

Appendix 5B

Mining exploration entity quarterly report

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Name of entity

Diatreme Resources Limited

ABN

33 061 267 061

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

31 March 2006

Consolidated statement of cash flows

Cash flows related to operating activities		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (9months) \$A'000
1.1	Receipts from product sales and related debtors		
1.2	Payments for (a) exploration and evaluation	(649)	(649)
	(b) development		
	(c) production		
	(d) administration	(139)	(139)
1.3	Dividends received		
1.4	Interest and other items of a similar nature received	3	3
1.5	Interest and other costs of finance paid		
1.6	Income taxes paid		
1.7	Other (provide details if material) GST		
Net Operating Cash Flows		(885)	(885)
Cash flows related to investing activities			
1.8	Payment for purchases of: (a)prospects		
	(b)equity investments	(29)	(29)
	(c) other fixed assets	(4)	(4)
1.9	Proceeds from sale of: (a)prospects		
	(b)equity investments	48	48
	(c)other fixed assets		
1.10	Loans to other entities		
1.11	Loans repaid by other entities		
1.12	Other (provide details if material)		
Net investing cash flows		15	15
1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (carried forward)	(870)	(870)

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1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (brought forward)		
	Cash flows related to financing activities		
1.14	Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc.	205	205
1.15	Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares		
1.16	Proceeds from borrowings		
1.17	Repayment of borrowings		
1.18	Dividends paid		
1.19	Other (provide details if material)		
	Net financing cash flows	205	205
	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(665)	(665)
1.20	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	2,301	2301
1.21	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20		
1.22	Cash at end of quarter	1,636	1636

Payments to related entities of the entity and associates of the related entities

		Current quarter \$A'000
1.23	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	99
1.24	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	0

1.25 Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions

Exploration expenditure estimated for the quarter was not fully expended because of the unavailability of suitable drilling rigs. Drilling has now commenced in the current quarter.

Non-cash financing and investing activities

- 2.1 Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows

NIL

- 2.2 Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their share in projects in which the reporting entity has an interest

NIL

Financing facilities available

Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position.

	Amount available \$A'000	Amount used \$A'000
3.1 Loan facilities		
3.2 Credit standby arrangements		

Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

	\$A'000
4.1 Exploration and evaluation	350
4.2 Development	NIL
Total	

Reconciliation of cash

Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.

	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1 Cash on hand and at bank	1636	2301
5.2 Deposits at call		
5.3 Bank overdraft		
5.4 Other (provide details)		
Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	1636	2301

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Changes in interests in mining tenements

	Tenement reference	Nature of interest (note (2))	Interest at beginning of quarter	Interest at end of quarter
6.1 Interests in mining tenements relinquished, reduced or lapsed	EPM 12903	Direct	100%	0%
6.2 Interests in mining tenements acquired or increased	EPM applic 15400 EPM applic 15426	Direct Direct	0% 0%	100% 100%

Issued and quoted securities at end of current quarter

Description includes rate of interest and any redemption or conversion rights together with prices and dates.

	Total number	Number quoted	Issue price per security (see note 3) (cents)	Amount paid up per security (see note 3) (cents)
7.1 Preference⁺ securities <i>(description)</i>	N/A			
7.2 Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy-backs, redemptions				
7.3 ⁺Ordinary securities	72,022,148	63,925,746	N/A	N/A
7.4 Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy-backs	975,000	975,000	0	20 cents
7.5 ⁺Convertible debt securities <i>(description)</i>	N/A			
7.6 Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through securities matured, converted				
7.7 Options <i>(description and conversion factor)</i>	6,712,791	Nil	<i>Exercise price</i> 20 cents	<i>Expiry date</i> 30 May 2007
7.8 Issued during quarter				
7.9 Exercised during quarter	975,000	975,000	20 cents	30 May 2007
7.10 Expired during quarter				
7.11 Debentures <i>(totals only)</i>	N/A			
7.12 Unsecured notes <i>(totals only)</i>	N/A			

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Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Act or other standards acceptable to ASX (see note 4).
- 2 This statement does ~~/does not~~ *(delete one)* give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.



Sign here: Date 28 April 2006
(Director/Company secretary)

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Notes

- 1 The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity wanting to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes attached to this report.
- 2 The "Nature of interest" (items 6.1 and 6.2) includes options in respect of interests in mining tenements acquired, exercised or lapsed during the reporting period. If the entity is involved in a joint venture agreement and there are conditions precedent which will change its percentage interest in a mining tenement, it should disclose the change of percentage interest and conditions precedent in the list required for items 6.1 and 6.2.
- 3 **Issued and quoted securities** The issue price and amount paid up is not required in items 7.1 and 7.3 for fully paid securities.
- 4 The definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 1022: Accounting for Extractive Industries* and *AASB 1026: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report.
- 5 **Accounting Standards** ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Accounting Standards for foreign entities. If the standards used do not address a topic, the Australian standard on that topic (if any) must be complied with.

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