

Appendix 3E

Daily share buy-back notice (*except* minimum holding buy-back and selective buy-back)

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Introduced 1/9/99 Origin: rule 3.6, Appendix 7C Amended 30/9/2001

Name of Entity

BHP STEEL LIMITED

ABN

16 000 011 058

We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

Information about buy-back

1 Type of buy-back

On-market

2 Date Appendix 3C was given
to ASX

27 February 2003

**Total of all shares bought back, or in relation to which acceptances have
been received, before, and on, previous day**

	Before previous day	Previous day
3 Number of shares bought back or if buy-back is an equal access scheme, in relation to which acceptances have been received	770,000	0
4 Total consideration paid or payable for the shares	\$2,333,434	\$0

[†] See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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5 If buy-back is an on-market buy-back	highest price paid: \$3.05 date: 14-Mar-03 lowest price paid: \$2.97 date: 17-Mar-03	highest price paid: \$0.00 lowest price paid: \$0.00 highest price allowed under rule 7.33: \$3.2319

Participation by directors

6 Deleted 30/9/2001

How many shares may still be bought back?

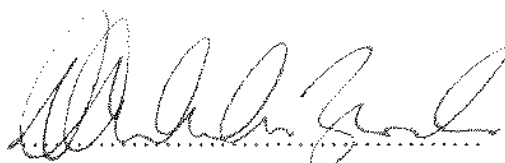
7 If the company has disclosed an intention to buy back a maximum number of shares - the remaining number of shares to be bought back

78,530,000

Compliance statement

1. The company is in compliance with all Corporations Law 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:


(Director/Company Secretary)

Date: 21/3/03

Print name:

David Cantrick-Brooks

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