

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

29 002 148 361

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

31 December 2011

Consolidated statement of cash flows

Cash flows related to operating activities

1.1	Receipts from product sales and related debtors				
1.2	Payments for	(a) exploration and evaluation	(72,371)	(483,965)	
		(b) development	(912,515)	(3,315,075)	
		(c) production	(2,881,096)	(9,738,937)	
		(d) administration	(1,202,673)	(5,014,061)	
1.3	Dividends received		-	-	
1.4	Interest and other items of a similar nature received		19,289	68,471	
1.5	Interest and other costs of finance paid		(816,852)	(3,489,624)	
1.6	Income taxes (including production & land tax)		(2,079,651)	(3,534,553)	
1.7	Other sundry revenue		-	7,088	

Net Operating Cash Flows

	(1,821,470)	3,062,804
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Cash flows related to investing activities

1.8	Payment for purchases of:	(a) prospects	(77,752)	(371,451)	
		(b) equity investments	-	(28,619)	
		(c) other fixed assets	(68,071)	(757,982)	
1.9	Proceeds from sale of:	(a) prospects	-	-	
		(b) equity investments	-	135,559	
		(c) other fixed assets	-	-	
1.10	Loans to other entities		-	-	
1.11	Loans repaid by other entities		-	-	
1.12	Other (provide details if material)		-	(371,309)	

Net investing cash flows

	(145,823)	(1,393,802)
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1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (carried forward)				
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	(1,967,293)	1,669,002
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* An oil revenue payment of \$1.58 million relating to the 31 December 2011 quarter was not banked until 3 January 2012.

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1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (brought forward)	(1,967,293)	1,669,002
	Cash flows related to financing activities		
1.14	Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc.	1,711,611	15,826,538
1.15	Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares	-	-
1.16	Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
1.17	Repayment of borrowings	(4,208,846)	(14,966,915)
1.18	Dividends paid (minority interest distribution)	-	(250,832)
1.19	Proceeds from promissory notes	-	-
	Net financing cash flows	(2,497,235)	608,791
	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(4,464,528)	2,277,793
1.20	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	9,376,233	2,740,642
1.21	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	84,241	(22,489)
1.22	Cash at end of quarter	4,995,946	4,995,946

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	172,623
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

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 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 |
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Non-cash financing and investing activities

2.1 Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows

Nil

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

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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	58.1 million
3.2 Credit standby arrangements	Nil	Nil

Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

	\$US
4.1 Exploration and evaluation	100,000
4.2 Development	700,000
4.3 Production	2,500,000
4.4 Administration	900,000
Total	4,200,000

Reconciliation of cash

Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.

	Current quarter \$US	Previous quarter \$US
5.1 Cash on hand and at bank	889,961	390,870
5.2 Deposits at call	4,105,985	8,985,363
5.3 Bank overdraft	-	-
5.4 Other (provide details)	-	-
Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	4,995,946	9,376,233

Changes in interests in mining tenements

	Tenement reference	Nature of interest (note (2))	Interest at beginning of quarter	Interest at 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 +Ordinary securities	291,530,350	278,197,016		
7.4 Changes during quarter				
(a) Increases through issues	13,333,334	-	6,666,667 @ \$0.12 6,666,667 @ \$0.135	\$0.12 \$0.135
(b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy-backs	Nil	Nil	Quotation of the above securities granted 25/1/2012	
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 Options (description and conversion factor)	26,866,664	Nil	Refer to attached schedule	
7.8 Issued during quarter	Nil	Nil		
7.9 Exercised during quarter	13,333,334	13,333,334	Refer to attached schedule	
7.10 Expired during quarter	Nil	Nil		
7.11 Debentures (totals only)	Nil	Nil		
7.12 Unsecured notes (totals only)	Nil	Nil		

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Compliance statement

- 1 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:

 Date: 31 January 2012
(Company Secretary)

Print name:

David Hughes
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Notes

- 1 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.
- 2 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.
- 4 The definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 1022: Accounting for Extractive Industries* and *AASB 1026: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report.
- 5 **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 SAUD	Expiry Date
	66,666 executive	Nil	\$0.1575	5 March 2013
	6,666,666	Nil	\$0.165	22 December 2012
	6,666,666	Nil	\$0.18	22 December 2012
	6,666,666	Nil	\$0.15	22 June 2012
	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
	26,866,664			

7.9 Options				
Exercised				
	6,666,6667	Nil	\$0.12	22 December 2011
	6,666,6667	Nil	\$0.135	22 December 2011
	13,333,334			

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