

### **ASX ANNOUNCEMENT**

3 May 2013

**ASX Market Announcements** Company Announcements Office SYDNEY NSW 2000

### Renounceable Entitlement Issue

Eclipse Metals Limited (Company or EPM) is pleased to announce that it will be offering eligible shareholders the opportunity to acquire additional fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Company (Shares) via a renounceable rights issue (Entitlement Issue) on the basis of two (2) Shares for every one (1) Share held at the record date, with any fractional entitlements being rounded up.

Shares under the Entitlement Issue will be offered at 0.5 cents per Share. This pricing represents a 50% discount to the last traded price for EPM Shares. The maximum number of Shares which may be issued under the Entitlement Issue is approximately 486,385,544 to raise approximately \$2.4 million before costs. Existing shareholders will also be given the right to participate in any shortfall or sell all or part of the entitlement under the Entitlement Issue.

The funds raised from the Entitlement Issue after costs will be used to repay EPM's short term debt facility, fund exploration and tenement expenses for EPM and its subsidiaries' tenement portfolio, evaluate new exploration prospects and working capital.

The Entitlement Issue is underwritten by Komodo Capital Pty Ltd, AFSL 344234, a company associated with Mr Peter Landau, a director of EPM. The other directors of EPM or associated entities have also agreed to sub-underwrite a portion of the Entitlement Issue namely Ghan Resources Pty Ltd (an associate of Mr Carl Popal) and Mr David Sanders.

The proposed timetable for the Entitlement Issue is as follows:

Entitlement Issue/Offer announced via ASX	6 May 2013
Rights trading commences	8 May 2013
Ex date	8 May 2013
Record Date (date for determining entitlements of Eligible Shareholders to participate in the Offer)	14 May 2013
Entitlement Issue Offer Document Despatched to Eligible Shareholders (expected date of despatch of Offer Document and Entitlement and Acceptance Forms)	20 May 2013
Rights trading ends	3 June 2013
Shares quoted on a deferred settlement basis	4 June 2013

#### **BOARD**

Carl Popal Director

Peter Landau Director

**David Sanders** Director

#### **COMPANY SECRETARY**

Jane Flegg

#### **REGISTERED OFFICE**

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### **AUSTRALIAN BUSINESS NUMBER**

85 142 366 541

### **SHARE REGISTRY**

Security Transfer Registrars 770 Canning Highway Applecross WA 6153

### **ASX CODE** EPM

ECLIPSE METALS LIMITED 2

Closing Date*	11 June 2013
Company to notify ASX of undersubscriptions (if any)**	14 June 2013
Issue of new shares & despatch holding statements **	19 June 2013

- \* Subject to the Listing Rules, the Directors reserve the right to extend the Closing Date of the Offer at their discretion which will also extend the rights trading. Should this occur, the extension will have a consequential effect on the anticipated date of issue for the Shares.
- \*\* These dates are indicative only

The Company hereby gives notice that:

- the Company will offer the Shares for issue without disclosure to investors under Part 6D.2 of the Act;
- the Company is providing this notice under paragraph 2(f) of section 708AA of the Act;
- the Company has complied with the provisions of Chapter 2M of the Act as they apply to the Company;
- 4 the Company has complied with section 674 of the Act;
- 5 there is no information:
  - 5.1 that has been excluded from a continuous disclosure notice in accordance with the ASX Listing Rules; and
  - that investors and their professional advisors would reasonably require for the purposes of making an informed assessment of:
    - 5.2.1 the assets and liabilities, financial position and performance, profits and losses and prospects of the Company; or
    - 5.2.2 the rights and liabilities attaching to the Shares; and
- the issue of Shares may affect the control of the Company depending on the level of rights trading and take up of the rights issue. Based on the current disclosures made by substantial holders and the underwriting and sub-underwriting commitments received to date:
  - 6.1 Ghan Resources Pty Ltd, an existing shareholder and sub-underwriter could obtain a maximum voting power through taking up its rights and its sub-underwriting commitment of 16.7%; and
  - 6.2 Komodo Capital Pty Ltd as underwriter could obtain a maximum voting power of 52.5%.

An Appendix 3B in relation to the Entitlement Issue is attached.

Yours sincerely

Jane Flegg Company Secretary

Rule 2.7, 3.10.3, 3.10.4, 3.10.5

### **Appendix 3B**

# New issue announcement, application for quotation of additional securities and agreement

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

 $Introduced \ o1/o7/96 \ \ Origin: Appendix \ 5 \ \ Amended \ o1/o7/98, \ o1/o9/99, \ o1/o7/oo, \ 30/o9/o1, \ 11/o3/o2, \ o1/o1/o3, \ 24/10/o5, \ o1/o8/12, \ o4/o3/13$ 

Name c	of entity	
Eclips	e Metals Limited	
ABN		
85 142	366 541	
We (t	he entity) give ASX the following	g information.
	1 - All issues ust complete the relevant sections (attack	h sheets if there is not enough space).
1	<sup>+</sup> Class of <sup>+</sup> securities issued or to be issued	Fully paid ordinary shares
2	Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued	Up to approximately 486,385,544
3	Principal terms of the *securities (e.g. if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid *securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if *convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)	Fully paid ordinary shares

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4	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the *issue date with an existing *class of quoted *securities?  If the additional *securities do not rank equally, please state:  • the date from which they do  • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment  • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment	Yes
5	Issue price or consideration	\$0.005 per share
6	Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	Renounceable Entitlement Issue
6a	Is the entity an *eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A?  If Yes, complete sections 6b – 6h in relation to the *securities the subject of this Appendix 3B, and comply with section 6i	No
6b	The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed	
6c	Number of *securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	

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6d	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A		
6e	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)		
6f	Number of *securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2		
6g	If *securities issued under rule 7.1A, was issue price at least 75% of 15 day VWAP as calculated under rule 7.1A.3? Include the *issue date and both values. Include the source of the VWAP calculation.		
6h	If +securities were issued under rule 7.1A for non-cash consideration, state date on which valuation of consideration was released to ASX Market Announcements		
6i	Calculate the entity's remaining issue capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A – complete Annexure 1 and release to ASX Market Announcements		
7	*Issue dates  Note: The issue date may be prescribed by ASX (refer to the definition of issue date in rule 19.12). For example, the issue date for a pro rata entitlement issue must comply with the applicable timetable in Appendix 7A.  Cross reference: item 33 of Appendix 3B.	10 June 2013 - propo holding statements	sed dispatch date for
8	Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the *securities in section 2 if applicable)	Number 729,578,316 (depending on acceptances)	<sup>+</sup> Class Fully paid ordinary shares
	,	8,873,500	Listed options exercisable on or

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9	Number	and	+class	of	all
	+securities	not	quoted	on A	λSX
	(including	the	+secur	ities	in
	section 2 if	appl	icable)		

Number	+Class
150,000	Unlisted options
	exercisable at
	20 cents on or before
	30 November 2015
100,623,813	Unlisted options
	exercisable at 6 cents
	on or before 30
	November 2016

Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)

No policy

### Part 2 - Pro rata issue

- 11 Is security holder approval No required?
- Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?
- Ratio in which the \*securities will be offered Two new shares for every one share held at the Record Date
- <sup>+</sup>Class of <sup>+</sup>securities to which the offer relates

  Ordinary shares
- 15 \*Record date to determine 14 May 2013 entitlements
- 16 Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?
- Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions
- Names of countries in which the entity has security holders who will not be sent new offer documents

Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.

Cross reference: rule 7.7.

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Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations

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20	Names of any underwriters	Komodo Capital Pty Ltd AFSL 344234
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	6%
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	N/A
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	N/A
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of security holders	N/A
25	If the issue is contingent on security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	N/A
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and offer documents will be sent to persons entitled	20 May 2013
27	If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders	6 May 2013
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	8 May 2013
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	3 June 2013
30	How do security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?	Security holders may instruct via their Entitlement Form
31	How do security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	Security holders may instruct via their Entitlement Form

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32	of the	do security holders dispose eir entitlements (except by hrough a broker)?	Obtain Renunciation Form from stockbroker or Share Registry
33	<sup>+</sup> Issue	e date	19 June 2013
		uotation of securities complete this section if you are ap	
34	Type (tick o	of <sup>+</sup> securities one)	
(a)		<sup>+</sup> Securities described in Part	1
(b)		•	nd of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, on restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible
Entiti	es tha	t have ticked box 34(a)	
Addit	ional	securities forming a new	class of securities
Tick to docume		e you are providing the informat	ion or
35			securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the he number and percentage of additional *securities
36			securities, a distribution schedule of the additional umber of holders in the categories
37		A copy of any trust deed for	the additional <sup>+</sup> securities

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Entitie	es that have ticked box 34(b)		
38	Number of *securities for which *quotation is sought		
39	<sup>+</sup> Class of <sup>+</sup> securities for which quotation is sought		
40	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the *issue date with an existing *class of quoted *securities?  If the additional *securities do not rank equally, please state:  • the date from which they do  • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment  • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment		
41	Reason for request for quotation now  Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period  (if issued upon conversion of another *security, clearly identify that other *security)		
42	Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (including the +securities in clause 38)	Number	<sup>+</sup> Class

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

### **Quotation agreement**

- <sup>+</sup>Quotation of our additional <sup>+</sup>securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the <sup>+</sup>securities on any conditions it decides.
- 2 We warrant the following to ASX.
  - The issue of the \*securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
  - There is no reason why those \*securities should not be granted \*quotation.
  - An offer of the \*securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty

- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any \*securities to be quoted and that no-one has any right to return any \*securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the \*securities be quoted.
- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the 

  †securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at 
  the time that we request that the †securities be quoted.
- We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.
- We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document is not available now, we will give it to ASX before †quotation of the †securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

Sign here: Date: ....3 May 2013....

Company secretary

Print name: Jane Flegg

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### Appendix 3B – Annexure 1

## Calculation of placement capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A for eligible entities

Introduced 01/08/12 Amended 04/03/13

### Part 1

Rule 7.1 – Issues exceeding 15% of capital		
Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated		
Insert number of fully paid +ordinary securities on issue 12 months before the +issue date or date of agreement to issue		
<ul> <li>Add the following:         <ul> <li>Number of fully paid +ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2</li> <li>Number of fully paid +ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval</li> </ul> </li> <li>Number of partly paid +ordinary securities that became fully paid in that 12 month period</li> <li>Note:         <ul> <li>Include only ordinary securities here – other classes of equity securities cannot be added</li> <li>Include here (if applicable) the securities</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed  It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items		
<b>Subtract</b> the number of fully paid <sup>+</sup> ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period		
"A"		

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Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"	
"B"	0.15
	[Note: this value cannot be changed]
Multiply "A" by 0.15	
Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount of 7.1 that has already been used	of placement capacity under rule
Insert number of *equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period not counting those issued:	
• Under an exception in rule 7.2	
Under rule 7.1A	
<ul> <li>With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Note:</li> <li>This applies to equity securities, unless specifically excluded – not just ordinary securities</li> <li>Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</li> <li>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</li> </ul>	
"C"	
Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x "I placement capacity under rule 7.1	3"] to calculate remaining
"A" x 0.15	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2	
Subtract "C"	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.15] – "C"	
	[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]

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### Part 2

Rule 7.1A – Additional placement capacity for eligible entities	
Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated	
"A"	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 1 of Part 1	
Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"	
"D"	0.10
	Note: this value cannot be changed
Multiply "A" by 0.10	
Step 3: Calculate "E", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1A that has already been used	
Insert number of *equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A	
<ul> <li>Notes:</li> <li>This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities</li> <li>Include here – if applicable – the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</li> <li>Do not include equity securities issued under rule 7.1 (they must be dealt with in Part 1), or for which specific security holder approval has been obtained</li> <li>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</li> </ul>	

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Step 4: Subtract "E" from ["A" x "D"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A	
"A" x 0.10	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2	
Subtract "E"	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	
<b>Total</b> ["A" x 0.10] – "E"	
	Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A

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