

# CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(Unaudited – prepared by Management)

For the three months ended June 30, 2013

All amounts are in Australian dollars unless otherwise stated



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# Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements – June 30, 2013

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This condensed interim financial report covers the consolidated financial statements for the entity consisting of Macarthur Minerals Limited and its subsidiaries. The financial report is presented in the Australian currency.

Its registered office and principal place of business are detailed on page 7.

The financial report was authorized for issue by the directors on August 13, 2013. The directors have the power to amend and reissue the financial report.

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION (Expressed in Australian Dollars) (Unaudited)

**AS AT JUNE 30, 2013** 

	June 30, 2013	March 31, 2013
ASSETS	\$	\$
Current	0.407.040	40.070.400
Cash and cash equivalents Receivables Security deposits and prepayments	8,167,618 82,671 472,209	10,673,169 221,318 479,356
Total current assets	8,722,498	11,373,843
Non-Current		
Plant and equipment (Note 4) Exploration and evaluation assets (Note 5)	925,876 56,546,245	992,788 55,322,316
Total non-current assets	57,472,121	56,315,104
Total assets	66,194,619	67,688,947
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Current		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	508,238	991,887
Employee benefits Finance lease obligation (Note 6)	136,316 43,845	170,838 47,328
Total current liabilities	688,399	1,210,053
Non-Current		
Employee benefits	1,642	2,553
Finance lease obligation (Note 6)  Total non-current liabilities	46,729 48,371	49,564 52,117
Total liabilities	736,770	1,262,170
Shareholders' equity		
Contributed equity (Note 7)	86,686,256	86,686,256
Reserves Deficit	3,748,530 (24,976,937)	3,745,341 (24,004,820)
Total shareholders' equity	65,457,849	66,426,777
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	66,194,619	67,688,947
Nature and continuance of operations (Note 1) Commitments (Note 15)	Contingent liabilities (Note 16) Subsequent events (Note 17)	
On behalf of the Board:		
"Alan Phillips" Director	"Simon Hickey"	Director

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these interim consolidated financial statements

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF LOSS AND COMPREHENSIVE LOSS For the three months ended June 30 (Expressed in Australian Dollars) (Unaudited)

of ordinary shares outstanding	44,820,630	44,820,630
Basic and diluted weighted average number	Number of Shares:	Number of Shares:
Basic and diluted loss per ordinary share (Note 9)	\$ (0.02)	\$ (0.01)
Tor the period	Ψ (312,111)	ψ (002,342)
Net loss and comprehensive loss for the period	\$ (972,117)	\$ (662,542)
Foreign exchange gain/(loss)	-	(2,989)
Interest income	\$ 101,163	\$ 350,711
REVENUE		
Total Administrative Expenses	\$ (1,073,280)	\$ (1,010,264)
Travel and accommodation	(43,810)	(57,910)
Share registry, filing and listing fees	(22,081)	(15,315)
Share-based compensation (Note 8)	(3,189)	(28,100)
Rent	(31,679)	(32,283)
Professional fees	(347,425)	(177,160)
Personnel fees	(436,360)	(441,770)
Office and general	(90,708)	(111,621)
Investor relations	(27,263)	(79,946)
EXPENSES Depreciation	(70,765)	(66,159)
	\$	\$
	Three month ended June 30, 2013	Three month ended June 30, 2012

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these interim consolidated financial statements.

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (Expressed in Australian Dollars) (Unaudited)
AS AT JUNE 30, 2013

	Number of Shares	Contributed Equity \$	Deficit \$	Reserves \$	Total Equity
Balance at April 1, 2012  Net loss for the period  Share based payment transactions	44,820,630 - -	86,686,256 - 	(19,942,696) (662,542)	3,695,288 - 	70,438,848 (662,542) 
Balance at June 30, 2012	44,820,630	86,686,256	(20,605,238)	3,723,388	69,804,406
Balance at April 1, 2012  Net loss for the year  Share based payment transactions	44,820,630 - 	86,686,256 - 	(19,942,696) (4,062,124)	3,695,288 - <u>50,053</u>	70,438,848 (4,062,124) 50,053
Balance at March 31, 2013	44,820,630	86,686,256	(24,004,820)	3,745,341	66,426,777
Balance at April 1, 2013  Net loss for the period  Share based payment transactions	44,820,630 - -	86,686,256 - 	(24,004,820) (972,117) 	3,745,341 - 3,189	66,426,777 (972,117) 3,189
Balance at June 30, 2013	44,820,630	86,686,256	(24,976,937)	3,748,530	65,457,849

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these interim consolidated financial statements.

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Expressed in Australian Dollars) (Unaudited)
AS AT JUNE 30, 2013

	Three month ended	Three month ended
	June 30, 2013	June 30, 2012
	\$	\$
OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net loss for the period	(972,117)	(662,542)
Items not involving cash:		
Depreciation	70,765	66,159
Share-based compensation	3,189	28,100
Changes in non-cash working capital balances:		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(148,321)	(176,141)
Other Operating Assets	7,147	(13,694)
Receivables	148,940	(35,227)
Net Cash used in Operating Activities	(890,397)	(793,345)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchases of plant and equipment	(11,881)	(91,300)
Deferred exploration expenditure	(1,596,955)	(4,135,608)
Net Cash used in Investing Activities	(1,608,836)	(4,226,908)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Repayment of finance lease	(6,318)	(12,187)
Net Cash used in Financing Activities	(6,318)	(12,187)
Change in cash and cash equivalents during period	(2,505,551)	(5,032,440)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	10,673,169	26,589,704
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	8,167,618	21,557,264
Cash and Cash equivalents, end of period		21,557,204

Supplemental disclosures with respect to cash flows (Note 11)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these interim consolidated financial statements.

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Expressed in Australian Dollars) (Unaudited)

FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

### 1. NATURE AND CONTINUANCE OF OPERATIONS

Macarthur Minerals Limited ("the Company") is an Australian public company listed in Canada on the Toronto Stock Exchange ("TSX") (symbol: MMS) and the OTC Market Place, OTCQX International ("OTCQX") (symbol: MMSDF) that is currently focused on the exploration and development of iron ore projects in Western Australia.

The Company's iron ore projects are owned by the Company's wholly owned subsidiary Macarthur Iron Ore Pty Ltd ("Macarthur Iron Ore" or "MIO"), and its subsidiary Macarthur Midway Pty Ltd (formerly Hatches Nominees Pty Ltd. The Company also has an inactive subsidiary, Tracker Resources Pty Ltd ("Tracker"), and has applied for voluntary deregistration with ASIC. ASIC has notified the Company that Tracker was deregistered on July 24, 2013.

There was no change in the nature of the Company's principal activities during the year.

The Company maintains its corporate head office and principal place of business at Level 20, 10 Eagle Street, Brisbane, Queensland 4000, Australia.

These condensed interim consolidated financial statements ("interim financial statements") have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") on a going concern basis which assumes that the Company will be able to realize its assets and discharge its liabilities in the normal course of business for the foreseeable future.

#### 2. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

These interim financial statements are unaudited and have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 34 'Interim Financial Reporting' ("IAS 34") using accounting policies consistent with IFRS issued by the International Accounting Standards Board and Interpretations of the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee.

These interim financial statements were authorized by the board of directors of the Company on August 13, 2013.

These interim financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for certain non-current assets and financial instruments, which are measured at fair value, as explained in the accounting policies, refer to Note 3.

In addition, these interim financial statements have been prepared using the accrual basis of accounting, except for cash flow information. The comparative figures presented in these interim financial statements are in accordance with IFRS and have not been audited. The preparation of interim financial statements in conformity with IAS 34 requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates. These interim financial statements do not include all of the information required for full annual financial statements.

The accompanying unaudited interim financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2013.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies, including new accounting standards and interpretations, followed by the Company are set out in Note 2 to the audited financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2013, and have been consistently followed in the preparation of these interim financial statements.

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Expressed in Australian Dollars) (Unaudited)

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# 4. PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Plant & Equipment \$	Motor Vehicles \$	Office Equipment \$	Total
Year ended March 31, 2013				
Opening net book value	573,091	376,028	151,796	1,100,915
Additions	84,073	· -	88,908	172,981
Disposals	-	-	(159)	(159)
Depreciation charge	(76,533)	(107,907)	(96,509)	(280,949)
Transfers	(56,682)	-	56,682	-
Closing net book amount	523,949	268,121	200,718	992,788
At March 31, 2013 Cost or fair value Accumulated depreciation Net book amount	686,153 (162,204) 523,949	510,637 (242,516) 268,121	378,368 (177,650) 200,718	1,575,158 (582,370) 992,788
Quarter ended June 30, 2013 Opening net book value Additions Disposals Depreciation charge	523,949 - - (18,065)	268,121 - - (26,921)	200,718 3,853 - (25,779)	992,788 3,853 - (70,765)
Closing net book amount	505,884	241,200	178,792	925,876
At June 30, 2013 Cost or fair value Accumulated depreciation Net book amount	686,153 (180,269) 505,884	510,637 (269,437) 241,200	382,221 (203,429) 178,792	1,579,011 (653,135) 925,876

Included in plant and equipment is \$207,582 in equipment purchased through a finance lease.

# 5. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSETS

The Company holds 100% of the outstanding and issued share capital of MIO. Its assets include a 100% interest in the Macarthur Iron Ore Projects located in Western Australia including those of its subsidiary Macarthur Midway Pty Ltd (formerly Hatches Nominees Pty Ltd).

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# 5. **EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSETS** (cont'd)

# **Exploration and evaluation expenditure**

# Interim Expenditure

The following is a summary of acquisition and deferred exploration costs incurred:

	Acquisition Costs	Deferred Exploration Costs	Total
	\$	\$	\$
Balance as at March 31, 2012	3,623,886	40,737,949	44,361,835
Accommodation and camp maintenance	-	540,974	540,974
Drilling	-	1,743,460	1,743,460
E30/317 acquisition cost	200,000	-	200,000
Environmental Surveys	-	218,880	218,880
Other	-	484,186	484,186
Personnel and Contractors	-	3,185,796	3,185,796
Rent and rates	-	582,494	582,494
Research and reports	-	2,956,311	2,956,311
Sampling and testing	-	477,172	477,172
Site preparation and earthwork	-	165,951	165,951
Tenement management and outlays	-	26,361	26,361
Travel	-	275,169	275,169
Vehicle hire	-	103,727	103,727
-	200,000	10,760,481	10,960,481
Balance as at March 31, 2013	3,823,886	51,498,430	55,322,316
	Acquisition Costs	Deferred Exploration Costs	Total
	\$	\$	\$
curred during the period			
Accommodation and camp maintenance	-	90,142	90,142
Drilling	-	61,185	61,185
Environmental surveys	-	210	210
Other	-	84,726	84,726
Personnel and Contractors	-	642,460	642,460
Rent and rates	-	114,206	114,206
Research and reports	-	118,311	118,311
Sampling and testing	-	31,184	31,184
Site preparation and earthwork	-	4,430	4,430
Tenement management and outlays	-	8,000	8,000
Travel	-	38,464	38,464
Vehicle hire	-	30,611	30,611
		1,223,929	1,223,929
Balance as at June 30, 2013	3,823,886	52,722,359	56,546,245

All deferred exploration costs represent costs incurred during the exploration and evaluation phase.

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# 5. **EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSETS** (cont'd)

#### **Commitments**

In order to maintain its current rights of tenure for exploration and/or mining activities, the Company is required to perform minimum annual expenditure requirements specified by the Western Australian Government and pay local shire rents and rates. The expenditure obligations are subject to renegotiation when an application for a mining lease and/or renewal of exploration permits are made or at other times and are subject to whether the Company decides to continue a tenement's rights until its expiry. The Company may apply for exemptions against expenditure in relation to those tenements which did not have sufficient expenditure recorded against them in the prior 12 months of their term. Exemption has and may be sought on the basis that aggregate expenditure on those tenements in prior years far exceeded the minimum required. In the event that exemption for these tenements is not granted (which the Company believes is highly unlikely), the Company may have to impair/expense the value of the amount capitalised to exploration and evaluation assets for those tenements. The Company will also be seeking to reduce expenditure, rates and rents requirements by selective relinquishment of some exploration tenements, that are not considered essential. Due to the nature of the Company's activities, it is difficult to accurately forecast the amount of future expenditure that will be necessary to incur in order to maintain present interests.

The following obligations are not provided for in the financial statements and are payable at future dates as follows:

	Consolidated	
	June 30,	March 31,
	2013	2013
Not later than one year Later than one year but not later than five years	\$ 3,702,903 12,956,239	\$ 2,847,422 12,424,242
	\$16,659,142	\$ 15,271,664

### 6. FINANCE LEASE COMMITMENTS

The Company entered into two finance lease contracts for the purchase of 4 vehicles with completion dates of February 2016 (extended from February 2013) and November, 2013. The vehicles are recorded at cost and classified as depreciable assets. At June 30, 2013 the present value of the lease payments due are \$90,574. The total minimum lease payments will be \$101,164 and title of the vehicles will transfer to the Company upon residual payments of \$53,896. The amount representing interest over the term of the leases is \$10,590.

Future payment obligations are as follows:

	Consolidated			I
		June 30,		March 31,
		2013		2013
Gross finance lease liabilities - minimum lease payments:				
No later than one year	\$	47,905	\$	51,854
Later than one year but no later than five years		53,259		57,074
		101,164		108,928
Less: interest		(10,590)		(12,036)
Present value of finance lease liabilities Less: current portion		90,574 (43,845)		96,892 (47,328)
Loss. ourient portion			•	, , ,
-	\$	46,729	\$	49,564

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### 7. CONTRIBUTED EQUITY

### **Ordinary Shares**

The Company has authorized ordinary shares with no par value. All issued shares are fully paid and are equally ranked with voting rights.

	Consolidated		
	<b>June 30</b> , Ma <b>2013</b>		March 31, 2013
Issued and fully paid ordinary shares:	\$	86,686,256	\$86,686,256
Number of shares on issue:		44,820,630	44,820,630

There were no shares issued during the period ended June 30, 2013 for share options and warrants being exercised.

## **Share Compensation Plans**

The Company, in accordance with its Share Compensation Plans and the policies of the TSX, is authorized to grant options, award equity restricted share units ("Equity RSUs") or bonus shares or issue common shares from treasury pursuant to the Company's share purchase scheme to directors, employees and consultants to acquire in aggregate up to 10% of issued and outstanding ordinary shares. Further, there exists a limit of 5% of issued and outstanding ordinary shares that can be issued under the Company's Employee Share Compensation Plan in accordance with the Australian *Corporations Act 2001* and policy of the Australian Securities and Investments Commission, subject to certain exemptions.

Both of the Company's Share Employee and Consultant Compensation Plan have been approved until September 15, 2015 by the shareholders and took effect from August 29, 2012, replacing the Company's previous Stock Option Plan.

To date the Company has only issued options under the Share Compensation Plans. The exercise price of the options is fixed by the Board not less than the fair market value of the shares on the grant date, subject to all applicable regulatory requirements. Options under the Share Compensation Plans can be granted for a maximum term of 5 years and may be subject to vesting criteria as determined by the Board.

The fair value of all options issued is measured and expensed as share-based compensation at grant date if they are fully vested upon granting otherwise the fair value is expensed over the vesting period. A corresponding increase is recorded to reserves, see Note 8. For further detail on the accounting treatment of share options refer to Note 3 accounting policies.

Upon exercise of options, the consideration paid by the option holder, together with the amounts previously recognized in reserves, is recorded as an increase to contributed equity.

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# 7. **CONTRIBUTED EQUITY** (cont'd)

### **Share Options**

During the period ended June 30, 2013

The Company did not grant any options, award equity RSUs or bonus shares or issue common shares under the Share Compensation Plans during the period.

During the year ended March 31, 2013

On January 22, 2013 the Company granted 100,000 incentive options under the Consultant Share Compensation Plan to Investor Cubed Inc ("Investor Cubed") as part of their consulting contract to provide investor relations and shareholder communications and services. The options will vest bimonthly in three tranches as follows:

- a) the first 33,300 options vesting on March 22, 2013, with an exercise price of CAD\$0.65 per common share;
- b) the second 33,300 options vesting on May 22, 2013, with an exercise price of CAD\$0.75 per common share; and
- the final 33,400 options vesting on July 22, 2013, with an exercise price of CAD\$0.85 per common share.

The options have a term of three years from the grant date however, in the event of early termination or expiry of the consulting contract, all unvested Options will immediately be cancelled and all vested options must be exercised within 30 days after the date of termination or expiry.

The Company did not award Equity RSUs or issue bonus or allow purchase under a share purchase scheme for common shares under the Share Compensation Plans or the preceding Stock Option Plan during the period.

Share option transactions issued under the Company's previous Stock Option Plan and the Share Compensation Plan and the number of share options outstanding are summarized as follows:

	Three months ended June 30, 2013			ended 31, 2013
	Number of Options	Weighted Average Exercise Price	Number of Options	Weighted Average Exercise Price
Outstanding, beginning of year	845,000	\$ 2.12 (CAD \$2.25)	3,665,000	\$ 2.15 (CAD \$2.23)
Granted	-	-	100,000	\$ 0.71 (CAD \$0.75)
Exercised	-	-	-	-
Forfeited	(50,000)	\$ 3.74 (CAD \$3.60)	(1,770,000)	\$ 2.71 (CAD \$2.88)
Expired	(75,000)	\$ 2.08 (CAD \$2.00)	(1,150,000)	\$ 1.01 (CAD \$1.07)
Outstanding, end of period	720,000	\$ 2.27 (CAD \$2.19)	845,000	\$ 2.12 (CAD \$2.25)
Options exercisable, end of period [1]	686,600	\$ 2.34 (CAD \$2.25)	778,300	\$ 2.24 (CAD \$2.38)

<sup>[1]</sup> Excludes unvested options.

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# 7. **CONTRIBUTED EQUITY** (cont'd)

# Share options (cont'd)

Share options outstanding at June 30, 2013 have the following exercise prices and expiry dates:

Number	Exercise	
of Options	Price	Expiry Date
225,000	\$3.74 (CAD\$3.60)	June 9, 2014
100,000	\$1.04 (CAD\$1.00)	July 31, 2014
295,000	\$2.08 (CAD\$2.00)	December 22, 2014
33,300	\$0.67 (CAD\$0.65)	January 22, 2016
33,300	\$0.78 (CAD\$0.75)	January 22, 2016
33,400	\$0.88 (CAD\$0.85)	January 22, 2016

The range of exercise prices for options outstanding at June 30, 2013 is CAD\$0.65 to CAD\$3.60.

The weighted average remaining contractual life for the share options as at June 30, 2013 is 1.41 years.

### **Warrants**

Warrant transactions and the number of warrants outstanding are summarized as follows:

_		onths ended e 30, 2013		ear ended ch 31, 2013
	Number of Warrants	Weighted Average Exercise Price	Number of Warrants	Weighted Average Exercise Price
Outstanding, beginning of year	589,150	\$2.41 (CAD \$2.56)	9,039,150	\$3.82 (CAD \$3.96)
Granted Exercised Forfeited Expired	- - - (339,150)	- - - \$1.87 (CAD \$1.80)	- - - (8,450,000)	- - - \$3.81 (CAD \$4.06)
Outstanding, end of period	250,000	\$3.74 (CAD \$3.60)	589,150	\$2.41 (CAD \$2.56)

Warrants outstanding at June 30, 2013 are as follows:

Number	Exercise		
of Warrants	Price	Expiry Date	
250,000	\$3.74 (CAD\$3.60)	February 23, 2014	_

During the period ended June 30, 2013

There were no warrants granted by the Company during the period.

During the year ended March 31, 2013

There were no warrants granted by the Company during the year.

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# 7. **CONTRIBUTED EQUITY** (cont'd)

# **Agents' Options**

Options that were issued to underwriters as commission in connection with the Company's private placements are summarized below:

	Three months ended June 30, 2013			ear ended ch 31, 2013
	Number of Options	Weighted Average Exercise Price	Number of Options	Weighted Average Exercise Price
Outstanding, beginning of year	-	-	834,000	\$3.48 (CAD \$3.60)
Granted Exercised Forfeited Expired	- - - -	- - -	- - (834,000)	\$3.38 (CAD \$3.60)
Outstanding, end of period	-	-	-	

During the period ended June 30, 2013

There were no agents' options issued or exercised during the period.

There were no outstanding agents' options as at June 30, 2013.

During the year ended March 31, 2013

There were no agents' options issued or exercised during the year.

There were no outstanding agents' options as at June 30, 2013.

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### 8. SHARE BASED COMPENSATION

The Company measures the cost of share options at fair value at the grant date using the Black-Scholes formula, adjusted to reflect market vesting conditions, but excludes any non-market vesting conditions. Non-market vesting conditions are included in assumptions about the number of options that are expected to vest and the entity revises its estimate of options that are expected to vest at each reporting date.

The fair value calculated for options issued is expensed over their vesting period as share based compensation in the statement of comprehensive loss and a corresponding amount is recorded to reserves. Upon exercise the fair value of the options is re-classified from reserves to contributed equity. The weighted average fair value of options granted during the period was \$Nil (June 2012 - \$Nil). Refer to Note 7 for details of options granted during the period.

The following assumptions were used for the Black-Scholes valuation of stock options granted during the period:

	Three months ended June 30, 2013	Three months ended June 30, 2012
	Weighted average	Weighted average
Share price Exercise price Risk-free interest rate Expected life of options Annualized volatility	- - - -	1.19% 2.77 years 77.31%
Dividend rate	-	n/a
Forfeitures	-	50%

The volatility measured at the standard deviation of continuously compounded share returns is based on statistical analysis of daily share prices over a commensurate period of time which approximates the expectations that would be reflected in a current market.

## 9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

### Related party disclosure

The consolidated financial statements include the financial statements of Macarthur Minerals Ltd and the subsidiaries listed in the following table. Balances and transactions between the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries have been eliminated on consolidation. Macarthur Minerals Ltd is the ultimate parent for all entities.

	Country of	% Equity Interest	
Name	Incorporation	June 30, 2013	June 30, 2012
Macarthur Iron Ore Pty Ltd	Australia	100	100
Macarthur Midway Pty Ltd (formerly Hatches Nominees Pty Ltd)	Australia	100	100
Tracker Resources Pty Ltd (deregistered on July 24, 2013)	Australia	100	100

There were no transactions between the Company and related parties in the wholly owned Group during the year other than remuneration for key management personnel details of which are contained in this note.

The terms and conditions of those transactions were no more favorable than those that it is reasonable to expect that an entity would have adopted if dealing on an arm's length basis.

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(Unaudited)

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# 9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (cont'd)

### **Key Management Personnel**

The following persons were key management personnel of the Company during the period ending June 30, 2013.

Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer ("CEO")

A S Phillips

**Executive Director** 

J Starink

Independent Directors

S Hickey

J Toigo

J Wall

R Patricio

Other key management personnel

The following persons also had authority and responsibility for the planning, directing and controlling various activities of the Company during the financial year:

Other company executives

David Taplin Chief Financial Officer and Company Secretary ("CFO")

Alan J ("Joe") Phillips Chief Operating Officer ("COO")

### **Details of Remuneration**

Details of the remuneration of each key management personnel of the Company are set out in the following tables.

Period ending June 30, 2013	Short	Term Empl Benefits			Post-Employment Benefits		
Directors	Cash	Cash	Non-	Superan	Retirement	Options	Total
	Salary &	Bonus	monetary	nuation	Benefits		
	Fees		benefits				
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
A S Phillips	81,249	-	ı	-	ı	1	81,249
S Hickey	15,000	-	ı	-	ı	-	15,000
R Patricio	15,000						15,000
J Toigo	12,500	-	-	-	-	-	12,500
J Starink [1]	25,325	-	-	-	-	-	25,325
J Wall	15,000	-	-	-	-	-	15,000
Other Company Executives:							
D Taplin	63,750	·	1	-	-	-	63,750
A J Phillips	66,876	-	-	-	-	-	66,876
Total	294,700	-	-	-	-	-	294,700

<sup>[1]</sup> J Starink was paid \$25,325 for consulting services to the Company under a consultancy agreement, commencing September 1, 2012

Remuneration accrued and payable to key management personnel as at June 30, 2013 was \$133,125.

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# 9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (cont'd)

### **Details of Remuneration** (cont'd)

Remuneration of each key management personnel of the Company for the period ended June 30, 2012 was as follows.

Period ending June 30, 2012	Short Teri	n Employee Benefits		Post-Employment Benefits		Share Based Payments	
Directors	Cash Salary & Fees	Cash Bonus	Non- monetary benefits	Superann uation	Retirement Benefits	Options	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
A S Phillips	81,249	ı	I	ı	ı	-	81,249
S Hickey	15,000	ı	I	ı	ı	-	15,000
J Toigo	15,000	ı	ı	ı	•	-	15,000
J Starink [1]	69,600	1		-	-		69,600
J Wall [2]	5,000	-	-	-	-	-	5,000
Other Company Ex	ecutives:						
D Taplin	63,750	-	-	-	-	-	63,750
A J Phillips	66,876	-	-	-	-	-	66,876
Total	316,475	-	-	-	1	-	316,475

<sup>[1]</sup> J Starink was paid \$54,600 for consulting services to the Company under a consultancy agreement, commencing March 16, 2012

Remuneration accrued and payable to key management personnel as at June 30, 2012 was \$115,625.

## Cash Based Restricted Share Unit Plan

The CEO, COO and CFO and Company Secretary ("executives") are eligible to participate in the Company's cash based Restricted Share Unit ("RSU") Plan which entitles them to receive cash based RSUs.

The key terms of the executives' cash RSU agreements are:

- Cash RSUs vest on achievement of certain performance criteria within agreed dates as detailed in the agreements and plan.
- o No value is attributable to cash RSUs until they vest.
- RSU cash payment amounts are based on the market value of a common share in the Company on the date that the cash RSU vests. Market value is calculated as the average of the daily volume weighted closing price of a common share of the Company on the TSX for the 20 trading days prior to the vesting date.
- Cash RSUs vest on termination without cause and change of control.

<sup>[2]</sup> J Wall was appointed as a non-executive director on June 15, 2012

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# 9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (cont'd)

### **Details of Remuneration** (cont'd)

Total cash RSU entitlements for executives since commencement of the cash RSU Plan on December 5, 2011 are:

Executives	Number of Performance Based Cash RSUs				
	Granted Vested Balance				
A S Phillips	232,143	29,018	203,125		
D Taplin	121,429	15,179	106,250		
A J Phillips	127,371	15,921	111,450		
Total	480,943	60,118	420,825		

Executives	Number of Non-performance Based Cash RSUs					
	Granted Vested Balance					
A S Phillips	66,667 [1]	-	66,667			
D Taplin	-	-	-			
A J Phillips	88,889 [1]	-	88,889			
Total	155,556	1	155,556			

<sup>[1]</sup> One cash RSU vests on the exercise of every 2.25 options that were issued previously with an exercise price of C\$3.60, a vesting price of C\$4.25, expiring March 31, 2014.

On September 14, 2012, 60,118 cash RSUs vested and a corresponding cash payment was made for \$19,615.

As of June 30, 2013 no cash RSUs have vested and accordingly no liability has been accrued to any cash RSUs granted to date.

## Other transactions with key management personnel

A number of key management personnel, or close members of their family, hold positions in other entities that result in them having significant influence over those entities for the purposes of IAS 24. Where transactions are entered into with those entities the terms and conditions are no more favourable than those that it is reasonable to expect the entity would have adopted if dealing on an arm's length basis.

The Company did not enter into any transactions with entities over which key management personnel have significant influence during the period and the corresponding prior period.

# 10. TAX CONSOLIDATION

The Company and its subsidiaries have formed a tax consolidated group for Australian taxation purposes. All entities are therefore taxed as a single entity.

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### 11. SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES WITH RESPECT TO CASH FLOWS

	ee months d June 30, 2013	Three mo	nths ended June 30, 2012
Cash paid during the period for interest	\$ 1,959	\$	1,155

During the period ended June 30, 2013, the Company entered into the following non-cash transactions:

- a) Recorded \$105,483 in deferred exploration expenditures through accounts payable.
- b) Recorded \$54,759 in receivables as a recovery of exploration expenditures.

During the period ended June 30, 2012, the Company entered into the following non-cash transactions:

- a) Recorded \$556,840 in deferred exploration expenditures through accounts payable.
- b) Recorded \$9,909 in plant and equipment through accounts payable.

### 12. SEGMENTED INFORMATION

The Company's one reportable operating segment is the acquisition, exploration and development of mineral properties in Australia. All of the Company's exploration and evaluation assets and plant and equipment are located in Australia.

### 13. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

#### **Credit Risk**

Exposure to credit risk

The carrying amount of the Company's financial assets represents the maximum credit exposure. This amount is as follows:

	Carrying Amount			
		June 30,		March 31,
		2013		2013
Financial assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	8,167,618	\$	10,673,169
Security Deposits		407,104		407,104
Receivables		82,671		221,318
	\$	8,657,393	\$	11,301,591

The Company's receivables comprises of interest receivable and goods and services taxation payments recoverable from the Australian Government.

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# 13. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (cont'd)

## Credit Risk (cont'd)

The Company's maximum exposure to credit risk for receivables at the reporting date by geographic region was:

	Carrying Amount			
	June 30,			March 31,
_		2013		2013
Australia	\$	383,486	\$	542,445
Less: Impairment of receivables		(300,815)		(321,127)
Canada		-		<u> </u>
Total	\$	82,671	\$	221,318

The financial liabilities the Company has at the reporting date are payables and accrued liabilities, and finance lease liabilities. The Company has sufficient cash to cover these liabilities as they come due.

# **Currency Risk**

Exposure to currency risk

The Company's exposure to foreign currency risk at the reporting date was as follows:

		AUD	(	CAD	AUD		CAD
	June 30, 2013			March 31, 2013			
Cash and cash equivalents Receivables Security deposits	\$	8,083,678 82,671 407,104 8,573,453	\$	83,940 - - 83,940	\$ 10,596,568 221,318 407,104	\$	76,601 - -
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		471,289		36,949	971,871		76,601 20,016
Owing to related parties Employee Benefits Finance Lease liabilities		- 137,958 90,574		:	- 173,391 96,892		- - -
		699,821		36,949	1,242,154		20,016
Net exposure	\$	7,873,632	\$	46,991	\$ 9,982,836	\$	56,585

The following significant exchange rates applied during the period:

	Avera	Average rate		Reporting date spot rate	
AUD	June 30, 2013	March 31, 2013	June 30, 2013	March 31, 2013	
Canadian dollar (CAD)	0.9852	0.9682	0.9654	0.9438	

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## 13. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (cont'd)

### Currency Risk (cont'd)

Sensitivity analysis

As at June 30, 2013, the Company's expenditures are in Australian dollars and Canadian dollars. As at June 30, 2013, the Company had cash of \$83,940 Canadian dollars (March 31, 2013 – CAD \$76,601) and accounts payable of \$36,949 Canadian dollars (March 31, 2013 – CAD \$20,016). For each 10% change in the Australian dollar vs. Canadian dollar a \$4,536 gain/loss would arise (March 31, 2013 - \$612) on this balance of cash and accounts payable.

#### Interest rate risk

#### Profile

At the reporting date the interest rate profile of the Company's and the Group's interest-bearing financial instruments was:

		Consolidated Carrying amount			
	June 30, 2013	March 31, 2013			
Variable rate instruments Financial assets	\$ 8,332,505	\$ 11,003,556			

Cash flow sensitivity analysis for variable rate instruments

A change of 100 basis points in interest rates at the reporting date would have increased (decreased) equity and profit or loss by the amounts shown below. This analysis assumes that all other variables, in particular foreign currency rates, remain constant. The analysis is performed on the same basis for this period.

	Profit	Profit or loss		Equity		
	100bp increase	100bp decrease	100bp increase	100bp decrease		
June 30, 2013 Variable rate instruments	\$ 83,325	\$ (83,325)	\$ 83,325	\$ (83,325)		
March 31, 2013 Variable rate instruments	\$ 110,036	\$ (110,036)	\$ 110,036	\$ (110,036)		

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### 14. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The Company manages its capital structure and makes adjustments to it, based on the funds available to the Company, in order to support the acquisition, exploration and development of resource properties. The Board of Directors does not establish quantitative return on capital criteria for management, but rather relies on the expertise of the Company's management to sustain future development of the business. In the management of capital, the Company includes unissued capital of shareholders' equity.

The properties in which the Company currently has an interest are in the exploration and development stage; as such the Company is dependent on external financing to fund activities. In order to carry out planned exploration and pay for administrative costs, the Company will spend its existing working capital and raise additional funds as needed.

In addition to its exploration and evaluation activities with the Macarthur Iron Ore Projects, the Company will continue to assess new properties and seek to acquire an interest in additional properties if it feels there is sufficient geologic or economic potential and if it has adequate financial resources to do so. Management reviews its capital management approach on an ongoing basis and believes that this approach, given the relative size of the Company, is reasonable.

There were no changes in the Company's approach to capital management during the period ending June 30, 2013. The Company is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

#### 15. COMMITMENTS

### Operating lease agreements

At June 30, 2013 the Company had the following commitments:

	Finance Vehicle leases \$	Operating Building leases \$	Total \$
Within one year Later than one year but no later than five years	43,845 46,729	266,999 251,495	310,844 298,224
Total minimum lease payments	90,574	518,494	609,068

The Group entered into two finance lease contracts for the purchase of 4 vehicles with completion dates of February 2016 (extended from February 2013) and November, 2013. The vehicles are recorded at cost and classified as a depreciable asset. Title of the vehicles will transfer to the Company upon residual payments of \$53,896.

# **Exploration expenditures**

Certain future exploration expenditures are required to be undertaken by the Company as a minimum retention for exploration permits. These expenditures were set out in Note 5 to the Financial Statements for the period ended June 30, 2013.

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## 15. **COMMITMENTS** (cont'd)

### **Option Agreement E30/317**

The Company entered into an option agreement on June 16, 2011 to acquire exploration tenement E30/317, with an area of 29 km2. The Company has paid the initial acquisition cost of \$100,000 and a further option fee of \$200,000 on the first anniversary. The Company was required to undertake expenditure of \$500,000 on tenement E30/317 within the 24 month exercise period or pay the shortfall, if it did not exercise the option. As at the reporting date the Company has fully met the \$500,000 expenditure requirement and has \$nil outstanding under the option agreement.

The option has been extended for a further 12 months until June 16, 2014. The Company is required to keep the Tenement in good standing and the option fee remains the same at \$10,000,000.

Apart from the above, the Company has no other material commitments at balance sheet date.

#### 16. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

## Security

Contingent liability of \$227,000 exists in relation to security bonds issued to the Department of Mines and Petroleum for compliance with environmental conditions attached to exploration and mining leases M30/213, M30/214, M30/215, M30/216, E30/317, E30/321, M30/228, M30/229, M30/240 and M30/249.

In addition the Company has bank guarantees issued of \$180,104 for office leasing arrangements in Brisbane and Perth.

### Mining Rehabilitation Fund ("MRF")

The MRF was implemented by the Australian Government on July 1, 2013. MRF provides a pooled fund, levied according to the environmental disturbance existing on a tenement at the annual reporting date. The money left in the fund will be used for rehabilitation where the operator fails to meet rehabilitation obligations. This allows current Mining Act tenement holders to have all or partial of the security bonds released dependent upon the disturbance on the current tenements that hold security. Currently, this is an 'opt in' basis for companies to access the funds early. From July 1, 2014, participation in the fund will become compulsory. The Company successfully applied to the Department of Mines and Petroleum for release of its security bonds. The amount to be released is yet to be confirmed.

## First Strategic Development Corporation Ltd (in liquidation) ("FSDC")

The Company is a creditor of FSDC and lodged a Proof of Debt with FSDC's liquidator for approximately \$460,000. The Company and another creditor have entered into a Funding Agreement with the liquidator of FSDC, to fund the costs and expenses of proceedings against former directors of FSDC (Messrs Sing Chuk Charles Chan, Wai Lap Victor Chan and Wai Tak Kwok) for compensation and/or damages for insolvent trading and breach of directors' duties owed to FSDC (the "FSDC Proceedings"). On August 23, 2012, the Supreme Court of Queensland approved the Funding Agreement and also ordered that the costs of the liquidator, the Company and the other creditor be costs in the winding up.

Under the terms of the Funding Agreement, the Company and the other creditor agreed to equally share the costs and expenses of the FSDC Proceedings up to \$80,000 (plus GST). This amount has subsequently been met and the Company is now solely responsible for the costs and expenses of the FSDC Proceedings. Macarthur may terminate the Funding Agreement at any time. The Company has provided an indemnity to the liquidator of FSDC in respect of any adverse costs order against the liquidator.

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## **16. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES** (cont'd)

On May 7, 2013, the Court granted leave to amend the liquidator's claim by adding a new cause of action against Mr Charles Chan for money owing to FSDC. At the same time, the proceedings were set down for a 7 day trial commencing October 17, 2013.

Lawyers for the liquidator estimate that, based on the current status of the claim, the future costs and expenses of the FSDC Proceedings (including the liquidator's fees) up to the commencement of the trial will be between approximately \$98,700 to \$155,100.

## **Supreme Court Proceedings**

In July 2012, the Company was served with proceedings in the Supreme Court of Queensland commenced by LPD Holdings (Aust) Pty Ltd ("LPD") and Mayson Associates Limited ("Mayson") (the "July Proceedings") in which the Company was named as a respondent. The other respondents to the Proceedings were certain directors and officers of the Company ("Respondent Officers") and Jaldale Pty Ltd.

On November 21, 2012 the Supreme Court of Queensland heard applications to strike-out the July Proceedings by the Company and the Respondent Officers. The Court ordered, among other things, that the July Proceedings be dismissed due to what the Court described as a "fatal defect", namely that neither LPD nor Mayson were registered shareholders of the Company at the date the July Proceedings were commenced (LPD was only a beneficial shareholder and Mayson was not a shareholder at all). The Court subsequently ordered that LPD and Mayson pay the Company and the Respondent Officers costs of, and incidental to, the July Proceeding on the indemnity basis.

An appeal against the indemnity costs order against LPD and Mayson was heard on July 29, 2013 and has been reserved for judgment.

After commencing the July Proceedings, LPD re-registered as a shareholder of the Company and the Company was served with new proceedings commenced by LPD on November 20, 2012 (the "New Proceedings"). LPD subsequently amended its Originating Application and served its Statement of Claim in respect of the New Proceedings on December 6, 2012. The New Proceedings are similar to the July Proceedings but do differ in some material respects. In particular, the claims against Jaldale Pty Ltd and the officers of the Company, COO and CFO/Company Secretary, have been dropped and certain grounds for relief have also been abandoned. In addition, Mayson is not an applicant in the New Proceedings.

The Company is of the view that, as with the July Proceedings, the New Proceedings are without merit. The Company is vigorously defending the New Proceedings.

LPD has provided security for costs in the July Proceedings, the New Proceedings and in the appeal against the indemnity costs order.

In February 2013, the Company and the remaining respondent directors filed strike-out applications in the New Proceedings. The respondent directors sought to strike-out the proceedings against them on the basis that LPD's pleadings do not disclose a cause of action against them and that they are not necessary parties to the New Proceedings. The Company sought to strike-out certain allegations made in LPD's pleadings in the New Proceedings on the basis that the allegations are not properly particularised, do not disclose a reasonable cause of action, are irrelevant and embarrassing and/or are an abuse of process. Those strike-out applications were heard on April 26, 2013. The parties are now waiting for the Court's judgment.

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## **16. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES** (cont'd)

Legal costs of the New Proceedings from April 1, 2013 up to and including the filing of the Company's Defence are estimated to be between \$100,000 and \$155,000 (inclusive of Counsel's fees and excluding GST). If the New Proceedings continue to a full trial of the substantial issues, then the legal costs of the New Proceedings after the filing of the Company's Defence are estimated to be between \$400,000 to \$600,000 (inclusive of Counsels' fees and excluding GST).

In July 2012, the respondent directors and officers (who together engaged separate legal representation) made a claim against the Company's Directors' and Officers' Liability Insurance policy in respect of any liability in these proceedings, including legal costs. The insurer has confirmed coverage of defence costs under the policy. Other incidental costs that fall outside of the policy have been incurred and the Company has indemnified the respondent directors and officers for those other incidental costs to date (subject to certain restrictions, including restrictions contained in the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth)).

LPD previously commenced proceedings in the Supreme Court of Queensland on July 16, 2010 for inspection of books and records of the Company and its subsidiary Macarthur Iron Ore Pty Ltd (previously named Internickel Australia Pty Ltd). Those proceedings were settled by mutual agreement on May 18, 2011.

### 17. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

### Options exercised/expired

140,000 options expired after June 30, 2013 and up to the date of this report.