Rule 5.5

Appendix 5B

Mining exploration entity and oil and gas exploration entity quarterly report

Introduced 01/07/96 Origin Appendix 8 Amended 01/07/97, 01/07/98, 30/09/01, 01/06/10, 17/12/10, 01/05/2013

Malabar Coal Limited

ABN

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

29 151 691 468

31 December 2015

Consolidated statement of cash flows

| | | Current quarter | Year to date | |
|--|---|-----------------|--------------|--|
| Cash flows related to operating activities | | A\$'000 | (6 months) | |
| | | | A\$'ooo | |
| 1.1 | Receipts from product sales and related debtors | 41 | 78 | |
| 1.2 | Payments for (a) exploration & evaluation | (416) | (1,004) | |
| | (b) development | - | - | |
| | (c) production | | - | |
| | (d) administration | (340) | (582) | |
| 1.3 | Dividends received | - | - | |
| 1.4 | Interest and other items of a similar nature received | 11 | 14 | |
| 1.5 | Interest and other costs of finance paid | | (332) | |
| 1.6 | Income taxes paid | - | - | |
| 1.7 | R&D refund | - | - | |
| | | | | |
| | Net Operating Cash Flows | (704) | (1,826) | |
| | Cash flows related to investing activities | | | |
| 1.8 | Payment for purchases of: (a) prospects | - | - | |
| | (b) equity investments | - | - | |
| | (c) other fixed assets | - | - | |
| 1.9 | Proceeds from sale of: (a) prospect | - | - | |
| | (b) equity investments | - | - | |
| | (c) other fixed assets | 2 | (1) | |
| 1.10 | Loans to other entities | - | - | |
| 1.11 | Loans repaid by other entities | - | - | |
| 1.12 | Payments for acquisition of entity | (3,000) | (3,000) | |
| | - | | | |
| | Net investing cash flows | (2,998) | (3,001) | |
| 1.13 | Total operating and investing cash flows | (1))-1 | <i>y, ,</i> | |
| | (carried forward) | (3,702) | (4,827) | |

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| 1.13 | Total operating and investing cash flows | | |
|------|---|----------|---------|
| | (brought forward) | (3,702) | (4,827) |
| | | | |
| | Cash flows related to financing activities | | |
| 1.14 | Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc. | 5,925(*) | 5,925 |
| 1.15 | Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares | - | - |
| 1.16 | Proceeds from borrowings | - | - |
| 1.17 | Repayment of borrowings | - | - |
| 1.18 | Dividends paid | - | - |
| 1.19 | Other (provide details if material) | - | - |
| - | Net financing cash flows | 5,925 | 5,925 |
| | Net increase (decrease) in cash held | 2,223 | 1,098 |
| 1.20 | Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date | 377 | 1,502 |
| 1.21 | Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20 | - | - |
| 1.22 | Cash at end of quarter | 2,600 | 2,600 |

^{(*) –} Net proceeds after fees and expenses from \$6m Entitlement Offer received by the Company in mid-October 2015

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

| | | Current quarter A\$'000 |
|------|--|----------------------------|
| 1.23 | Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2 | 101 |
| 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

Payments for Directors' remuneration (\$59,000); and including 10% GST, consulting fees (\$42,000).

Non-cash financing and investing activities

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

| Nil | | | |
|-----|--|--|--|
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| Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their share in projects in which the reporting entity has an interest | | | | | | | |
|--|--|----------------------------|------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| | Nil | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | Financing facilities available Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position. | | | | | | |
| | | Amount available As'ooo | Amount used A\$'ooo | | | | |
| 3.1 | Loan facilities | 6,200 | 6,200 | | | | |
| 3.2 | Credit standby arrangements | _ | _ | | | | |

Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

| | | A\$'000 |
|-----|----------------------------|---------|
| 4.1 | Exploration and evaluation | 400 |
| 4.2 | Development | - |
| 4.3 | Production | - |
| 4.4 | Administration | 300 |
| | T-4-1 | |
| | Total | 700 |

Reconciliation of cash

| show | nciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as on in the consolidated statement of cash flows) e related items in the accounts is as follows. | Current quarter A\$'000 | Previous quarter A\$'ooo |
|------|---|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 5.1 | Cash on hand and at bank | 300 | 377 |
| 5.2 | Deposits at call | 2,300 | - |
| 5.3 | Bank overdraft | - | - |
| 5.4 | Other (provide details) | - | - |
| | Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22) | 2,600 | 377 |

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Changes in interests in mining tenements and petroleum tenements

Tenement Nature of interest

Interest at | Interest at

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

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 | Amount paid up |
|-----|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| | | | | security (see | per security (see |
| | | | | note 3) (cents) | note 3) (cents) |
| 7.1 | Preference | | | _ | _ |
| • | *securities | | | | |
| | (description) | | | | |
| 7.2 | Changes during | | | | |
| | quarter | | | | |
| | (a) Increases | | | | |
| | through issues | | | | |
| | (b) Decreases | | | | |
| | through returns | | | | |
| | of capital, buy- | | | | |
| | backs, | | | | |
| | redemptions | | | | |
| 7.3 | ⁺ Ordinary | | | | |
| | securities | 160,000,000(*) | 160,000,000(*) | | |
| | | | | | |
| 7.4 | Changes during | | | | |
| | quarter | | | | |
| | (a) Increases | | | | |
| | through issues | 75,000,000(*) | 75,000,000(*) | | |
| | (b) Decreases | | | | |
| | through returns | | | | |
| | of capital, buy- | | | | |
| - | backs | | | | |
| 7.5 | *Convertible | | | | |
| | debt | | | | |
| | securities | | | | |
| | (description) | | | | |
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| 7.6 | Changes during | | | | |
|--------|----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---|--------------------------|
| | quarter (a) Increases | | | | |
| | through issues | | | | |
| | (b) Decreases | | | | |
| | through | | | | |
| | securities matured, | | | | |
| | converted | | | | |
| 7.7 | Options | | | Exercise price | Expiry date |
| | (description and | 450,000 | | \$1.49 | 22/03/2017 |
| | conversion factor) | 625,000 950,000 | | \$1.49 \$0.29 | 31/05/2017 28/11/2018 |
| 7.8 | Issued during | 9,0,000 | | ψ0.29 | 20/11/2010 |
| - | quarter | | | | |
| 7.9 | Exercised | | | | |
| 7.10 | during quarter Expired during | | | | |
| 7.10 | quarter | | | | |
| 7.11 | Debentures | | | | |
| | (totals only) | | | 1 | |
| 7.12 | Unsecured notes (totals | | | | |
| | only) | | | | |
| (4) | <i>C</i> . 1 | 11 6 | 1 (| | C |
| (^) - | | | | fully underwritten ordinary shares at 8 | |
| | | | | ber 2015 where the t | |
| | | s increased to 160,0 | | , | |
| C - 11 | unlianaa atata | mant. | | | |
| Con | npliance state | ment | | | |
| 1 | This statemen | nt has been prepar | red under accoun | ting policies which | n comply with |
| | | | | ions Act or other s | |
| | acceptable to | ASX (see note 5). | | | |
| 2 | This statemen | nt does give a true | e and fair view of t | the matters disclos | sed. |
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| Sign | here: | | | Date: 29 Ja | nuary 2016 |

(Director)

Graeme Booth

Print name:

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Notes

- The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity wanting to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes attached to this report.
- The "Nature of interest" (items 6.1 and 6.2) includes options in respect of interests in mining tenements and petroleum 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 or petroleum tenement, it should disclose the change of percentage interest and conditions precedent in the list required for items 6.1 and 6.2.
- Issued and quoted securities The issue price and amount paid up is not required in items 7.1 and 7.3 for fully paid securities.
- The definitions in, and provisions of, AASB 6: Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources and AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows apply to this report.
- Accounting Standards ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Financial Reporting 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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