



AquaCarotene Limited

ABN 18 074 969 056

Natural Culture

Registered Office:

2nd Floor, 45 Stirling Highway
Nedlands WA 6009

Postal Address:

PO Box 985
Nedlands WA 6909

Tel: (61 8) 9389 8799

Fax: (61 8) 9389 8327

Email: aql@broadwaymgt.com.au

21 March 2003

AUSTRALIAN STOCK EXCHANGE LIMITED

Dear Sir/Madam

DIRECTOR'S APPOINTMENT, ENTITLEMENTS ISSUE

AquaCarotene Limited wish to announce the Company's intention to raise up to \$900,000 in working capital by way of a 1:5 entitlements issue. Shares will be issued at 4.5 cents each, with a free attaching option, exercisable at 5 cents on or before 30 June 2005. It is expected that the issue will be partly underwritten.

The board also wish to announce the appointment of Mr Douglas Wood as managing director of the Company. Mr Wood joined the board in mid December 2002 and will be responsible for the corporate and financial aspects of the Company.

The working capital raised will enable AquaCarotene to produce a sample range of product containing Natural BetaCarotene, to commence the commercial marketing of the products, and to assist in the general day to day operational costs.

Yours faithfully

AQUACAROTENE LIMITED

DAVID McARTHUR

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 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 5. Amended 1/7/98, 1/9/99, 1/7/2000, 30/9/2001, 11/3/2002, 1/1/2003.

Name of entity

AQUACAROTENE LIMITED

ABN

18 074 969 056

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).

- | | | |
|---|--|--|
| 1 | +Class of +securities issued or to be issued | Fully paid ordinary shares.
30/06/2005 options |
| 2 | Number of +securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued | Up to 20,008,465 shares and options |
| 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) | Options exercisable at 5 cents on or before 30/06/2005 |

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Appendix 3B
New issue announcement

4 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	4.5 cents per share and option	
6 Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	Working capital	
7 Dates of entering +securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates	To be advised	
8 Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable)	Number Up to 118,378,542	+Class Fully paid ordinary shares

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

9	Number and ⁺ class of all ⁺ securities not quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable)	Number	⁺ Class
		Up to 20,008,465	30/06/2005 options exercisable at 5¢
		1,672,250	30/06/2005 options exercisable at 4.5¢
10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	As for existing fully paid	

Part 2 - Bonus issue or 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	1:5
14	⁺ Class of ⁺ securities to which the offer relates	Fully paid ordinary shares
15	⁺ Record date to determine entitlements	To be advised
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	Yes
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	Rounded up
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.	Entitlements issue only in Australia and New Zealand
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	To be advised

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Appendix 3B
New issue announcement

20	Names of any underwriters	To be advised
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	To be advised
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	None
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	None
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of ⁺ security holders	None
25	If the issue is contingent on ⁺ security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	N/A
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled	To be advised
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	To be advised
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	N/A
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

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

- 32 How do ⁺security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)? N/A
- 33 ⁺Despatch date To be advised

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
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

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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 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 (<i>including</i> the securities in clause 38)	<table border="1"><thead><tr><th>Number</th><th>+Class</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td></td><td></td></tr></tbody></table>	Number	+Class		
Number	+Class					

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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.
- We warrant that if confirmation is required under section 1017F of the Corporations Act in relation to the ⁺securities to be quoted, it has been provided 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.

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Appendix 3B
New issue announcement

- 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 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: 21 March 2003
(~~Director~~/Company secretary)

Print name: David McArthur

== == == == ==

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.