Shares ²	The issue price of \$0.24 per Share represented a 4% discount to the closing price of Shares on 14 February which was \$0.25 per Share.	Amount raised or to be raised: \$1,485,308.88 Amount spent: \$1,485,308.88 Use of funds: As foreshadowed in the Notice of General Meeting released to the Company's ASX platform on 7 March 2024, the Company applied the proceeds raised under the placement towards aggressive diamond drilling at the Boundiali Gold Project general working capital. Amount remaining: Nil Proposed use of remaining funds: ³ N/A
Issue – 21 June 2024 Appendix 2A – 21 June 2024	Professional and sophisticated investors as part of a placement announced on 13 June 2024. The placement participants were identified through a bookbuild process, which involved the Petra Capital Pty Limited seeking expressions of interest to participate in the capital raising from non-related parties of the Company.	9,136,878 Shares ²	\$0.33 per Share. There was no discount as the closing price of Shares on 21 June 2024 was \$0.33 per Share.	Use of funds: As foreshadowed in the Notice of General Meeting released to the Company's ASX platform on 4 July 2024, the Company applied the proceeds raised under the placement towards exploration activities at the Boundiali Gold Project, including for diamond drilling, surveys and other test work, and building a centralised exploration camp at Boundiali. Amount raised or to be raised: \$3,015,169.74 Amount spent: Nil Amount remaining: \$3,015,169.74 Proposed use of remaining funds: ³ Boundiali Gold Project, including for diamond drilling, surveys and other test work, and building a centralised exploration camp at Boundiali.

Notes:

1. Market Price means the closing price of Shares on ASX (excluding special crossings, overnight sales and exchange traded option exercises). For the purposes of this table the discount is calculated on the Market Price on the last trading day on which a sale was recorded prior to the date of issue of the relevant Equity Securities.
2. Fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Company, ASX Code: AUE (terms are set out in the Constitution).
3. This is a statement of current intentions as at the date of this Notice. As with any budget, intervening events and new circumstances have the potential to affect the manner in which the funds are ultimately applied. The Board reserves the right to alter the way the funds are applied on this basis

SCHEDULE 2 – TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OPTIONS

(a) **Entitlement**

Each Option entitles the holder to subscribe for one Share upon exercise of the Option.

(b) **Exercise Price**

Subject to paragraph (i), the amount payable upon exercise of each Option will be \$0.312 (**Exercise Price**).

(c) **Expiry Date**

Each Option will expire at 5:00 pm (WST) on:

(i) **Class A Options:** 1 February 2028; and

(ii) **Class B Options:** 1 March 2028,

(each an **Expiry Date**).

An Option not exercised before the Expiry Date will automatically lapse on the Expiry Date.

(d) **Exercise Period**

The Options are exercisable at any time on or prior to the Expiry Date (**Exercise Period**).

(e) **Notice of Exercise**

The Options may be exercised during the Exercise Period by notice in writing to the Company in the manner specified on the Option certificate (**Notice of Exercise**) and payment of the Exercise Price for each Option being exercised in Australian currency by electronic funds transfer or other means of payment acceptable to the Company.

(f) **Exercise Date**

A Notice of Exercise is only effective on and from the later of the date of receipt of the Notice of Exercise and the date of receipt of the payment of the Exercise Price for each Option being exercised in cleared funds (**Exercise Date**).

(g) **Timing of issue of Shares on exercise**

Within five Business Days after the Exercise Date, the Company will:

- (i) issue the number of Shares required under these terms and conditions in respect of the number of Options specified in the Notice of Exercise and for which cleared funds have been received by the Company;
- (ii) if required, give ASX a notice that complies with section 708A(5)(e) of the Corporations Act, or, if the Company is unable to issue such a notice, lodge with ASIC a prospectus prepared in accordance with the Corporations Act and do all such things necessary to satisfy section 708A(11) of the Corporations Act to ensure that an offer for sale of the Shares does not require disclosure to investors; and
- (iii) if admitted to the official list of ASX at the time, apply for official quotation on ASX of Shares issued pursuant to the exercise of the Options.

If a notice delivered under (g)(ii) for any reason is not effective to ensure that an offer for sale of the Shares does not require disclosure to investors, the Company must, no later than 20 Business Days after becoming aware of such notice being ineffective, lodge with ASIC a prospectus prepared in accordance with the Corporations Act and do all such things necessary to satisfy section 708A(11) of the Corporations Act to ensure that an offer for sale of the Shares does not require disclosure to investors.

(h) **Shares issued on exercise**

Shares issued on exercise of the Options rank equally with the then issued shares of the Company.

(i) **Reconstruction of capital**

If at any time the issued capital of the Company is reconstructed, all rights of an Optionholder are to be changed in a manner consistent with the Corporations Act and the ASX Listing Rules at the time of the reconstruction.

(j) **Participation in new issues**

There are no participation rights or entitlements inherent in the Options and holders will not be entitled to participate in new issues of capital offered to Shareholders during the currency of the Options without exercising the Options.

(k) **Change in exercise price**

An Option does not confer the right to a change in Exercise Price or a change in the number of underlying securities over which the Option can be exercised.

(l) **Transferability**

The Options are transferable subject to any restriction or escrow arrangements imposed by ASX or under applicable Australian securities laws.

SCHEDULE 3 – TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PERFORMANCE RIGHTS

The terms and conditions of the Performance Rights are set out as follows:

(a) **Milestones**

Milestones	<p>The respective milestones upon which Performance Rights will convert into Shares (on a one for one for basis subject to paragraph (k)) are as follows:</p> <p>(a) Class A Performance Rights: The Company announcing a Mineral Resource Estimate at the Boundiali Gold Project in compliance with the JORC Code of 1 million ounces or greater by 31 December 2025.</p> <p>(b) Class B Performance Rights: The Company announcing a Mineral Resource Estimate at the Boundiali Gold Project in compliance with the JORC Code of 2 million ounces or greater by 31 December 2026.</p> <p>(c) Class C Performance Rights: The Company announcing a Mineral Resource Estimate at the Boundiali Gold Project in compliance with the JORC Code of 2.5 million ounces Au or greater by 30 June 2027.</p> <p>(d) Class D Performance Rights: The Company announcing a Mineral Resource Estimate in compliance with the JORC Code of 3 million ounces Au or greater by 31 December 2027.</p> <p>(e) Class E Performance Rights: The transfer and/or grant of the Boundiali South Exploration Licence (PR414) from Predictive Discovery Cote d'Ivoire SARL to PlusOr Cote D'Ivoire Sarl by 30 June 2025.</p> <p>(f) Class F Performance Rights: The Company having obtained environmental approval from the Cote d'Ivoire Ministry of Environment for the purpose of mining exploitation licence for the Boundiali South Tenement PR414 (Boundiali South Project) by 30 June 2026.</p> <p>(g) Class G Performance Rights: Grant of an exploitation licence for the Boundiali South Project by 31 December 2026.</p> <p>(h) Class H Performance Rights: The Company having obtained environmental approval from the Cote d'Ivoire Ministry of Environment for the purpose of mining exploitation licence on the Boundiali DS Tenement PR808 (BD Gold Project) by 30 June 2026.</p> <p>(i) Class I Performance Rights: Grant of an exploitation licence for the BD Gold Project by 31 December 2026.</p> <p>(j) Class J Performance Rights: The Company having obtained environmental approval from the Cote d'Ivoire Ministry of Environment for the purpose of mining exploitation on the BD Gold Project by 31 December 2025 and grant of an exploitation licence for the BD Gold Project by 31 December 2025.</p> <p>(each, a Milestone).</p>
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(b) **Notification to holder**

The Company shall notify the holder in writing when the relevant Milestone has been satisfied.

(c) **Conversion**

Upon satisfaction of the relevant Milestone, each Performance Right will, at the election of the holder, convert into one Share.

(d) **Expiry Date**

Expiry Dates	<p>The respective expiry dates for the Performance Rights are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">(a) Class A Performance Rights: 31 December 2025;(b) Class B Performance Rights: 31 December 2026;(c) Class C Performance Rights: 30 June 2027;(d) Class D Performance Rights: 31 December 2027;(e) Class E Performance Rights: 30 June 2025;(f) Class F Performance Rights: 30 June 2026;(g) Class G Performance Rights: 31 December 2026;(h) Class H Performance Rights: 30 June 2026;(i) Class I Performance Rights: 31 December 2026; and(j) Class J Performance Rights: 31 December 2025, <p>(each, an Expiry Date), except where, in the case of unvested Performance Rights, the holder ceases to be an employee of the Company prior to the achievement of a Milestone (and the relevant Expiry Date), in which case the Expiry Date shall automatically accelerate to the date of cessation of employment, unless otherwise determined by the Board at its absolute discretion</p>
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(e) **Consideration**

The Performance Rights will be issued for nil consideration and no consideration will be payable upon the conversion of the Performance Rights into Shares.

(f) **Share ranking**

All Shares issued upon the conversion of Performance Rights will upon issue rank pari passu in all respects with other existing Shares.

(g) **Application to ASX**

The Performance Rights will not be quoted on ASX. The Company must apply for the official quotation of a Share issued on conversion of a Performance Right on ASX within the time period required by the ASX Listing Rules.

(h) **Timing of issue of Shares on conversion**

Within 5 business days after the date that the Performance Rights are converted, the Company will:

- (i) issue the number of Shares required under these terms and conditions in respect of the number of Performance Rights converted;
- (ii) if required, give ASX a notice that complies with section 708A(5)(e) of the Corporations Act, or, if the Company is unable to issue such a notice, lodge with ASIC a prospectus prepared in accordance with the Corporations Act and do all such things necessary to satisfy section 708A(11) of the Corporations Act to ensure that an offer for sale of the Shares does not require disclosure to investors; and
- (iii) if admitted to the Official List of ASX at the time, apply for official quotation on ASX of Shares issued pursuant to the conversion of the Performance Rights.

If a notice delivered under paragraph (h)(ii) for any reason is not effective to ensure that an offer for sale of the Shares does not require disclosure to investors, the Company must,

no later than 20 business days after becoming aware of such notice being ineffective, lodge with ASIC a prospectus prepared in accordance with the Corporations Act and do all such things necessary to satisfy section 708A(11) of the Corporations Act to ensure that an offer for sale of the Shares does not require disclosure to investors.

(i) **Transfer of Performance Rights**

The Performance Rights are not transferable.

(j) **Participation in new issues**

A Performance Right does not entitle a holder (in their capacity as a holder of a Performance Right) to participate in new issues of capital offered to holders of Shares such as bonus issues and entitlement issues without exercising the Performance Right.

(k) **Reorganisation of capital**

If at any time the issued capital of the Company is reorganised (including consolidation, subdivision, reduction or return), all rights of a holder will be changed in a manner consistent with the applicable ASX Listing Rules and the Corporations Act at the time of reorganisation.

(l) **Adjustment for bonus issues of Shares**

If the Company makes a bonus issue of Shares or other securities to the Company's existing shareholders (other than an issue in lieu or in satisfaction of dividends or by way of dividend reinvestment) no changes will be made to the Performance Rights.

(m) **Dividend and voting rights**

The Performance Rights do not confer on the holder an entitlement to vote (except as otherwise required by law) or receive dividends.

(n) **Change in control**

Subject to paragraph (o), upon:

- (i) a bona fide takeover bid under Chapter 6 of the Corporations Act having been made in respect of the Company and:
 - (A) having received acceptances for not less than 50.1% of the Company's Shares on issue; and
 - (B) having been declared unconditional by the bidder; or
- (ii) a Court granting orders approving a compromise or arrangement for the purposes of or in connection with a scheme for the reconstruction of the Company or its amalgamation with any other company or companies; or
- (iii) in any other case, a person obtains Voting Power (as defined in the Corporations Act) in the Company that the Board (which for the avoidance of doubt will comprise those Directors immediately prior to the person acquiring that Voting Power) determines, acting in good faith and in accordance with their fiduciary duties, is sufficient to control the composition of the Board,

then, to the extent Performance Rights have not converted into Shares due to satisfaction of the relevant Milestone, Performance Rights will accelerate vesting conditions and will automatically convert into Shares on a one-for-one basis.

(o) **Deferral of conversion if resulting in a prohibited acquisition of Shares**

If the conversion of a Performance Right under paragraphs (c) or (m) would result in any person being in contravention of section 606(1) of the *Corporations Act 2001 (Cth)* (**General Prohibition**) then the conversion of that Performance Right shall be deferred until such later time or times that the conversion would not result in a contravention of the General Prohibition. In assessing whether a conversion of a Performance Right would result in a contravention of the General Prohibition:

- (i) holders may give written notification to the Company if they consider that the conversion of a Performance Right may result in the contravention of the General

Prohibition. The absence of such written notification from the holder will entitle the Company to assume the conversion of a Performance Right will not result in any person being in contravention of the General Prohibition; and

- (ii) the Company may (but is not obliged to) by written notice to a holder request a holder to provide the written notice referred to in paragraph 0(i) within 7 days if the Company considers that the conversion of a Performance Right may result in a contravention of the General Prohibition. The absence of such written notification from the holder will entitle the Company to assume the conversion of a Performance Right will not result in any person being in contravention of the General Prohibition.

(p) **No rights to return of capital**

A Performance Right does not entitle the holder to a return of capital, whether in a winding up, upon a reduction of capital or otherwise.

(q) **Rights on winding up**

A Performance Right does not entitle the holder to participate in the surplus profits or assets of the Company upon winding up.

(r) **ASX Listing Rule compliance**

The Board reserves the right to amend any term of the Performance Rights to ensure compliance with the ASX Listing Rules.

(s) **No other rights**

A Performance Right gives the holder no rights other than those expressly provided by these terms and conditions and those provided at law where such rights at law cannot be excluded by these terms.

SCHEDULE 4 – TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PLAN

A summary of the material terms of the Company's Employee Securities Incentive Plan (**Plan**) is set out below.

Eligible Participant	Eligible Participant means a person that is a 'primary participant' (as that term is defined in Division 1A of Part 7.12 of the Corporations Act) in relation to the Company or an Associated Body Corporate (as defined in the Corporations Act) and has been determined by the Board to be eligible to participate in the Plan from time to time.
Purpose	<p>The purpose of the Plan is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) assist in the reward, retention and motivation of Eligible Participants; (b) link the reward of Eligible Participants to Shareholder value creation; and (c) align the interests of Eligible Participants with shareholders of the Group (being the Company and each of its Associated Bodies Corporate), by providing an opportunity to Eligible Participants to receive an equity interest in the Company in the form of Shares, Options and/or Performance Rights (Securities).
Maximum number of Convertible Securities	<p>The Company will not make an invitation under the Plan which involves monetary consideration if the number of Shares that may be issued, or acquired upon exercise of Convertible Securities offered under an invitation, when aggregated with the number of Shares issued or that may be issued as a result of all invitations under the Plan during the 3 year period ending on the day of the invitation, will exceed 5% of the total number of issued Shares at the date of the invitation (unless the Constitution specifies a different percentage and subject to any limits approved by Shareholders under Listing Rule 7.2 Exception 13(b)).</p> <p>The Constitution does not specify a different threshold for the issue cap.</p> <p>The maximum number of equity securities proposed to be issued under the Plan in reliance on Listing Rule 7.2 (Exemption 13(a)), following Shareholder approval, is 15,209,392 Securities. It is not envisaged that the maximum number of Securities will be issued immediately.</p>
Plan administration	<p>The Plan will be administered by the Board. The Board may exercise any power or discretion conferred on it by the Plan rules in its sole and absolute discretion (except to the extent that it prevents the Participant relying on the deferred tax concessions under Subdivision 83A-C of the <i>Income Tax Assessment Act 1997</i> (Cth)). The Board may delegate its powers and discretion.</p>
Eligibility, invitation and application	<p>The Board may from time to time determine that an Eligible Participant may participate in the Plan and make an invitation to that Eligible Participant to apply for any (or any combination of) the Securities provided under the Plan on such terms and conditions as the Board decides.</p> <p>On receipt of an invitation, an Eligible Participant may apply for the Securities the subject of the invitation by sending a completed application form to the Company. The Board may accept an application from an Eligible Participant in whole or in part.</p> <p>If an Eligible Participant is permitted in the invitation, the Eligible Participant may, by notice in writing to the Board, nominate a party in whose favour the Eligible Participant wishes to renounce the invitation.</p>

Grant of Securities	The Company will, to the extent that it has accepted a duly completed application, grant the relevant Eligible Participant the relevant number and type of Securities, subject to the terms and conditions set out in the invitation, the Plan rules and any ancillary documentation required.
Rights attaching to Convertible Securities	<p>A Convertible Security represents a right to acquire one or more Plan Shares in accordance with the Plan (for example, an Option or a Performance Right).</p> <p>Prior to a Convertible Security being exercised, the holder:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) does not have any interest (legal, equitable or otherwise) in any Share the subject of the Convertible Security other than as expressly set out in the Plan; (b) is not entitled to receive notice of, vote at or attend a meeting of the shareholders of the Company; (c) is not entitled to receive any dividends declared by the Company; and (d) is not entitled to participate in any new issue of Shares (see Adjustment of Convertible Securities section below).
Restrictions on dealing with Convertible Securities	<p>Convertible Securities issued under the Plan cannot be sold, assigned, transferred, have a security interest granted over or otherwise dealt with unless in Special Circumstances as defined under the Plan (including in the case of death or total or permanent disability of the holder) with the consent of the Board in which case the Convertible Securities may be exercisable on terms determined by the Board.</p> <p>A holder must not enter into any arrangement for the purpose of hedging their economic exposure to a Convertible Security that has been granted to them.</p>
Vesting of Convertible Securities	Any vesting conditions applicable to the Convertible Securities will be described in the invitation. If all the vesting conditions are satisfied and/or otherwise waived by the Board, a vesting notice will be sent to the Participant by the Company informing them that the relevant Convertible Securities have vested. Unless and until the vesting notice is issued by the Company, the Convertible Securities will not be considered to have vested. For the avoidance of doubt, if the vesting conditions relevant to a Convertible Security are not satisfied and/or otherwise waived by the Board, that security will lapse.
Forfeiture of Convertible Securities	<p>Convertible Securities will be forfeited in the following circumstances:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) in the case of unvested Convertible Securities only, where the holder ceases to be an Eligible Participant (e.g. is no longer employed or their office or engagement is discontinued with the Company and any Associated Bodies Corporate (as defined in the Corporations Act) (the Group); (b) where a Participant acts fraudulently, dishonestly, negligently, in contravention of any Group policy or wilfully breaches their duties to the Group and the Board exercises its discretion to deem some or all of the Convertible Securities held by a Participant to have been forfeited; (c) where there is a failure to satisfy the vesting conditions in accordance with the Plan; (d) on the date the Participant becomes insolvent; or (e) on the Expiry Date, <p>subject to the discretion of the Board.</p>

Listing of Convertible Securities	Convertible Securities granted under the Plan will not be quoted on the ASX or any other recognised exchange. The Board reserves the right in its absolute discretion to apply for quotation of Convertible Securities granted under the Plan on the ASX or any other recognised exchange.
Exercise of Convertible Securities and cashless exercise	<p>To exercise a security, the Participant must deliver a signed notice of exercise and, subject to a cashless exercise (see next paragraph below), pay the exercise price (if any) to or as directed by the Company, at any time following vesting of the Convertible Securities (if subject to vesting conditions) and prior to the expiry date as set out in the invitation or vesting notice.</p> <p>An invitation to apply for Convertible Securities may specify that at the time of exercise of the Convertible Securities, the Participant may elect not to be required to provide payment of the exercise price for the number of Convertible Securities specified in a notice of exercise, but that on exercise of those Convertible Securities the Company will transfer or issue to the Participant that number of Shares equal in value to the positive difference between the Market Value of the Shares at the time of exercise and the exercise price that would otherwise be payable to exercise those Convertible Securities.</p> <p>Market Value means, at any given date, the volume weighted average price per Share traded on the ASX over the 5 trading days immediately preceding that given date, unless otherwise specified in an invitation.</p> <p>Convertible Securities may not be exercised unless and until that security has vested in accordance with the Plan rules, or such earlier date as set out in the Plan rules.</p>
Timing of issue of Shares and quotation of Shares on exercise	Within five business days after the issue of a valid notice of exercise by a Participant, the Company will issue or cause to be transferred to that Participant the number of Shares to which the Participant is entitled under the Plan rules and issue a substitute certificate for any remaining unexercised Convertible Securities held by that Participant.
Restriction periods and restrictions on transfer of Shares on exercise	<p>If the invitation provides that any Shares issued upon the valid exercise of a Convertible Security are subject to any restrictions as to the disposal or other dealing by a Participant for a period, the Board may implement any procedure it deems appropriate to ensure the compliance by the Participant with this restriction.</p> <p>Additionally, Shares issued on exercise of the Convertible Securities are subject to the following restrictions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) if the Company is required but is unable to give ASX a notice that complies with section 708A(5)(e) of the Corporations Act, Shares issued on exercise of the Convertible Securities may not be traded until 12 months after their issue unless the Company, at its sole discretion, elects to issue a prospectus pursuant to section 708A(11) of the Corporations Act; (b) all Shares issued on exercise of the Convertible Securities are subject to restrictions imposed by applicable law on dealing in Shares by persons who possess material information likely to affect the value of the Shares and which is not generally available; and (c) all Shares issued on exercise of the Convertible Securities are subject to the terms of the Company's Securities Trading Policy.
Rights attaching to Shares on exercise	All Shares issued upon exercise of Convertible Securities will rank equally in all respects with the then Shares of the Company.

Change of control	If a change of control event occurs (being an event which results in any person (either alone or together with associates) owning more than 50% of the Company's issued capital), the Board may in its discretion determine the manner in which any or all of the holder's Convertible Securities will be dealt with, including, without limitation, in a manner that allows the holder to participate in and/or benefit from any transaction arising from or in connection with the change of control event. The Board may specify in the Invitation how the Convertible Securities will be treated on a change of control event occurring, or the Board determining that such event is likely to occur, which may vary depending upon circumstances in which the Participant becomes a leaver and preserve some or all of the Board's discretion under this rule.
Participation in entitlements and bonus issues	Subject always to the rights under the following two paragraphs, Participants will not be entitled to participate in new issues of capital offered to holders of Shares such as bonus issues and entitlement issues.
Adjustment for bonus issue	If Shares are issued by the Company by way of bonus issue (other than an issue in lieu of dividends or by way of dividend reinvestment), the Participant is entitled, upon exercise of the Convertible Securities, to receive an issue of as many additional Shares as would have been issued to the holder if the holder held Shares equal in number to the Shares in respect of which the Convertible Securities are exercised.
Reorganisation	If there is a reorganisation of the issued share capital of the Company (including any subdivision, consolidation, reduction, return or cancellation of such issued capital of the Company), the rights of each Participant holding Convertible Securities will be changed to the extent necessary to comply with the ASX Listing Rules applicable to a reorganisation of capital at the time of the reorganisation.
Buy-Back	Subject to applicable law, the Company may at any time buy-back Securities in accordance with the terms of the Plan.
Employee Share Trust	The Board may in its sole and absolute discretion use an employee share trust or other mechanism for the purposes of holding Convertible Securities for holders under the Plan and delivering Shares on behalf of holders upon exercise of Convertible Securities.
Amendment of Plan	<p>Subject to the following paragraph, the Board may at any time amend any provisions of the Plan rules, including (without limitation) the terms and conditions upon which any Securities have been granted under the Plan and determine that any amendments to the Plan rules be given retrospective effect, immediate effect or future effect.</p> <p>No amendment to any provision of the Plan rules may be made if the amendment materially reduces the rights of any Participant as they existed before the date of the amendment, other than an amendment introduced primarily for the purpose of complying with legislation or to correct manifest error or mistake, amongst other things, or is agreed to in writing by all Participants.</p>
Plan duration	<p>The Plan continues in operation until the Board decides to end it. The Board may from time to time suspend the operation of the Plan for a fixed period or indefinitely and may end any suspension. If the Plan is terminated or suspended for any reason, that termination or suspension must not prejudice the accrued rights of the Participants.</p> <p>If a Participant and the Company (acting by the Board) agree in writing that some or all of the Securities granted to that Participant are to be cancelled on a specified date or on the occurrence of a particular event, then those Securities may be cancelled in the manner agreed between the Company and the Participant.</p>

Income Tax Assessment Act	<p>The Plan is a plan to which Subdivision 83A-C of the <i>Income Tax Assessment Act 1997</i> (Cth) applies (subject to the conditions in that Act) except to the extent an invitation provides otherwise.</p>
Withholding	<p>If a member of the Group, a trustee or the Plan administrator is obliged, or reasonably believes that it may have an obligation to account for any tax, or any superannuation amounts (or equivalent social security contributions, if applicable) in respect of a Eligible Participant (Withholding Amount), then that Group company, trustee or Plan administrator (as applicable) is entitled to withhold or be reimbursed by the Eligible Participant for the Withholding Amount payable or paid.</p>

Your proxy voting instruction must be received by **10.00am (AWST) on Monday, 04 November 2024**, being **not later than 48 hours** before the commencement of the Meeting. Any Proxy Voting instructions received after that time will not be valid for the scheduled Meeting.

SUBMIT YOUR PROXY

Complete the form overleaf in accordance with the instructions set out below.

YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS

The name and address shown above is as it appears on the Company's share register. If this information is incorrect, and you have an Issuer Sponsored holding, you can update your address through the investor portal: <https://investor.automic.com.au/#/home> Shareholders sponsored by a broker should advise their broker of any changes.

STEP 1 – APPOINT A PROXY

If you wish to appoint someone other than the Chair of the Meeting as your proxy, please write the name of that Individual or body corporate. A proxy need not be a Shareholder of the Company. Otherwise if you leave this box blank, the Chair of the Meeting will be appointed as your proxy by default.

DEFAULT TO THE CHAIR OF THE MEETING

Any directed proxies that are not voted on a poll at the Meeting will default to the Chair of the Meeting, who is required to vote these proxies as directed. Any undirected proxies that default to the Chair of the Meeting will be voted according to the instructions set out in this Proxy Voting Form, including where the Resolutions are connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of Key Management Personnel.

STEP 2 - VOTES ON ITEMS OF BUSINESS

You may direct your proxy how to vote by marking one of the boxes opposite each item of business. All your shares will be voted in accordance with such a direction unless you indicate only a portion of voting rights are to be voted on any item by inserting the percentage or number of shares you wish to vote in the appropriate box or boxes. If you do not mark any of the boxes on the items of business, your proxy may vote as he or she chooses. If you mark more than one box on an item your vote on that item will be invalid.

APPOINTMENT OF SECOND PROXY

You may appoint up to two proxies. If you appoint two proxies, you should complete two separate Proxy Voting Forms and specify the percentage or number each proxy may exercise. If you do not specify a percentage or number, each proxy may exercise half the votes. You must return both Proxy Voting Forms together. If you require an additional Proxy Voting Form, contact Automic Registry Services.

SIGNING INSTRUCTIONS

Individual: Where the holding is in one name, the Shareholder must sign.

Joint holding: Where the holding is in more than one name, all Shareholders should sign.

Power of attorney: If you have not already lodged the power of attorney with the registry, please attach a certified photocopy of the power of attorney to this Proxy Voting Form when you return it.

Companies: To be signed in accordance with your Constitution. Please sign in the appropriate box which indicates the office held by you.

Email Address: Please provide your email address in the space provided.

By providing your email address, you elect to receive all communications despatched by the Company electronically (where legally permissible) such as a Notice of Meeting, Proxy Voting Form and Annual Report via email.

CORPORATE REPRESENTATIVES

If a representative of the corporation is to attend the Meeting the appropriate 'Appointment of Corporate Representative' should be produced prior to admission. A form may be obtained from the Company's share registry online at <https://automic.com.au>.

Lodging your Proxy Voting Form:

Online

Use your computer or smartphone to appoint a proxy at <https://investor.automic.com.au/#/loginsah> or scan the QR code below using your smartphone

Login & Click on 'Meetings'. Use the Holder Number as shown at the top of this Proxy Voting Form.



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