



ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

13 July 2023



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Dear Shannon,

White Cliff Minerals Limited (**White Cliff** or the **Company**) refers to your Price and Volume Query letter dated 13 July 2023 and provides the following responses:

1. No.
2. Not applicable.
3. The Company notes that its securities were subject to increased liquidity in the past two days, which the Company considers was part of a general positive sentiment for junior lithium and REE focused companies.
4. The Company confirms that it is compliant with the Listing Rules and, in particular, Listing Rule 3.1.
5. The Company confirms that its response has been authorised and approved by officers of the Company that have delegated authority from the Board to respond to ASX disclosure matters.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Ong
Company Secretary
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Mr Nicholas Ong
Company Secretary
White Cliff Minerals Limited

By email

Dear Mr Ong

White Cliff Minerals Limited ('WCN'): Price and Volume - Query

ASX refers to the following:

- A. The change in the price of WCN's securities from a low of \$0.007 to an intraday high of \$0.013 today.
- B. The significant increase in the volume of WCN's securities traded from 12 July 2023 to the time of writing.

Request for information

In light of this, ASX asks WCN to respond separately to each of the following questions and requests for information:

1. Is WCN aware of any information concerning it that has not been announced to the market which, if known by some in the market, could explain the recent trading in its securities?
2. If the answer to question 1 is "yes".
 - (a) Is WCN relying on Listing Rule 3.1A not to announce that information under Listing Rule 3.1? Please note that the recent trading in WCN's securities would suggest to ASX that such information may have ceased to be confidential and therefore WCN may no longer be able to rely on Listing Rule 3.1A. Accordingly, if the answer to this question is "yes", you need to contact us immediately to discuss the situation.
 - (b) Can an announcement be made immediately? Please note, if the answer to this question is "no", you need to contact us immediately to discuss requesting a trading halt (see below).
 - (c) If an announcement cannot be made immediately, why not and when is it expected that an announcement will be made?
3. If the answer to question 1 is "no", is there any other explanation that WCN may have for the recent trading in its securities?
4. Please confirm that WCN is complying with the Listing Rules and, in particular, Listing Rule 3.1.
5. Please confirm that WCN's responses to the questions above have been authorised and approved under its published continuous disclosure policy or otherwise by its board or an officer of WCN with delegated authority from the board to respond to ASX on disclosure matters.

When and where to send your response

This request is made under Listing Rule 18.7. Your response is required as soon as reasonably possible and, in any event, by no later than **11.00 AM AWST Thursday, 13 July 2023**. You should note that if the information requested by this letter is information required to be given to ASX under Listing Rule 3.1 and it does not fall

within the exceptions mentioned in Listing Rule 3.1A, WCN's obligation is to disclose the information 'immediately'. This may require the information to be disclosed before the deadline set out in the previous paragraph and may require WCN to request a trading halt immediately.

Your response should be sent to me by e-mail at **ListingsCompliancePerth@asx.com.au**. It should not be sent directly to the ASX Market Announcements Office. This is to allow me to review your response to confirm that it is in a form appropriate for release to the market, before it is published on the ASX Market Announcements Platform.

Trading halt

If you are unable to respond to this letter by the time specified above, or if the answer to question 1 is "yes" and an announcement cannot be made immediately, you should discuss with us whether it is appropriate to request a trading halt in WCN's securities under Listing Rule 17.1. If you wish a trading halt, you must tell us:

- the reasons for the trading halt;
- how long you want the trading halt to last;
- the event you expect to happen that will end the trading halt;
- that you are not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted; and
- any other information necessary to inform the market about the trading halt, or that we ask for.

We require the request for a trading halt to be in writing. The trading halt cannot extend past the commencement of normal trading on the second day after the day on which it is granted. You can find further information about trading halts in Guidance Note 16 *Trading Halts & Voluntary Suspensions*.

Suspension

If you are unable to respond to this letter by the time specified above, ASX will likely suspend trading in WCN's securities under Listing Rule 17.3.

Listing Rules 3.1 and 3.1A

In responding to this letter, you should have regard to WCN's obligations under Listing Rules 3.1 and 3.1A and also to Guidance Note 8 *Continuous Disclosure*: Listing Rules 3.1 – 3.1B. It should be noted that WCN's obligation to disclose information under Listing Rule 3.1 is not confined to, nor is it necessarily satisfied by, answering the questions set out in this letter.

Release of correspondence between ASX and entity

ASX reserves the right to release all or any part of this letter, your reply and any other related correspondence between us to the market under Listing Rule 18.7A.

Questions

If you have any questions in relation to the above, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Shannon Nicholson
Principal Adviser, Listings Compliance