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Rights Issue - Bathurst Resources Limited (BRL)

Bathurst Resources Limited advises that it intends to make a rights issue offer to all eligible shareholders, giving them the opportunity to participate in a 1 for 23 pro rata non-renounceable entitlement offer of ordinary shares at an offer price of NZ\$0.065 per share, or a corresponding amount of A\$0.06 per share.

BRL intends to use the proceeds from this offer, along with the raising from the recent placement, primarily to fund the development of the Escarpment Project, and to assess other sites on the West Coast of New Zealand for their potential for the production of coking coal.

Key dates

Activity	Date
Announcement of the Offer	30 May 2014
Ex Date on ASX	5 June 2014
Ex Date on NZX	6 June 2014
Record Date	10 June 2014
Opening Date	13 June 2014
Offer Booklet and Entitlement and Acceptance Forms mailed	13 June 2014
Closing Date (for acceptances)	3 July 2014
Offer Shares expected to commence trading on ASX (on deferred settlement basis)	4 July 2014
Settlement and Allotment Date	9 July 2014
Offer Shares expected to commence trading on NZX Main Board	10 July 2014
Offer Shares expected to commence trading on ASX (on normal settlement basis)	10 July 2014
Mailing of allotment notices for Offer Shares	16 July 2014

The Offer Document will be lodged with ASX and NZX on 30 May 2014 and will be available on both the ASX and NZX websites, as well as on BRL's website at <http://www.bathurstresources.com/investor-relations/>.

Further information

If you have any questions in relation to any of the above matters, please contact the Offer Information Help Line on 0800 727 475 (from within New Zealand) or 1800 041 651 (from within Australia) from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm Monday to Friday during the offer period. For other questions, you should consult your broker, accountant, financial adviser, taxation adviser or other independent professional adviser without delay.

On behalf of Bathurst Resources Limited.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'M. Maine'.

Marshall Maine
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 01/07/96 Origin: Appendix 5 Amended 01/07/98, 01/09/99, 01/07/00, 30/09/01, 11/03/02, 01/01/03, 24/10/05, 01/08/12, 04/03/13

Name of entity

Bathurst Resources Limited

ARBN

164 306 905

We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

Part 1 - All issues

You must complete the relevant sections (attach sheets if there is not enough space).

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| 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 | Approximately 41,083,998 |
| 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	NZD 0.065 per share or AUD 0.06 per share
6	Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	Pro-rata non-renounceable rights issue. Proceeds to be used for the development of the Escarpment Project.
6a	Is the entity an +eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A? If Yes, complete sections 6b – 6h <i>in relation to the +securities the subject of this Appendix 3B</i>, and comply with section 6i	No
6b	The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed	n/a
6c	Number of +securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	n/a
6d	Number of +securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	n/a

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6e	Number of +securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	n/a				
6f	Number of +securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	n/a				
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				
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					
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.	Wednesday 9 July 2014				
8	Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (including the +securities in section 2 if applicable)	<table><tr><th>Number</th><th>+Class</th></tr><tr><td>986,015,959</td><td>Fully Paid Ordinary Shares (ASX:BRL)</td></tr></table>	Number	+Class	986,015,959	Fully Paid Ordinary Shares (ASX:BRL)
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986,015,959	Fully Paid Ordinary Shares (ASX:BRL)					

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	Number	+Class
9	Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX (including the +securities in section 2 if applicable)	
	2,000,000	Options exercisable at 38 cents each expiring 29 August 2014. Vest upon the first 25,000 tonnes of coal being shipped from the Buller coal project (ASX:BRLAY)
	2,000,000	Options exercisable at 38 cents each expiring 19 December 2014. Vest upon the first 25,000 tonnes of coal being shipped from the Buller coal project (ASX:BRLAW)
	6,668,158	Performance Rights issued under the Company's Long Term Incentive Plan (ASX:BRLAZ)
10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	n/a

Part 2 - Pro rata issue

11	Is security holder approval required?	No
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	Non-renounceable
13	Ratio in which the +securities will be offered	One to twenty three
14	+Class of +securities to which the offer relates	Fully-Paid Ordinary Shares
15	+Record date to determine entitlements	Tuesday 10 June 2014
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	[No]

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17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	Round to the nearest whole number.
18	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.	Offer documents will not be sent to Shareholders in any country other than Australia or New Zealand.
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	Thursday 3 July 2014
20	Names of any underwriters	n/a
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	n/a
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	Forsyth Barr Limited for New Zealand only.
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	Forsyth Barr Limited for New Zealand only.
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	Friday 13 June 2014
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	Friday 30 May 2014
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	n/a

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| 29 | Date rights trading will end (if applicable) | n/a |
| 30 | How do security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker? | n/a |
| 31 | How do security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance? | n/a |
| 32 | How do security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)? | n/a |
| 33 | +Issue date | Wednesday 9 July 2014 |

Part 3 - Quotation of securities

You need only complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities

- 34 Type of +securities
 (tick one)
- (a) ☒ +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

Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

Additional securities forming a new class of securities

Tick to indicate you are providing the information or documents

- 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

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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

Entities that have ticked box 34(b)

38 Number of ⁺securities for which ⁺quotation is sought

39 ⁺Class of ⁺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)

Number	⁺ Class
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42	Number and ⁺ class of all ⁺ securities quoted on ASX (including the ⁺ securities in clause 38)	Ordinary
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Quotation agreement

1 ⁺Quotation of our additional ⁺securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the ⁺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.

3 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.

4 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: ...29/05/2014.....

(Company secretary)

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Print name: Marshall Maine

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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	nil
Add the following: - Number of fully paid +ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2 - Number of fully paid +ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval - 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	58,480,112 804,348,207 nil
Subtract the number of fully paid +ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period	nil
“A”	862,828,319

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Step 2: Calculate 15% of “A”	
“B”	0.15 <i>[Note: this value cannot be changed]</i>
Multiply “A” by 0.15	129,424,247
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 <i>not counting</i> those issued: • Under an exception in rule 7.2 • Under rule 7.1A • With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4 Note: • <i>This applies to equity securities, unless specifically excluded – not just ordinary securities</i> • <i>Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</i> • <i>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</i>	123,187,640
“C”	123,187,640
Step 4: Subtract “C” from [“A” x “B”] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1	
“A” x 0.15 <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2</i>	129,424,247
Subtract “C” <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3</i>	123,187,640
Total [“A” x 0.15] – “C”	6,236,607 <i>[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]</i>

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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” <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 1 of Part 1</i>	n/a
Step 2: Calculate 10% of “A”	
“D”	0.10 <i>Note: this value cannot be changed</i>
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 <i>Notes:</i> • <i>This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities</i> • <i>Include here – if applicable – the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</i> • <i>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</i> • <i>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</i>	
“E”	

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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 <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2</i>	
Subtract “E” <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3</i>	
Total [“A” x 0.10] – “E”	<i>Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A</i>

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