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.

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Name of	entity	
Lodesta	r Minerals Limited	
ABN 32 127	026 528	
We (the	e entity) give ASX the following in	formation.
	- All issues complete the relevant sections (attach she	vets if there is not enough space).
1	⁺ Class of ⁺ 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	1,627,693
3	Principal terms of the *securities (eg, 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

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment 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- Fully paid ordinary shares

5 Issue price or consideration

3 cent per share

6 Purpose of the issue
(If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)

Conversion of March 2016 options

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⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

6a	Is the entity an ⁺ eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A?	Yes
	If Yes, complete sections 6b – 6h <i>in</i> relation to the *securities the subject of this Appendix 3B, and comply with section 6i	
6b	The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed	26 November 2014
6c	Number of *securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	Nil
6d	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	Nil
бе	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	Nil
6f	Number of convities issued under	22.224
01	Number of securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	33,334
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.	N/A

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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

N/A

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

Rule 7.1- 38,931,140 Rule 7.1A- 32,620,760

7 Dates of entering *securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates

23 October 2015

8 Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (*including* the securities in section 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
336,207,602	Fully paid ordinary
34,416,375	31 March 2016 Options

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9 Number and *class of all *securities not quoted on ASX (*including* the securities in section 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
2,500,000	Options exercisable at
	15-30 cents by 29
	November 2016.
2,250,000	Options exercisable at
	15-30 cents by 8 May
	2017.
16,000,000	Options exercisable
	at 5 cents by 16
	December 2017.

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

As for existing fully paid ordinary

Part 2 - Bonus issue or pro rata issue N/A

11	Is security holder approval required?	
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	
13	Ratio in which the *securities will be offered	
14	⁺ Class of ⁺ securities to which the offer relates	
15	⁺ Record date to determine entitlements	
	_	
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	
	E L	
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	
	<u> </u>	
18	Names of countries in which the entity has *security holders who will not be sent new issue documents	
	Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.	
	Cross reference: rule 7.7.	
	<u>-</u>	
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	

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20	Names of any underwriters	
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21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of +security holders	
25	If the issue is contingent on *security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled	
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	
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable	
30	How do *security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?	
31	How do *security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	
32	How do *security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?	
33	⁺ Despatch date	

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		IOTATION OF SECURITIES supplete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities
34	Type (tick o	of securities one)
(a)	X	Securities described in Part 1
(b)		All other securities
		Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities
Entitie	s that	have ticked box 34(a)
Additio	onal se	curities forming a new class of securities
Tick to docume		e you are providing the information or
35		If the *securities are *equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional *securities, and the number and percentage of additional *securities held by those holders
36		If the $^+$ securities are $^+$ equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional $^+$ securities setting out the number of holders in the categories 1 - $1,000$ $1,001$ - $5,000$ $5,001$ - $10,000$ $10,001$ - $100,000$ $100,001$ and over
37		A copy of any trust deed for the additional *securities
Entitie	s that	have ticked box 34(b)
38		per of securities for which ation is sought
39	Class quotat	of *securities for which tion is sought

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

40	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment 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	⁺ Class
Quotat	ion agreement		
1	*Quotation of our additional *secur quote the *securities on any condition		e discretion. ASX may

- 1
- 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

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,

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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 not available now, 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: 23 October 2015

(Company secretary)

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Print name: David McArthur

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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

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 date of issue or agreement to issue	206,864,499	
Add the following: Number of fully paid ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2	98,181,564	
Number of fully paid ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval	21,161,539	
Number of partly paid ordinary securities that became fully paid in that 12 month period		
Note: Include only ordinary securities here – other classes of equity securities cannot be added Include here (if applicable) the securities 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		
Subtract the number of fully paid ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period		
"A"	326,207,602	

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Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"		
"B"	0.15	
	[Note: this value cannot be changed]	
Multiply "A" by 0.15	48,931,140	
Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1 that has already been used		
Insert number of equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period not counting those issued:	10,000,000	
• Under an exception in rule 7.2		
Under rule 7.1A		
 With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4 		
 Note: This applies to equity securities, unless specifically excluded – not just ordinary securities Include here (if applicable) the securities 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 		
"C"	10,000,000	
Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x ' placement capacity under rule 7.1	_	
"A" x 0.15	48,931,140	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2		
Subtract "C"	10,000,000	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3		
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.15] – "C"	38,931,140	
	[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	326,207,602	
Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"		
"D"	0.10 Note: this value cannot be changed	
Multiply "A" by 0.10	32,620,760	
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 Notes: This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities Include here – if applicable – the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed 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 It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items 	Nil	
"E"	0	

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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	32,620,760
Subtract "E" Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	Nil
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.10] – "E"	32,620,760 Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.