

Appendix 3F

Final share buy-back notice (*except* minimum holding buy-back)

Introduced 1/9/99. Origin: Appendices 7D and 7E. Amended 30/9/2001.

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Name of entity	ABN
BHP Billiton Limited	49 004 028 077

We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

Description of buy-back

1	Type of buy-back	Selective buy-back on equal access buy-back conditions as modified
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Details of all shares bought back

2	Number of shares bought back	95,950,979
3	Total consideration paid or payable for the shares	A\$2,250,050,458
4	If buy-back is an on-market buy-back - highest and lowest price paid	highest price: date: N/A lowest price: date: N/A

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Compliance statement

1. The company is in compliance with all Corporations Act requirements relevant to this buy-back.
2. There is no information that the listing rules require to be disclosed that has not already been disclosed, or is not contained in, or attached to, this form.

Sign here:



(Company secretary)

Date: 3 April 2006

Print name:Sam Butcher.....

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