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# Metal Bank Limited and its controlled entity

**Annual Financial Report** 

For the year ended 30 June 2011

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## METAL BANK LIMITED AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITY CORPORATE DIRECTORY

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## METAL BANK LIMITED AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITY LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN

#### LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN

Dear Shareholder,

On behalf of the directors of Metal Bank Limited ("Metal Bank" or the "Company"), it gives me great pleasure to submit to you the first annual report of Metal Bank since its successful listing for the financial year ended 30 June 2011

Metal Bank is a company with a diversified asset portfolio. As shareholders will be aware, much has happened since the Prospectus lodged on the 2 December 2010. In particular:

- the Company continued its investments in a range of quality and diversified mining assets across multiple
  regions and minerals. These included key Joint Ventures with Orion Metals Ltd in the Killi Killi South
  project (50%); and
- the acquisition of the Spinifex Ridge East project (80%).

In addition to the above, Metal Bank continues to develop a number of potential resource projects.

As at the date of this report the Spinifex Ridge East Copper/Molybdenum/Iron and the Killi Killi Rare Earth/Gold Projects in Western Australia stand out as key assets for the Company. The Spinifex Ridge East project lies in a region rich in Molybdenum and Iron Ore and has been known to host multi-million ounce gold mines. The Killi Killi South Project is located in a region highly prospective for its Rare Earth and Gold mineralisations.

The above assets represent projects of merit that warrant further exploration. The Spinifex Ridge East project is situated adjacent to the Moly Mines Ltd world class Molybdenum ore reserves and Iron Ore producing mines. The Killi Killi South project is located close to Orion Metals highly prospective Rare Earth/Gold/Uranium tenements in the Killi Killi Hills region. Both projects have the potential to develop into operating mines if our exploration is successful.

The Company's other principal assets, the Mount MacKenzie and 10 Mile Creek Copper/Gold/Molybdenum tenements located in the Bowen Basin, will continue to be assessed by the Company with a view to maximising return for Shareholders.

The Board is currently reviewing its position in the Jillewarra joint venture gold project in which it holds a 26% interest and further developments are expected to be announced shortly.

During the year, Metal Bank undertook a number of share issues raising approximately \$3.6 million, net of transaction costs with the major part of the capital raised being under the Prospectus.

In addition to the above, we have seen a change in two Board members, Kent Hunter and Ashley Hood, as well as the replacement of the Company Secretary, Elizabeth Harahan. The appointment of Michael Sutherland as a Non Executive Director and myself to the Board as well as Guy Robertson as Company Secretary, I believe has enhanced Metal Bank's corporate and technical experience. On behalf of the Board of Directors I would like to thank Ashley Hood and Kent Hunter and Elizabeth Harahan, for their contribution to the Company, particularly during the listing phase.

I believe that the Company is well positioned to capitalise on future opportunities and I look forward to an exciting 2012 financial year.

Finally, I would like to sincerely thank all shareholders for their ongoing support.

Vincent J P Fayad Non-Executive Chairman

21 September 2011

#### **REVIEW OF OPERATIONS**

The operations of the consolidated entity during the year are as described below:

Project	JV%	Cu	Мо	Au	Ag	U	Fe	Ni	Pb	Zn	Bi	w	REE
Spinifex Ridge East	80%	*	*	*	•		*	•	•			•	
Jillewarra	26%	•		*				•					
Killi Killi South	50%			*		•							*
Mt McKenzie	100%	•	•	•	•				•	•	•		
Ten Mile Creek	100%	•	*	•	•				*	*	•		

Figure 1: Metal Bank's portfolio of Projects across multiple regions and metals

#### SPINIFEX RIDGE EAST PROJECT

Metal Bank's Spinifex Ridge East Project consists of 2 granted exploration leases (45/2596, E45/3099) – adjacent to Moly Mines Ltd (ASX: MOL) Spinifex Ridge Iron Ore Mine and world class Molybdenum project. Metal Bank has acquired an 80% interest in the Project. The Project is located some 50 km north-east of Marble Bar in the East Pilbara region of Western Australia. The tenement borders the existing Spinifex Ridge Iron Ore Mine & Moly Mines' Molybdenum- Copper Resource.

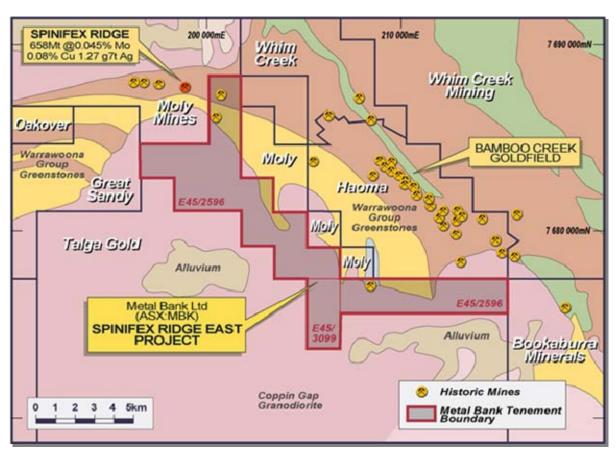


Figure 2: Prospect Locations E45/2596, E45/3099

MOL is currently shipping DSO Hematite Iron Ore at a budgeted production rate of 850,000 tons per annum from the mine to Port Hedland in Western Australia. The Project acquired by Metal Bank has demonstrated iron and base metal mineralisation from previous exploration work including rock chip samples.

Importantly, the tenement is adjacent to the world class Spinifex Ridge molybdenum-copper project owned by MOL. A JORC compliant resource of 500 million tonnes @ 0.06% Mo and 0.09% Cu has been recently published by Moly Mines Ltd for the Spinifex Ridge deposit. A total of 187Mt has been classified as measured, 282Mt as indicated and 31Mt as an inferred resource ranking Spinifex Ridge presently as one of the largest undeveloped molybdenum deposits in the world.

Analysis of all historical data was revisited in the financial year, and field work commenced in June 2011 Metal Bank's Exploration Manager visited the area in June 2011 to coordinate field activities and inspect selected targets. Follow up and infill soil and rock chip sampling was employed as well as first pass mapping and reconnaissance on iron ore, Molybdenum, copper and gold targets generated from previous work.

Project managers have been contracted to facilitate the programs with technical input from Metal Bank staff. The program was completed over a 2-3 week duration and results are due in the 3rd quarter 2011.

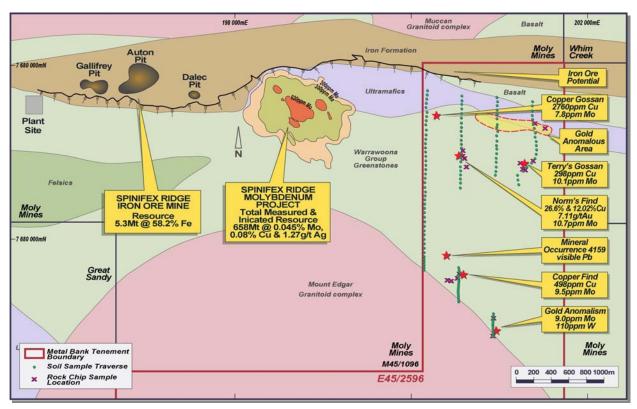


Figure 3: Spinifex Ridge East prospects

#### KILLI KILLI SOUTH

In March 2011, Metal Bank entered into an agreement to sell a 50% interest in the Company's Killi Killi South Rare Earths/Gold Project to Orion Metals (ASX: ORM). The project is located just south of ORM's Killi Killi Hills project area, in the Kimberley region of Western Australia.

ORM's regional studies have shown that the project area hosts a concealed granite intrusion surrounded by an extensive alteration halo that could be the hydrothermal engine driving

REE/U/gold mineralisation in the Killi Killi district.

The tenement (E80/4212) is considered to be highly prospective for significant REE/gold occurrences due the unconformity acting as a conduit for hydrothermal fluids. These fluids were most likely expelled from a crystallizing igneous complex, and the regional faults may have provided a pathway for fluids

The area is also a proven gold region, with Tanami Gold's (ASX: TAM) 350,000 tonnes per annum capacity Coyote Gold Mine located immediately south of the Killi Killi project area. The Killi Killi prospects and the granite lie in the major north-west trending structural zone, known as the Trans-Tanami Structural Corridor, and appear to be at the intersection of a north-northeast fracture system.

ORM engaged a drilling contractor to drill selected targets in June 2011, at its Killi Killi Hills project in the Tanami region, of which Metal Bank Ltd tenement E80/4212 features prominently.

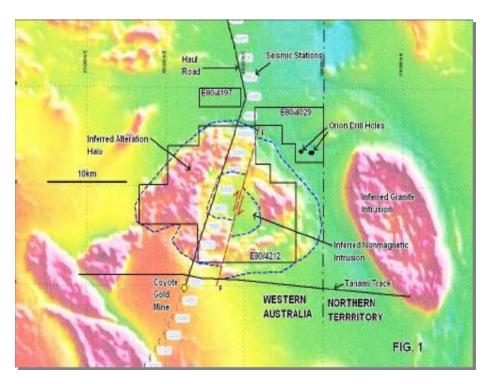


Figure 4: Killi Killi South residual Gravity Image

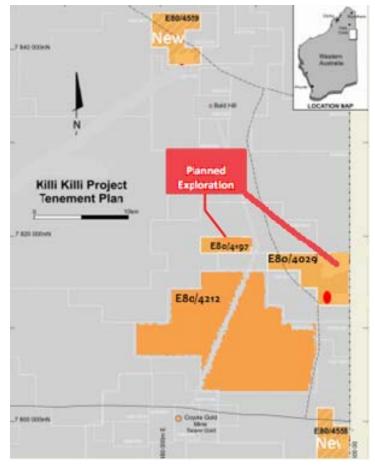


Figure 5: Metal Bank JV tenement E80/4212 and Orion Metals Ltd Killi Killi Hills tenements.

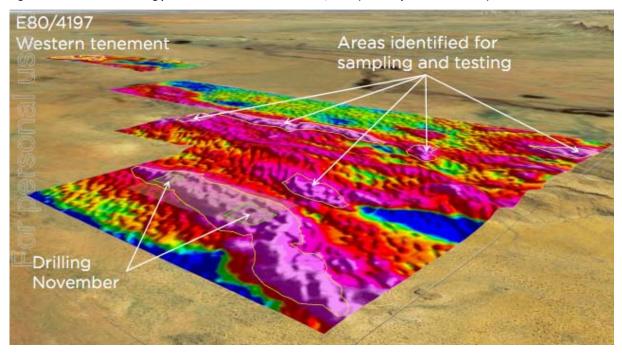
MBK's tenement E80/4212 is in close proximity to ORM's Killi Killi East and West tenements, of which encouraging gold and rare earth (REE) mineralisation was intersected in 2010 drilling. Of particular interest is the investigation of a coincident gold (Au)/barium (Ba) and strontium (Sr) anomaly in the north east corner of E80/4212. This was generated from previous shallow vacuum drilling undertaken by Barrick Australia Ltd in 2004. This anomaly has had no previous deeper drilling than 10 vertical metres and an average of 5 metres. Other identified geophysical targets within E80/4212 will also be drilled.

A site visit to the anomaly site by both ORM and MBK geologists carried out earlier in May 2011 has confirmed that the original drilling sites exist. Target generation and drill program design has been finalized.



Figure 6: Location of Killi Killi Hills region (Courtesy of Orion Metals)

Figure 7: Orion Metals drilling plan 2011 for Killi Killi West - E80/4029 (Courtesy of Orion Metals)



#### **BOWEN BASIN**

#### Mount MacKenzie

EPM 15668 was granted to King Eagle Resources Pty Limited (KER), a subsidiary of Golden Cross Resources Ltd (GCR) on 28th Of September 2007 for a period of 5 years.. Metal Bank Ltd now owns the tenements outright after the sale from GCR in March 2011. The tenement is in the Bowen-Collinsville district of North Queensland, and approximately 30 km west southwest of the township of Bowen.

Principal exploration targets are high tonnage lowgrade porphyry-related Cu-Mo±Au systems and highgrade mesothermal precious and/or base metal mineralisation.

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Figure 9: Regional geology map of Mt McKenzie project

#### Ten Mile Creek

EPM 15742 was granted to KER on 31st Of October 2007 for a period of 5 years. The tenement is in the Bowen-Collinsville district of North Queensland and approximately 110 kilometres southwest of the township of Bowen. Metal Bank Ltd now owns the tenements outright after sale from GCR in March 2011.

Exploration targets are low sulphidation epithermal Au-Ag deposits and Mt Carlton-style high sulphidation Au-Ag-Cu deposits. Potential also exists for porphyry related Cu-Mo±Au systems and high grade mesothermal mineralisation.

Work to date has included reconnaissance rock chip, stream sediment sampling and localised soils on a number of differing prospects over a period of over 30 years from different companies.

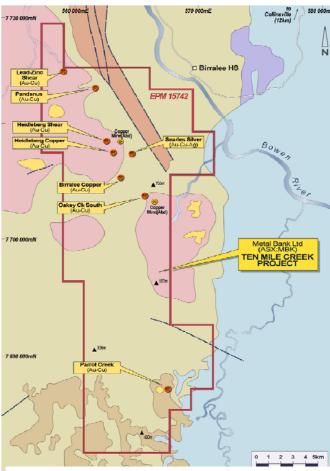


Figure 10: Regional geology map of 10 Mile Creek project

#### **Jillewarra Project**

This project is currently under review.

#### **Schedule of Tenements**

Mining Tenements	Location	Percentage Interest
EL51/1091	Jillewarra	26%
EL51/1114	Jillewarra	26%
PLA51/2565	Jillewarra	26%
EPM15668	Mount McKenzie	100%
EPM15742	Ten Mile Creek	100%
E80/4212	Coyote	50%
E45/3099	Spinifex Ridge East	80%
E45/2596	Spinifex Ridge East	80%
EPM15742 E80/4212 E45/3099	Ten Mile Creek Coyote Spinifex Ridge East	100% 50% 80%

EL – Exploration Licence; ELA – Exploration Licence Application

Vincent J P Fayad

Non-Executive Chairman

Sydney 21 September 2011

#### Competent Persons Statement

The information in this report which relates to Exploration Results, Mineral Resources or Ore Reserves is based on information compiled by Mr Allen Maynard, who is a Member of the Australian Institute of Geosciences ("AIG"), a Corporate Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining & Metallurgy ("AusIMM") and independent consultant to the Company. Mr Maynard is the Director and principal geologist of Al Maynard & Associates Pty Ltd and has over 30 years of exploration and mining experience in a variety of mineral deposit styles. Mr Maynard has sufficient experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2004 Edition of the "Australasian Code for reporting of Exploration Results, Exploration Targets, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves".(JORC Code). Mr Maynard consents to inclusion in the report of the matters based on this information in the form and context in which it appears.

The Metal Bank Limited group ("Metal Bank"), through its Board and executives, recognises the need to establish and maintain corporate governance policies and practices that reflect the requirements of the market regulators and participants, and the expectations of members and others who deal with Metal Bank. These policies and practices remain under constant review as the corporate governance environment and good practices evolve. The Company was listed on the Australian Securities Exchange on 25 February 2011.

#### **ASX Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations**

It should be noted that Metal Bank is currently a small cap listed company and that where its processes do not fit the model of the 8 principles, the Board believes that there are good reasons for the different approach being adopted.

Reporting against the 8 Principles, we advise as follows:

#### Principle 1: Lay solid foundations for management and oversight

1.1 Companies should establish the functions reserved to the board and those delegated to senior executives and disclose those functions.

The primary responsibilities of Metal Bank's Board include:

- (i) the establishment of long term goals of the company and strategic plans to achieve those goals;
- (ii) the review and adoption of the annual business plan for the financial performance of the company and monitoring the results on a monthly basis;
- (iii) the appointment of a General Manager;
- (iv) ensuring that the company has implemented adequate systems of internal control together with appropriate monitoring of compliance activities; and
- (v) the approval of the annual and half-yearly statutory accounts and reports.

The Board meets on a regular basis, normally every two months, to review the performance of the company against its goals both financial and non-financial. In normal circumstances, prior to the scheduled monthly Board meetings, each Board member is provided with a formal board package containing appropriate management and financial reports.

The responsibilities of senior management are contained in letters of appointment and job descriptions given to each appointee on appointment and updated at least annually or as required.

The primary responsibilities of senior management are:

- (i) achieve Metal Bank's objectives as established by the Board from time to time;
- (ii) operate the business within the cost budget set by the Board;
- (iii) ensure that Metal Bank's appointees work with an appropriate Code of Conduct and Ethics.
- (iv) ensure that Metal Bank appointees are supported, developed and rewarded to the appropriate professional standards
- 1.2 Companies should disclose the process for evaluating the performance of senior executives and appointees.

The performance of all senior executives and appointees is reviewed at least once a year. The performance of the General Manager (when appointed) and other senior executives will be reviewed by the Chairman on an annual basis in conjunction with the Board's Remuneration and Nominations Committee. They are assessed against personal and Company Key Performance Indicators established from time to time as appropriate for Metal Bank.

1.3 Companies should provide the information indicated in the Guide to reporting on Principle 1.

A performance evaluation for each senior executive has taken place in the reporting period in line with the process disclosed.

A statement covering the primary responsibilities of the Board is set out in 1.1 above.

A statement covering the primary responsibilities of the senior executives is set out in 1.1 above.

The Metal Bank Corporate Governance Charter is available on the Metal Bank web site, and includes sections that provide a Board charter. The Metal Bank Board reviews its charter when it considers changes are required.

#### Principle 2: Structure the board to add value

2.1 A majority of the Board should be independent directors.

During the reporting period, the Metal Bank Board consisted of three directors, one executive, Benjamin Cooper, and two non-executive directors, Mr Fayad and Mr Sutherland both of which were considered to be independent directors.

2.2 The Chairperson should be independent.

Vincent Fayad, the non-executive chairman and is independent.

2.3 Chief Executive Officer should not be the same as Chairman.

For part of the year the Executive Chairman has also been the Chief Executive Officer. This position has recently changed with the appointment of a non-executive chairman.

2.4 A nomination committee should be established.

The Board has established a nominations committee which meets twice per annum.

2.5 Companies should disclose the process for evaluating the performance of the board, its committees and individual directors.

The Metal Bank Board has three board members, who are in regular contact with each other as they deal with matters relating to Metal Bank's business. The Board uses a personal evaluation process to review the performance of directors, and at appropriate times the Chairman takes the opportunity to discuss Board performance with individual directors and to give them his own personal assessment. The Chairman also welcomes advice from Directors relating to his own personal performance. The Remuneration Committee determines whether any external advice or training is required. The Board believes that this approach is most appropriate for a company of the size and market cap of Metal Bank.

2.6 Companies should provide the information indicated in the Guide to reporting on Principle 2

A description of the skills and experience of each director is contained in the 2011 Directors Report.

Vincent Fayad and Michael Sutherland (both appointed 20 May 2011) are considered to be independent non executive directors. Benjamin Cooper is currently an executive director and is not considered to be independent.

Directors are able to take independent professional advice at the expense of the company, with the prior agreement of the Chairman.

The nomination responsibilities are handled by the nomination committee.

An evaluation of the Board of directors took place during the reporting period and was in accordance with the process described in 2.5 above.

New directors are selected after consultation of all Board members and their appointment voted on by the Board. Each year, in addition to any Board members appointed to fill casual vacancies during the year, one third of directors retire by rotation and are subject to re-election by shareholders at the Annual General Meeting.

There is no current Board charter for nominations.

#### Principle 3: Promote ethical and responsible decision-making

- 3.1 Companies should establish a code of conduct and disclose the code or a summary of the code as to:
  - the practices necessary to maintain confidence in the company's integrity;
  - the practices necessary to take into account their legal obligations and the reasonable expectations of their stakeholders; and
  - the responsibility and accountability of individuals for reporting and investigating reports of unethical practices.

Metal Bank's policies contain a formal code of conduct that applies to all directors and employees, who are expected to maintain a high standard of conduct and work performance, and observe standards of equity and fairness in dealing with others. The detailed policies and procedures encapsulate the company's ethical standards. The code of conduct is contained in the Metal Bank Corporate Governance Charter.

3.2 Companies should establish a policy concerning diversity and disclose the policy or a summary of that policy. The policy should include requirements for the board to establish measurable objectives for achieving gender diversity for the board to assess annually both the objectives and progress in achieving them.

As a company with a small market capitalisation, the company has a small Board. The company has no established policy at present but is aware of the principle and will be alert for opportunities when Board changes are contemplated.

3.3 Companies should disclose in each annual report the measurable objectives for achieving gender diversity set by the board in accordance with the diversity policy and progress towards achieving them.

The company has, as yet, no established policy in relation to gender diversity. The company has a small number of employees and as a consequence the opportunity for creating a meaningful gender diversity policy are limited.

3.4 Companies should disclose in each annual report the proportion of women employees in the whole organisation, women in senior executive positions and women on the board.

Given the small size of the company and the limited number of employees this is not a meaningful statistic at this time.

#### Principle 4: Safeguard integrity in financial reporting

4.1 Establish an Audit Committee.

The company has an Audit Committee.

4.2 Audit Committee composition.

The Audit committee is comprised of Vincent Fayad (Audit Committee Chairman) and Benjamin Cooper. As Metal Bank is a company with a small market capitalisation, the Board considers that two members rather than three are appropriate for the Audit Committee.

4.3 A formal charter should be established for the audit committee.

The company has adopted an Audit Committee charter. It is publicly available on the Metal Bank website.

4.4 Companies should provide the information indicated in the Guide to reporting on Principle 4.

The Audit Committee met once during the course of the year.

The Audit Committee provides a forum for the effective communication between the Board and external auditors. The committee reviews:

- the annual and half-year financial reports and accounts prior to their approval by the Board;
- the effectiveness of management information systems and systems of internal control; and
- the efficiency and effectiveness of the external audit functions.

The committee meets with and receives regular reports from the external auditors concerning any matters that arise in connection with the performance of their role, including the adequacy of internal controls.

In conjunction with the auditors the Audit Committee monitors the term of the external audit engagement partner and ensures that the regulatory limit for such term is not exceeded. At the completion of the term, or earlier in some circumstances, the auditor nominates a replacement engagement partner.

The committee interviews the nominee to assess relevant prior experience, potential conflicts of interest and general suitability for the role. If the nominee is deemed suitable, the committee reports to the Board on its recommendation.

The Audit Committee also reviews the Metal Bank Corporate Governance and Risk Management processes to ensure that they are effective enough for a listed public company that is currently small cap.

#### Principle 5: Make timely and balanced disclosure

5.1 Companies should establish written policies designed to ensure compliance with ASX Listing Rule disclosure requirements and to ensure accountability at a senior executive level for that compliance and disclose those policies or a summary of those policies.

The Metal Bank Board and senior management are conscious of the ASX Listing Rule Continuous Disclosure requirements, which are supported by the law, and take steps to ensure compliance. The company has a policy, which can be summarised as follows:

- the Board, with appropriate advice, is to determine whether an announcement is required under the Continuous Disclosure principles;
- all announcements are monitored by the Company Secretary; and
- all media comment is managed by the Non-Executive Chairman.

Metal Bank believes that the internet is the best way to communicate with shareholders, so Metal Bank provides detailed announcements to the Australian Securities Exchange on a regular basis to ensure that shareholders are kept well informed on Metal Bank's activities.

5.2 Companies should provide the information indicated in the Guide to reporting on Principle 5.

Metal Bank's disclosure policy to shareholders is set out as part of the Metal Bank Corporate Governance charter, which is publicly available on the Metal Bank web-site, as are Metal Bank's recent announcements.

#### Principle 6: Respect the rights of shareholders

6.1 Companies should design a communications policy for promoting effective communication with shareholders and encouraging their participation at general meetings and disclose their policy or a summary of that policy.

Metal Bank provides information to its shareholders through the formal communications processes (e.g. ASX releases, general meetings, annual report, and occasional shareholder letters). This material is also available on the Metal Bank website (<a href="www.metalbank.com.au">www.metalbank.com.au</a>).

Shareholders are encouraged to participate in general meetings and time is set aside for formal and informal questioning of the Board, senior management and the auditors. The external audit partner attends the annual general meeting to be available to answer any shareholder questions about the conduct of the audit and the preparation and content of the audit report.

6.2 Companies should provide the information indicated in the Guide to reporting on Principle 6.

The company's communications policy is described in 5.1 and 5.2, and 6.1 above.

#### Principle 7: Recognise and manage risk

7.1 Companies should establish a sound system for the oversight and management of material business risks.

The company has established policies for the oversight and management of material business risks.

The Board monitors the risks and internal controls of Metal Bank through the Audit Committee. That committee looks to the executive management to ensure that an adequate system is in place to identify and, where possible, on a cost effective basis appropriate for a small cap company, to manage risks inherent in the business, and to have appropriate internal controls.

As part of the process, Metal Bank's management formally identifies and assesses the risks to the business, and these assessments are noted by the Audit Committee and the Board.

7.2 The board should require management to design and implement the risk management and internal control system to manage the company's material business risks and report to it on whether those risks are being managed effectively. The board should disclose that management has reported to it as to the effectiveness of the company's management of its material business risks.

The Board has required management to design and implement the risk management and internal control system appropriate to a small market capitalised company of the size of Metal Bank to manage the company's material business risks and report to it on whether those risks are being managed effectively. Management has reported to the Board as to the effectiveness of the company's management of its material business risks.

7.3 The board should disclose whether it has received assurance from the chief executive officer (or equivalent) and the chief financial officer (or equivalent) that the declaration provided in accordance with section 295A of the Corporations Act is founded on a system of risk management and internal control and that the system is operating effectively in all material respects in relation to financial reporting risks.

The Board has received assurance from the Executive Director and the Chief Financial Officer (or its equivalent) that the declaration provided in accordance with section 295A of the *Corporations Act 2001* is founded on a sound system of risk management and internal control appropriate for a company with a small market capitalisation the size of Metal Bank, and that the system is operating effectively in all material respects in relation to financial reporting risks.

7.4 Companies should provide information in the Guide to reporting on Principle 7.

The Board has received the report from management under Recommendation 7.2; and the Board has received the assurances referred to under Recommendation 7.3. The company's policies on risk oversight and management of material business risks for a small cap company the size of Metal Bank are not publicly available.

#### Principle 8: Remunerate fairly and responsibly

8.1 Establish a remuneration committee.

Metal Bank has established a remuneration committee of two directors being Vincent Fayad and Michael Sutherland. Those responsibilities are handled by the full Board under the guidance of the Chairman.

- 8.2 The remuneration committee should be structured so that it:
  - consists of a majority of independent directors
  - is chaired by an independent chair
  - has at least three members

As it is a small cap company, Metal Bank has not established a remuneration committee. Those responsibilities are handled by the full Board under the guidance of the Chairman.

8.3 Companies should clearly distinguish the structure of non-executive directors' remuneration from that of executive directors and senior executives.

The remuneration details of non executive directors, executive directors and senior management are set out in the Remuneration Report that forms part of the Directors' report.

Senior executives remuneration packages are reviewed by reference to Metal Bank's performance, the executive director's or senior executive's performance, as well as comparable information from industry sectors and other listed companies in similar industries, which is obtained from external remuneration sources. This ensures that base remuneration is set to reflect the market for a comparable role.

The performance of the executive director and senior executives is measured against criteria agreed annually and bonuses and incentives are linked to predetermined performance criteria and may, with shareholder approval, include the issue of shares and / or options.

There are no schemes for retirement benefits, other than statutory superannuation for non-executive directors. A copy of the Remuneration committee charter is publicly available on the Metal Bank web site www.metalbank.com.au

8.4 Companies should provide the information indicated in the Guide to reporting on Principle 8.

The information is as outlined above.

Your directors present their report on Metal Bank Limited and its subsidiary (**Consolidated Entity** or the **Group**) for the year ended 30 June 2011.

#### **DIRECTORS**

The names of directors in office at any time during or since the end of the year are:

#### **Current Directors**

#### VINCENT JOHN PAUL FAYAD – NON EXECTIVE CHAIRMAN

Vincent ("Vince") is a Chartered Accountant with some 30 years of experience in the areas of accounting, auditing and corporate advisory. Vince was a senior partner of mid tier accounting firm, PKF Chartered Accountants & Business Advisers (East Coast) Partnership, where the last 15 years, prior to his leaving the firm were spent as the head of the corporate advisory division. Vince has advised a number of transaction, including a number of mining and exploration transactions both in Australia and around the world. He also has significant experience in advising companies on funding and strategy as well as corporate secretarial matters. Vince is also a registered tax agent and auditor.

Appointed as a Non-Executive Director on 20 May 2011.

Directorships of listed companies held in the last three years: NIL

#### BENJAMIN HEATH COOPER – EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Dip Fin, ASIC RG 146

Mr Cooper, appointed a director on 29 August 2007, is the founding Chairman and Executive Director of Metal Bank Limited, is Chairman of Mining investment company Esperanza Resources Pty Ltd, and is Executive Director of Industrial Minerals International Limited, a public unlisted company developing a \$30m Kaolin mine in Tanzania. Benjamin has worked extensively in the finance and mining industry over the past 10 years as a Licensed and Qualified Investment Manager and a Company Director. Mr Cooper is especially experienced in providing corporate advisory and capital finance requirements to emerging mining companies, and has an extensive contact base throughout Asia.

Mr Cooper is the principal of Sydney - based Corporate Advisory Firm Cooper Capital.

Directorships of listed companies held within the last 3 years:

Global Nickel Investments NL

#### MICHAEL SUTHERLAND

Mr Sutherland has 25 years' experience in the mineral exploration industry. As the owner of a Project Management and Minerals Exploration firm, he consults to several ASX listed companies on exploration and drilling activities. His experience includes assisting in the exploration and mining activities in the West Pilbara project between 2002-2005.

Mr Sutherland was Operations Manager for the exploration of oil, gas, and minerals in the horn of Africa between 2005-2007, and Operations Manager for the exploration of Uranium in Peru between 2007-2009.

Directorships of listed companies held in the last three years:

Greenland Resources Limited.

Appointed as a Non-Executive Director on 20 May 2011.

#### **Former Directors**

**ASHLEY HOOD** Appointed 1 February 2010, resigned 20 May 2011.

**KENT HUNTER** Appointed 1 February 2010, resigned 20 May 2011.

**SIEW HONG KOH** Appointed 16 June 2010, resigned 16 August 2010.

Directors have been in office since the start of the financial period to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

#### **Secretary**

**GUY ROBERTSON** 

(Company Secretary)
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Guy Robertson was appointed Company Secretary on 2 June 2011.

Guy has over 25 years experience as a Chief Financial Officer and Company Secretary of both private and ASX listed companies in both Australia and Hong

Kong.

#### Interest in the shares and options of the Company

As at the date of this report, the interests of the directors in the shares and options of Metal Bank Limited were:

	Ordinary Shares	Options
Vincent John Paul	62,500	-
Benjamin Heath Cooper	600,001	-
Michael Sutherland		-

#### SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN STATE OF AFFAIRS

Other than as outlined in the Executive Chairman's report, there were no significant changes in the state of affairs of the Company during the year.

#### **PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES**

The principal activity of the Company during the financial year was mineral exploration. There have been no significant changes in the nature of the Company's principal activities during the financial year.

#### SIGNIFICANT AFTER BALANCE SHEET DATE EVENTS

The following significant matters have occurred after balance date:

Spinifex Ridge East

At an Extraordinary General Meeting held on 13 September 2011 to, amongst other matters, ratify the purchase of an 80 % interest in Spinifex Ridge East – see note 22. The following resolutions relating to Spinifex Ridge East were passed:

- that the shareholders ratify the issue of 2,800,000 shares to the vendors, and approve the issue of a further 6,200,000 shares to the vendors
- that the shareholders approve the issue of 15,000,000 options to the vendors, which have an exercise price of 20 cents per share and an expiry date of 30 June 2014; and
- that the shareholders approve the issue of 2,500,000 shares to the vendor's advisor.

#### Listed Investments

The Company has sold all but \$9,500 of its listed investments for the sum of \$265,478. This has resulted in a loss of approximately \$14,000, which is in addition to that already provided for in the financial statements as at 30 June 2011.

Other than as outlined above, there are currently no matters or circumstances that have arisen since the end of the financial period that have significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the consolidated entity, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the consolidated entity in future financial years.

#### LIKELY FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS AND EXPECTED RESULTS

Metal Bank is an exploration company focused on precious metals, particularly copper and gold. The Board intends to explore its current tenements in Western Australia directly and through its joint venture partners. The Company will look to invest directly and indirectly in mineral resources projects including iron ore, base metals, gold and energy-related minerals both in Australia and overseas.

#### PERFORMANCE IN RELATION TO ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION

The consolidated entity will comply with its obligations in relation to environmental regulation on its Western Australia projects when it undertakes exploration in the future. The Directors are not aware of any breaches of any environmental regulations during the period covered by this report.

#### FINANCIAL POSITION

The net assets of the consolidated group have increased from negative \$218,353 as at 30 June 2010 to \$664,512 as at 30 June 2011. This increase is largely due to the following factors:

- the raising of seed investor capital of \$0.6 million.
- an Initial Public Offering in February 2011 which raised approximately \$2.3 million net of costs
- the issue of an additional approximately \$700,000 in shares for tenements acquired
- the above equity raisings being partly offset by a trading loss of approximately \$1.3 million and a write down of exploration expenditure and impairment of exploration asset of approximately \$1.7 million.

#### **OPERATING RESULTS**

The loss of the consolidated entity after providing for income tax amounted to \$3,048,725 (2010: loss of \$47,349).

The loss was impacted by:

- impairment of exploration asset for non cash component associated with the Spinifex Ridge East Project.
- Exploration expenditure written off \$460,345
- general operating and administrative costs.

In forming the view that there was an impairment associated with the Spinifex Ridge East Project, the Board considered a number of factors, including a recent transaction for the asset. The Board considers that this asset has a long term strategic value, but are not in a position as at the date of this report to quantify what this may be.

#### **DIVIDENDS PAID OR RECOMMENDED**

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend and no amount has been paid or declared by way of a dividend to the date of this report.

#### REMUNERATION REPORT

#### **Remuneration Policy**

The remuneration policy of Metal Bank has been designed to align director objectives with shareholder and business objectives by providing a fixed remuneration component which is assessed on an annual basis in line with market rates. The Board of Metal Bank believes the remuneration policy to be appropriate and effective in its ability to attract and retain the best directors to run and manage the company, as well as create goal congruence between directors and shareholders.

The Board's policy for determining the nature and amount of remuneration for Board members is as follows:

- the remuneration policy, setting the terms and conditions (where appropriate) for the executive directors and other senior staff members, was developed by the Chairman and Company Secretary and approved by the Board;
- in determining competitive remuneration rates, the Board may seek independent advice on local and international trends among comparative companies and industry generally. It examines terms and conditions for employee incentive schemes, benefit plans and share plans. Independent advice may be obtained to confirm that executive remuneration is in line with market practice and is reasonable in the context of Australian executive reward practices;
- the Company is a mineral exploration company, and therefore speculative in terms of performance. Consistent with attracting and retaining talented executives, directors and senior executives, such personnel are paid market rates associated with individuals in similar positions within the same industry. Options and performance incentives may be issued particularly if the Company moves from exploration to a producing entity and key performance indicators such as profit and production can be used as measurements for assessing executive performance.
- all remuneration paid to directors is valued at the cost to the Company and expensed. Where appropriate, shares given to directors and executives are valued as the difference between the market price of those shares and the amount paid by the director or executive. Options are valued using the Black-Scholes methodology. Given the early stages in the Company's development no options or long term incentives have been issued and no key performance indicators have yet been developed for executives.
- the Board policy is to remunerate non-executive directors at market rates for comparable companies for time, commitment and responsibilities. The Chairman in consultation with independent advisors determines payments to the non-executive directors and reviews their remuneration annually, based on market practice, duties and accountability.

#### **COMPANY SHARE PERFORMANCE & SHAREHOLDER WEALTH**

During the financial year the Company's share price traded between a low of \$0.10 and a high of \$0.40. In order to keep all investors fully-informed and minimize market fluctuations the Board will maintain promotional activity amongst the investor community so as to increase awareness of the Company.

#### **DIRECTORS' AND EXECUTIVE OFFICERS' EMOLUMENTS**

#### (a) Details of Directors and Key Management Personnel

#### (i) Current Directors

Vincent John Paul Fayad – Non-Executive Chairman (appointed 20 May 2011) Benjamin Heath Cooper – Executive Director Michael Sutherland – Non Executive Director (appointed 20 May 2011)

#### Former Directors

Kent Hunter (appointed 1 February 2010, resigned 20 May 2011) Ashley Hood (appointed 12 August 2010, resigned 20 May 2011) Siew Hong Koh (appointed 16 June 2010, resigned 16 August 2010)

#### (ii) Company Secretary

Guy Robertson (appointed 2 June 2011)
Elizabeth Hunt (appointed 1 September 2010, resigned 2 June 2011)

#### (ii) Key Management Personnel

Adam Elliston – Exploration Manager (appointed 18 March 2011, resigned 2 July 2011)

Other than the directors, company secretary and exploration manager as stated above, the Company had no Key Management Personnel for the financial year ended 30 June 2011.

Directors' remuneration and other terms of employment are reviewed annually by the Board having regard to performance against goals set at the start of the year, relative comparative information and independent expert advice.

Except as detailed in Notes (a) – (c) to the Remuneration Report, no director or officer has received or become entitled to receive, during or since the financial year, a benefit because of a contract made by the Company or a related body corporate with a director, a firm of which a director is a member or an entity in which a director has a substantial financial interest. This statement excludes a benefit included in the aggregate amount of emoluments received or due and receivable by directors and shown in Notes (a) – (c) to the Remuneration Report, prepared in accordance with the Corporations Regulations, or the fixed salary of a full time employee of the Company.

#### (b) Remuneration of Directors and Key Management Personnel

#### Remuneration Policy

The Board of Directors is responsible for determining and reviewing compensation arrangements. The Board will assess the appropriateness of the nature and amount of emoluments of such officers on a periodic basis by reference to relevant employment market conditions with the overall objective of ensuring maximum stakeholder benefit from the retention of a high quality Board and executive team. Remuneration of Directors of the Group is set out below.

Given the early stages in the Company's development no performance remuneration has been granted.

#### **Parent & Group Key Management Personnel**

2011 2010

	Base Salary and Fees	Superannuation	Total	Base Salary and Fees	Superannuation	Total
B. Cooper <sup>1</sup>	88,333	6,750	95,083	-	-	-
V. Fayad	3,333	-	3,333	-	-	-
M. Sutherland	3,333	-	3,333	-	-	-
K. Hunter	13,333	1,200	14,533	-	-	-
A. Hood	10,000	900	10,900	-	-	-
S. Hong Koh	-	-	-	-	-	-
E. Hunt²	53,500	-	53,500	-	-	-
G. Robertson <sup>3</sup>	5,000	-	5,000	-	-	-
Totals	176,832	8,850	185,682	-	-	

- Of this amount \$13,333 was paid to SeeSees Pty Limited a company in which the director has an interest. The executive director has a 3 year contract commencing on 9 November 2010. The executive director's remuneration is \$180,000 per annum. In addition the executive director may receive a performance bonus based on achieving set objectives. The company is able to terminate the executive without cause on the payment of 6 months salary.
- Fees paid to Mining Corporate Pty Limited, including company secretarial and accounting fees, which engaged the company secretary as an employee/consultant.
- Fees paid to Alexander Cable Pty Limited, including company secretarial and accounting fees, which engaged the company secretary as an employee/consultant.

There are no other employment benefits, either short term, post employment or long term, non monetary or otherwise other than those outlined above.

#### (c) Employee Related Share-based compensation

To ensure that the Company has appropriate mechanisms to continue to attract and retain the services of Directors and Employees of a high calibre, the Company has a policy of issuing options that are exercisable in future at a certain fixed price.

No options were issued to Directors and Employees during the year and there are no options outstanding as at 30 June 2011.

#### OPTIONS ISSUED AS PART OF REMUNERATION FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2011

No options have been issued to directors and executives as part of their remuneration for the year ended 30 June 2011.

#### **OPTIONS**

There are no unissued ordinary shares of Metal Bank under option as at the date of this report.

#### **MEETINGS OF DIRECTORS**

The number of directors' meetings (including committees) held during the financial period each director held office during the financial period and the number of meetings attended by each director are:

	Directors	Meetings	Audit Committee Meetings*		
Director	Meetings Attended	Number Eligible to Attend	Meetings Attended	Number Eligible to Attend	
B. Cooper	7	7	-	-	
V. Fayad	1	2	-	-	
M. Sutherland	2	2	-	-	
K. Hunter	5	5	-	-	
A. Hood	5	5	-	-	
S. Hong Koh	-	-	-	-	

In addition to the board meetings there were 20 circular resolutions by the board.

#### **INDEMNIFYING OFFICERS**

In accordance with the constitution, except as may be prohibited by the Corporations Act 2001, every officer or agent of the Company shall be indemnified out of the property of the Company against any liability incurred by him or her in his or her capacity as officer or agent of the Company or any related corporation in respect of any act or omission whatsoever and howsoever occurring or in defending any proceedings, whether civil or criminal.

The Company paid insurance premiums of \$12,677 in August 2011 in respect of directors' and officers' liability. The insurance premiums relate to:

- Costs and expenses incurred by the relevant officers in defending legal proceedings, whether civil or criminal and whatever their outcome;
- Other liabilities that may arise from their position, with the exception of conduct involving wilful breach of duty or improper use of information to gain a personal advantage.

<sup>\*</sup> The approval of the accounts for the year ended 30 June 2010 and the half year ended 31 December 2010 was dealt with by circular resolution of the full board.

#### PROCEEDINGS ON BEHALF OF COMPANY

No person has applied for leave of court to bring proceedings on behalf of the Company or intervene in any proceeding to which the Company is a party for the purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the Company for all or any part of those proceedings. The Company was not a party to any such proceedings during the year.

#### **AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION**

The lead auditor's independence declaration under Section 307C in relation to auditor's independence for the year ended 30 June 2011 has been received and can be found on the following page.

#### **NON-AUDIT SERVICES**

The Board of Directors advises that non-audit services were provided by the Company's auditors during the year. Details of the amounts paid or payable to the auditor for non-audit services provided during the year are set out below:

	\$
Remuneration for Investigating Accountant Report	
Bentleys	8,250

The Board of Directors is satisfied that the provision of non-audit services performed during the year by the entity's auditors is compatible with the general standard of independence for auditors imposed by the Corporations Act 2001. The directors are satisfied that the services disclosed below did not compromise the external auditor's independence because the nature of the services provided do not compromise the general principles relating to auditors independence as set out in APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants.

This report is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors.

Vincent J P Fayad

Sydney, 21 September 2011



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To The Board of Directors

## Auditor's Independence Declaration under Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001

This declaration is made in connection with our audit of the financial report of Metal Bank Limited and Controlled Entities for the year ended 30 June 2011 and in accordance with the provisions of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

We declare that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, there have been:

- no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the audit;
- no contraventions of the *Code of Professional Conduct* of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia in relation to the audit.

Yours faithfully

Bentleys

BENTLEYS
Chartered Accountants

CHRIS WATTS CA Director

DATED at PERTH this 21st day of September 2011







# METAL BANK LIMITED AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2011

	Note	2011	2010
Revenue	2	\$ 25,253	\$ -
Administration expenses		(62,452)	(24,807)
Personnel costs		(115,721)	-
Compliance and regulatory expenses		(23,317)	-
Legal fees		(90,604)	-
Occupancy costs		(57,899)	-
Marketing		(107,920)	-
Directors fees		(127,183)	-
Management and exploration consulting fees		(609,370)	-
Travel expenses		(59,785)	-
Provision for diminution of investment		(98,654)	-
Exploration expenditure written off		(460,345)	(22,542)
Impairment of exploration asset		(1,247,998)	-
Loss on sale of investments		(9,593) (2,137)	-
Depreciation		(3,137)	<del>-</del>
(LOSS) BEFORE INCOME TAX	3	(3,048,725)	(47,349)
Income tax expense	4		
(LOSS) FOR THE YEAR		(3,048,725)	(47,349)
(LOSS) ATTRIBUTABLE TO MEMBERS OF METAL BANK LIMITED		(3,048,725)	(47,349)
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME		-	-
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME		(3,048,725)	(47,349)
Loss for the year is attributable to:			
Owners of Metal Bank Limited Non controlling interest		(3,048,725)	(47,349)
		(3,048,725)	(47,349)
Total Comprehensive income for the year is attributable to:			
Owners of Metal Bank Limited		(3,048,725)	(47,349)
Non controlling interest		(3,040,723)	(+7,J <del>+</del> 5)
Non controlling interest		(3,048,725)	(47,349)
Earnings per share			
Basic and diluted loss per share		4.	
(cents per share)	19	(15.7)	-

The Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income are to be read in conjunction with the attached notes

# METAL BANK LIMITED AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 JUNE 2010

	Note	2011 \$	2010 \$
CURRENT ASSETS	_	Ą	Ą
Cash and cash equivalents	5	1,442,289	11,467
Trade and other receivables	6	141,029	7,953
Financial assets	7	295,234	-
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	· -	1,878,552	19,420
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Plant and equipment	8	6,323	_
Exploration and evaluation expenditure	10	403,264	60,000
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		409,587	60,000
TOTAL ASSETS	_	2,288,139	79,420
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables	11	775,627	68,414
Liability for deferred consideration	22	828,000	-
Financial liabilities	12	20,000	229,359
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	_	1,623,627	297,773
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TOTAL LIABILITIES	_	1,623,627	297,773
NET ASSETS	<u>-</u>	664,512	(218,353)
EQUITY			
Issued Capital	13	3,931,591	1
Accumulated losses	13	(3,267,079)	(218,354)
Accumulated 103363	_	664,512	(218,353)
Non controlling interest	_	-	-
TOTAL EQUITY		664,512	(218,353)
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The Consolidated Statements of Financial Position are to be read in conjunction with the attached notes.

# METAL BANK LIMITED AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2010

	Issued Capital \$	Accumulated Losses \$	Non-controlling interest	Total \$
Balance as at 1 July 2010	1	(218,354)	-	(218,353)
Loss for the year	-	(3,048,725)	-	(3,048,725)
Other comprehensive income for				
the year	-	-	-	
Total comprehensive income for the				_
year		(3,048,725)	-	(3,048,725)
Transactions with owners, in their				
capacity as owners				
Issue of share capital	4,342,175	-	-	4,342,175
Cost of share capital issued	(410,585)	-	-	(410,585)
Balance as at 30 June 2011	3,931,591	(3,267,079)	-	664,512
Balance as at 1 July 2009	1	(171,005)	-	(171,004)
Loss for the year	-	(47,349)	-	(47,349)
Other comprehensive income for				
the year	-	-	-	
Total comprehensive income for the				
year	<u>-</u>	(47,349)	-	(47,349)
Balance as at 30 June 2010	1	(218,354)	-	(218,353)

The Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity are to be read in conjunction with the attached notes.

# METAL BANK LIMITED AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOW FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2011

		2011 \$	2010 \$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES  Payments to suppliers and employees general  Payment for exploration and evaluation  Interest received		(897,864) (343,609) 24,053	, (12,739) -
NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES	21	(1,217,420)	(12,739)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Payments for Plant and equipment Payment for acquisition of subsidiary, net of cash		(9,460)	-
acquired	22(c)	(140,000)	-
Purchase of financial assets		(393,888)	-
Loan to unrelated entity		(500,000)	-
Loan repaid by unrelated entity		500,000	-
NET CASH USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES		(543,348)	-
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Proceeds from issue of shares and options		3,602,175	-
Costs of issue of shares		(410,585)	-
Proceeds from borrowing		-	24,200
NET CASH PROVIDED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES		3,191,590	24,200
NET INCREASE IN CASH HELD		1,430,822	11,461
Cash at the beginning of the financial year		11,467	6
CASH AT THE END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR		1,442,289	11,467

The Consolidated Statements of Cash Flow are to be read in conjunction with the attached notes

This financial report includes the consolidated financial statements and notes of Metal Bank Limited and its controlled entity (**Consolidated Group** or **Group**), and a separate note on the accounts of Metal Bank Limited as the parent entity ('Parent').

#### 1. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **BASIS OF PREPARATION**

The financial report is a general purpose financial report that has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, Australian Accounting Interpretations, other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board and the *Corporations Act 2001*.

Australian Accounting Standards set out accounting policies that the AASB has concluded would result in a financial report containing relevant and reliable information about transactions, events and conditions. Compliance with Australian Accounting Standards ensures that the financial statements and notes also comply with International Financial Reporting Standards. Material accounting policies adopted in the preparation of this financial report are presented below and have been consistently applied unless otherwise stated.

This financial report is presented in Australian Dollars.

The financial report has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historical costs, modified, where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and financial liabilities.

The financial report covers the Group of Metal Bank Limited and controlled entity. Metal Bank Limited is a public listed company, incorporated and domiciled in Australia.

#### a. Principles of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets, liabilities and results of entities controlled by Metal Bank Limited at the end of the reporting period. A controlled entity is any entity over which Metal Bank Limited has the ability and right to govern the financial and operating policies so as to obtain benefits from the entity's activities.

Where controlled entities have entered or left the Group during the year, the financial performance of those entities is included only for the period of the year that they were controlled. A list of controlled entities is contained in Note 9 to the financial statements.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, all inter-group balances and transactions between entities in the consolidated group have been eliminated in full on consolidation.

Non-controlling interests, being the equity in a subsidiary not attributable, directly or indirectly, to a parent, are reported separately within the equity section of the consolidated statement of financial position and statement of comprehensive income. The non-controlling interests in the net assets comprise their interests at the date of the original business combination and their share of changes in equity since that date.

#### **Business Combinations**

Business combinations occur where an acquirer obtains control over one or more businesses.

A business combination is accounted for by applying the acquisition method, unless it is a combination involving entities or businesses under common control. The business combination will be accounted for from the date that control is attained, whereby the fair value of the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities (including contingent liabilities) assumed is recognised (subject to certain limited exemptions).

When measuring the consideration transferred in the business combination, any asset or liability resulting from a contingent consideration arrangement is also included. Subsequent to initial recognition, contingent consideration classified as equity is not remeasured and its subsequent settlement is accounted for within equity. Contingent consideration classified as an asset or liability is remeasured each reporting period to fair value, recognising any change to fair value in profit or loss, unless the change in value can be identified as existing at acquisition date.

All transaction costs incurred in relation to the business combination are expensed to the statement of comprehensive income.

The acquisition of a business may result in the recognition of goodwill or a gain from a bargain purchase.

#### b. Going Concern

The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis, which contemplates continuity of normal business activities and the realisation of assets and liabilities in the normal course of business.

As disclosed in the financial statements, the consolidated entity recorded operating losses of \$3,048,725, and had net cash outflows from operating activities of \$1,217,420 for the year ended 30 June 2011.

These factors indicate significant uncertainty as to whether the company and consolidated entity will continue as going concerns and therefore whether they will realise their assets and extinguish their liabilities in the normal course of business and at the amounts stated in the financial report.

The Directors acknowledge that to continue the exploration and development of the company and consolidated entity's mineral exploration projects, the budgeted cash outflows from operating and investing activities for the 30 June 2011 financial year, will necessitate further capital raisings.

The Directors believe after consideration of the following matters, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the company and consolidated entity will be able to pay their debts as and when they become due and payable and are going concerns because of the following factors:

- The company has sufficient cash reserves to maintain its activities, including the undertaking of its planned exploration program for at least the next twelve months.
- The ability of the company and consolidated entity to further scale back certain parts of their activities that are non essential so as to conserve cash; and
- The company and consolidated entity retain the ability, if required, to wholly or in part dispose of interests in mineral exploration and development assets.

Accordingly, the Directors believe that the company and consolidated entity will be able to continue as going concerns and that it is appropriate to adopt that basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial report.

#### c. Adoption of New and Revised Accounting Standards

#### Changes in accounting policies on initial application of Accounting Standards

In the year ended 30 June 2011, the Group has reviewed all of the new and revised Standards and Interpretations issued by the AASB that are relevant to its operations and effective for the current annual reporting period.

It has been determined by the Group that there is no impact, material or otherwise, of the new and revised Standards and Interpretations on its business and, therefore, no change is necessary to Group accounting policies.

The Group has also reviewed all new Standards and Interpretations that have been issued but are not yet effective for the year ended 30 June 2011. As a result of this review the Directors have determined that there is no impact, material or otherwise, of the new and revised Standards and Interpretations on its business and, therefore, no change necessary to Group accounting policies.

The following Australian Accounting Standards have been issued or amended and are applicable to the Company but are not yet effective.

The Group does not anticipate the early adoption of any of the following Australian Accounting Standards:

Reference	Title	Summary	Application date (financial years beginning)	Expected Impact
AASB 9, 2010-7	Financial Instruments (and related amendments to other standards).	Replaces the requirements of AASB 139 for the classification and measurement of financial assets. This is the result of the first part of Phase 1 of the IASB's project to replace IAS 39.	1 January 2013	Disclosure changes may be required, no significant implications expected.
AASB 124,	Related Party Disclosures (and related amendments to other standards and interpretations).	Revised standard. The definition of a related party is simplified to clarify its intended meaning and eliminate inconsistencies from the application of the definition	1 January 2011	Disclosure changes only.
2010-4	Further Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Annual Improvements Project	Amends AASB 1, AASB 7, AASB 101 & AASB 134 and Interpretation 13 as a result of the annual improvements project.	1 January 2011	No significant impact expected.
2010-5	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards	Amends AASB 1, 3, 4, 5, 101, 107, 112, 118, 119, 121, 132, 133, 134, 137, 139, 140, 1023 & 1038 and Interpretations 112, 115, 127, 132 & 1042 for editorial corrections	1 January 2011	No significant impact expected.
2010-6	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards — Disclosures on Transfers of Financial Assets	This Standard adds and amends disclosure requirements about transfers of financial assets, including in respect of the nature of the financial assets involved and the risks associated with them.	1 July 2011	No significant impact expected.
2011-1	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Trans- Tasman Convergence Project	Amends AASB 1, 5, 101, 107, 108, 121, 128, 132, 134 and Interpretations 2,112 & 113) as a result of the Trans-Tasman Convergence Project.	1 July 2011	No significant impact expected.
2011-4	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards to Remove Individual Key Management Personnel Disclosure Requirements	This Standard makes amendments to Australian Accounting Standard AASB 124 Related Party Disclosures.	1 July 2013	Disclosure changes only.

#### d. Income Taxes

The income tax expense (revenue) for the year comprises current income tax expense (income) and deferred tax expense (income). Current income tax expense charged to the profit or loss is the tax payable on taxable income calculated using applicable income tax rates enacted, or substantially enacted, as at reporting date. Current tax liabilities (assets) are therefore measured at the amounts expected to be paid to (recovered from) the relevant taxation authority.

Deferred income tax expense reflects movements in deferred tax asset and deferred tax liability balances during the year as well unused tax losses. Current and deferred income tax expense (income) is charged or credited directly to equity instead of the profit or loss when the tax relates to items that are credited or charged directly to equity. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are ascertained based on temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements. Deferred tax assets also result where amounts have been fully expensed but future tax deductions are available. No deferred income tax will be recognised from the initial recognition of an asset or liability, excluding a business combination, where there is no effect on accounting or taxable profit or loss.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the period when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at reporting date. Their measurement also reflects the manner in which management expects to recover or settle the carrying amount of the related asset or liability. Deferred tax assets relating to temporary differences and unused tax losses are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the benefits of the deferred tax asset can be utilised. Where temporary differences exist in relation to investments in subsidiaries, branches, associates, and joint ventures, deferred tax assets and liabilities are not recognised where the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference can be controlled and it is not probable that the reversal will occur in the foreseeable future.

Current tax assets and liabilities are offset where a legally enforceable right of set-off exists and it is intended that net settlement or simultaneous realisation and settlement of the respective asset and liability will occur. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset where a legally enforceable right of set-off exists, the deferred tax assets and liabilities relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority on either the same taxable entity or different taxable entities where it is intended that net settlement or simultaneous realisation and settlement of the respective asset and liability will occur in future periods in which significant amounts of deferred tax assets or liabilities are expected to be recovered or settled.

#### e. Property, plant and equipment

Plant and equipment is stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of the assets as follows: Plant and equipment – over 5 years

The assets' residual values, useful lives and amortisation methods are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each financial year end.

#### (i) Impairment

The carrying values of plant and equipment are reviewed for impairment at each balance date, with recoverable amount being estimated when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired.

The recoverable amount of plant and equipment is the higher of fair value less costs to sell and value in use.

An impairment exists when the carrying value of an asset exceeds its estimated recoverable amount. The asset is then written down to its recoverable amount.

For plant and equipment, impairment losses are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income. An annual transfer from the asset revaluation reserve to retained earnings is made for the difference between depreciation based on the re-valued carrying amounts of the assets and depreciation based on the assets' original costs.

Additionally, any accumulated depreciation as at the revaluation date is eliminated against the gross carrying amounts of the assets and the net amounts are restated to the re-valued amounts of the assets.

Upon disposal, any revaluation reserve relating to the particular asset being sold is transferred to retained earnings.

Independent valuations are performed with sufficient regularity to ensure that the carrying amounts do not differ materially from the assets' fair values at the balance date.

#### (ii) Derecognition and disposal

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no further future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset) is included in the statement of comprehensive income in the year the asset is derecognised.

#### f. Exploration and Evaluation Costs

Exploration, evaluation and development expenditure incurred is accumulated in respect of each identifiable area of interest. These costs are only carried forward to the extent that they are expected to be recouped through the successful development of the area or where activities in the area have not yet reached a stage that permits reasonable assessment of the existence of economically recoverable reserves. Accumulated costs in relation to an abandoned area are written off in full against profit in the year in which the decision to abandon the area is made.

When production commences, the accumulated costs for the relevant area of interest are amortised over the life of the area according to the rate of depletion of the economically recoverable reserves. A regular review is undertaken of each area of interest to determine the appropriateness of continuing to carry forward costs in relation to that area of interest. Costs of site restoration are provided over the life of the facility from when exploration commences and are included in the costs of that stage. Site restoration costs include the dismantling and removal of mining plant, equipment and building structures, waste removal, and rehabilitation of the site in accordance with clauses of the mining permits. Such costs have been determined using estimates of future costs, current legal requirements and technology on an undiscounted basis.

Any changes in the estimates for the costs are accounted on a prospective basis. In determining the costs of site restoration, there is uncertainty regarding the nature and extent of the restoration due to community expectations and future legislation. Accordingly the costs have been determined on the basis that the restoration will be completed within one year of abandoning the site.

#### g. Financial Instruments

#### **Recognition and initial measurement**

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions to the instrument. For financial assets, this is equivalent to the date that the company commits itself to either the purchase or sale of the asset (ie trade date accounting is adopted).

Financial instruments are initially measured at fair value plus transaction costs, except where the instrument is classified "at fair value through profit or loss", in which case transaction costs are expensed to profit or loss immediately.

#### Classification and subsequent measurement

Finance instruments are subsequently measured at fair value, amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, or cost.

Amortised cost is the amount at which the financial asset or financial liability is measured at initial recognition less principal repayments and any reduction for impairment, and adjusted for any cumulative amortisation of the difference between that initial amount and the maturity amount calculated using the effective interest method.

Fair value is determined based on current bid prices for all quoted investments. Valuation techniques are applied to determine the fair value for all unlisted securities, including recent arm's length transactions, reference to similar instruments and option pricing models.

The effective interest method is used to allocate interest income or interest expense over the relevant period and is equivalent to the rate that discounts estimated future cash payments or receipts (including fees, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life (or when this cannot be reliably predicted, the contractual term) of the financial instrument to the net carrying amount of the financial asset or financial liability. Revisions to expected future net cash flows will necessitate an adjustment to the carrying value with a consequential recognition of an income or expense item in profit or loss.

The Group does not designate any interests in subsidiaries, associates or joint venture entities as being subject to the requirements of Accounting Standards specifically applicable to financial instruments.

#### (i) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets are classified at "fair value through profit or loss" when they are held for trading for the purpose of short-term profit taking, derivatives not held for hedging purposes, or when they are designated as such to avoid an accounting mismatch or to enable performance evaluation where a Group of financial assets is managed by key management personnel on a fair value basis in accordance with a documented risk management or investment strategy. Such assets are subsequently measured at fair value with changes in carrying value being included in profit or loss.

#### (ii) Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market and are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Loans and receivables are included in current assets, where they are expected to mature within 12 months after the end of the reporting period.

#### (iii) Held-to-maturity investments

Held-to-maturity investments are included in non-current assets where they are expected to mature within 12 months after the end of the reporting period. All other investments are classified as current assets.

#### (iv) Available-for-sale financial assets

Available-for-sale financial assets are non-derivative financial assets that are either not suitable to be classified into other categories of financial assets due to their nature, or they are designated as such by management. They comprise investments in the equity of other entities where there is neither a fixed maturity nor fixed or determinable payments.

They are subsequently measured at fair value with changes in such fair value (ie gains or losses) recognised in other comprehensive income (except for impairment losses and foreign exchange gains and losses). When the financial asset is derecognised, the cumulative gain or loss pertaining to that asset previously recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified into profit or loss.

Available-for-sale financial assets are included in non-current assets where they are expected to be sold within 12 months after the end of the reporting period. All other financial assets are classified as current assets.

#### (v) Financial liabilities

Non-derivative financial liabilities (excluding financial guarantees) are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

#### **Derivative instruments**

The Group designates certain derivatives as either:

i. hedges of the fair value of recognised assets or liabilities or a firm commitment (fair value hedge); or ii.hedges of highly probable forecast transactions (cash flow hedges).

At the inception of the transaction the relationship between hedging instruments and hedged items, as well as the Group's risk management objective and strategy for undertaking various hedge transactions, is documented.

Assessments, both at hedge inception and on an ongoing basis, of whether the derivatives that are used in hedging transactions have been and will continue to be highly effective in offsetting changes in fair values or cash flows of hedged items, are also documented.

#### (i) Fair value hedge

Changes in the fair value of derivatives that are designated and qualified as fair value hedges are recorded in the statement of comprehensive income, together with any changes in the fair value of hedged assets or liabilities that are attributable to the hedged risk.

#### (ii) Cash flow hedge

The effective portion of changes in the fair value of derivatives that are designated and qualify as cash flow hedges is deferred to a hedge reserve in equity. The gain or loss relating to the ineffective portion is recognised immediately in the statement of comprehensive income.

Amounts accumulated in the hedge reserve in equity are transferred to the statement of comprehensive income in the periods when the hedged item will affect profit or loss.

#### **Impairment**

At the end of each reporting period, the Group assesses whether there is objective evidence that a financial instrument has been impaired. In the case of available-for-sale financial instruments, a prolonged decline in the value of the instrument is considered to determine whether an impairment has arisen. Impairment losses are recognised in profit or loss. Also, any cumulative decline in fair value previously recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified to profit or loss at this point.

#### **Financial guarantees**

Where material, financial guarantees issued that require the issuer to make specified payments to reimburse the holder for a loss it incurs because a specified debtor fails to make payment when due are recognised as a financial liability at fair value on initial recognition.

The guarantee is subsequently measured at the higher of the best estimate of the obligation and the amount initially recognised less, when appropriate, cumulative amortisation in accordance with AASB 118: Revenue. Where the entity gives guarantees in exchange for a fee, revenue is recognised under AASB 118.

The fair value of financial guarantee contracts has been assessed using a probability-weighted discounted cash flow approach. The probability has been based on:

- the likelihood of the guaranteed party defaulting in a year period;
- the proportion of the exposure that is not expected to be recovered due to the guaranteed party defaulting; and
- the maximum loss exposed if the guaranteed party were to default.

#### Derecognition

Financial assets are derecognised where the contractual rights to receipt of cash flows expire or the asset is transferred to another party whereby the entity no longer has any significant continuing involvement in the risks and benefits associated with the asset. Financial liabilities are derecognised where the related obligations are discharged, cancelled or expired. The difference between the carrying value of the financial liability extinguished or transferred to another party and the fair value of consideration paid, including the transfer of non-cash assets or liabilities assumed, is recognised in profit or loss.

#### h. Impairment of Assets

At each reporting date, the Company reviews the carrying values of its tangible and intangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have been impaired. If such an indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset, being the higher of the asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use, is compared to the asset's carrying value. Any excess of the asset's carrying value over its recoverable amount is expensed to the income statement. Impairment testing is performed annually for goodwill and intangible assets with indefinite lives.

Where it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the Company estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. In the case of available-for-sale financial instruments, a prolonged decline in the value of the instrument is considered to determine whether impairment has arisen.

#### i. Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of 3 months or less, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within short-term borrowings in current liabilities on the statement of financial performance.

#### j. Revenue Recognition

Interest revenue is recognised using the effective interest method. It includes the amortisation of any discount or premium.

#### k. Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Tax Office. In these circumstances the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense. Receivables and payables in the statement of financial position are shown inclusive of GST. Cash flows are presented in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis, except for the GST component of investing and financing activities, which are disclosed as operating cash flows.

#### I. Comparative Figures

When required by Accounting Standards, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation for the current financial year.

#### m. Significant judgements and key assumptions

The directors evaluate estimates and judgements incorporated into the financial report based on historical knowledge and best available current information. Estimates assume a reasonable expectation of future events and are based on current trends and economic data, obtained both externally and within the Company.

#### n. Key judgements and estimates

Key Judgment Exploration Expenditure

The Company capitalises expenditure relating to exploration and evaluation where it is considered likely to be recoverable or where the activities have not reached a stage which permits a reasonable assessment of the existence of reserves. While there are certain areas of interest from which no reserves have been extracted, the directors are of the continued belief that such expenditure should not be written off since feasibility studies in such areas have not yet concluded. Such capitalised expenditure is carried at reporting date at \$403,264.

### Key Judgment Environmental Issues

Balances disclosed in the financial statements and notes thereto are not adjusted for any pending or enacted environmental legislation, and the directors understanding thereof. At the current stage of the company's development and its current environmental impact the directors believe such treatment is reasonable and appropriate.

### **Key Estimate Taxation**

Balances disclosed in the financial statements and the notes thereto, related to taxation, and are based on the best estimates of directors. These estimates take into account both the financial performance and position of the company as they pertain to current income taxation legislation, and the directors understanding thereof. No adjustment has been made for pending or future taxation legislation. The current income tax position represents that directors' best estimate, pending an assessment by the Australian Taxation Office.

### Key Estimates Share based payment transactions

The Company measures the cost of equity-settled transactions by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. The fair value is determined by reference to the market price. Refer note 25.

### **Key Estimate Business Combination**

In determine the value of the acquisition of Spinifex Ridge East Pty Limited, the Directors determine the fair value of the shares consideration by reference to the market price. Detail information refer to note 22.

2. REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME		
	2011 \$	2010 \$
Interest received	25,253	<u> </u>
	25,253	<u>-</u>
3. LOSS FOR THE YEAR		
Loss for the year is after charging:		
	2011 \$	2010 \$
Interest expense Superannuation	14 10,717	-

### 4. INCOME TAX EXPENSE

(a) No income tax is payable by the parent or consolidated entity as they recorded losses for income tax purposes for the period.

# (b) Reconciliation between income tax expense and prima facie tax on accounting profit (loss)

	<b>2011</b> \$	2010 \$
Accounting profit (loss)	(3,048,725)	(47,348)
Tax at 30%	(914,618)	(14,204)
Tax effect of non-deductible expenses	377,679	2,310
Deferred tax asset not recognised	536,939	11,894
Income tax expense	-	-
(c) Deferred tax assets		
Revenue tax losses	584,822	11,894
Provisions	55,200	-
Deferred tax assets not recognised	(536,939)	(11,894)
Set off deferred tax liabilities	(103,083)	-
Income tax expense	-	-
(c) Deferred tax liabilities		
Exploration expenditure	103,083	-
Set off deferred tax assets	(103,083)	
(c) Tax losses	-	<del>-</del>
Unused tax losses for which no deferred tax asset has been recognised	1,789,797	131,349
ween readinged		101,040

Potential deferred tax assets attributable to tax losses and exploration expenditure carried forward have not been brought to account at 30 June 2011 because the directors do not believe it is appropriate to regard realisation of the deferred tax assets as probable at this point in time. These benefits will only be obtained if:

- the company derives future assessable income of a nature and of an amount sufficient to enable the benefit from the deductions for the loss and exploration expenditure to be realised;
- the company continues to comply with conditions for deductibility imposed by law; and
- no changes in tax legislation adversely affect the company in realising the benefit from the deductions for the loss and exploration expenditure.

The applicable tax rate is the national tax rate in Australia for companies, which is 30% at the reporting date.

5. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
Cash and cash equivalents	1,442,289	11,467
	, ,	,
6. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES		
	2011	2010
CURRENT	\$	\$
Other receivables	98,389	7,953
Related party receivable <sup>1</sup>	42,640	-
	141,029	7,953
<sup>1</sup> Non interest bearing, to be settled within four months.		
7. FINANCIAL ASSETS		
	2011	2010
Level 1 (see note 14)	\$	\$
CURRENT ASX Listed Shares		
Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss	393,888	-
Less provision for diminution in value	(98,654)	-
	295,234	<del>-</del>
8. PLANT AND EQUIPMENT		
	2011	2010
	<b>\$</b>	\$
Office equipment	0.460	
At Cost Accumulated depreciation	9,460 (3,137)	-
	6,323	
Office equipment		
Opening balance Purchases	- 0.460	-
Purchases Depreciation	9,460 (3,137)	-
•		- -
Closing balance	6,323	-

9. CONTROLLED ENTITY	Carrature of	0	hin 0/	O
	Country of Incorporation	Owners 201	-	Ownership % 2010
arent Entity:				
Metal Bank Limited	Australia	-	•	-
ubsidiary:				
pinifex Ridge East Pty Limited	Australia	8	0	-
10. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION	EXPENDITURE			
		2011	2010	
		\$	\$	
Exploration and evaluation expenditure		403,264	60,000	<u>)                                    </u>
Reconciliation of carrying amount				
Balance at beginning of financial year		60,000		-
Acquisition of tenements Expenditure in current year		460,000 343,609	82,542	- )
Exploration expenditure written off		(460,345)	(22,542	
Balance at end of financial period		403,264	60,000	
11. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES				
		2011	2010	
		\$	\$	
CURRENT				
Unsecured liabilities:		4-0-40-		
Trade payables Sundry payables and accrued expenses		150,427 625,200	71 <sup>4</sup> 67,700	
Sulfully payables and accided expenses		775,627	68,414	
			30,12	<u>·                                     </u>
12. FINANCIAL LIABILITIES				
		2011	2010	
		\$	\$	
CURRENT				
Unsecured loans payable to related party		-	57,38	
Unsecured loans payable to unrelated party <sup>1</sup> Unsecured loans payable to director		20,000	20,00 151,91	
onsecured loans payable to director		20,000	229,3	
<sup>1</sup> The loan is interest free and has no fixed tern	n	_5,000		<del></del>
13. SHARE CAPITAL				
		2011	2010	
		\$	\$	
36,985,001 (2010 – 1) fully paid ordinary shares		3,931,591	<u>:</u>	1
		-, <del>-,</del>	•	

Ordinary shares participate in dividends and the proceeds on winding up of the parent entity in proportion to the number of shares held. At shareholders' meetings each ordinary share is entitled to one vote when a poll is called, otherwise each shareholder has one vote on a show of hands.

Reconciliation of movements in share capital during the year:

	2011	2010	2011	2010
	No. Shares	No. Shares	\$	\$
Opening balance – start of				
reporting period	1	1	1	1
Share Issue – 2 September 2010	10,250,000	-	10,250	-
Share Issue – 7 September 2010	300,000	-	30,000	-
Share Issue – 24 September 2010	2,150,000	-	215,000	-
Share Issue – 26 October 2010	1,835,000	-	183,500	-
Share Issue – 29 October 2010	925,000	-	925	-
Share issue – 3 November 2010	1,600,000	-	160,000	
Share Issue – 8 November 2010	25,000	-	2,500	-
Share Issue – 8 February 2011	1,600,000	-	320,000	-
Share Issue – 9 February 2011	13,500,000	-	2,700,000	-
Share Issue – 9 June 2011	2,800,000	-	420,000	-
Share Issue – 9 June 2011	2,000,000	-	300,000	-
Cost of raising capital		-	(410,585)	-
	36,985,001	1	3,931,591	1

Of the issued shares 15,730,000 are subject to escrow for varying periods expiring between September 2011 and February 2013.

The Company has authorised share capital amounting to 36,985,001 shares with no par value.

# **Capital Management**

The Company's objectives when managing capital are to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern, so that it may continue to provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders.

The Company's capital includes ordinary share capital and financial liabilities, supported by financial assets.

Due to the nature of the Company's activities, being mineral exploration, it does not have ready access to credit facilities, with the primary source of funding being equity raisings. Accordingly, the objective of the Company's capital risk management is to balance the current working capital position against the requirements of the Company to meet exploration programmes and corporate overheads. This is achieved by maintaining appropriate liquidity to meet anticipated operating requirements, with a view to initiating appropriate capital raisings as required.

2011

2010

	2011	2010
	\$	\$
Cash and cash equivalents	1,442,289	11,467
Trade and other receivables	141,029	7,953
Financial assets	295,234	-
Trade and other payables	(775,627)	(68,414)
Working capital position	1,102,925	(48,994)

### 14. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The group's principal financial instruments comprise mainly of deposits with banks and shares in listed companies shown as financial assets at fair value through profit and loss. The main purpose of the financial instruments is to earn the maximum amount of interest at a low risk to the group. The group also has other financial instruments such as trade debtors and creditors which arise directly from its operations.

The consolidated entity holds the following financial instruments at the end of the reporting period:

	2011	2010
	\$	\$
Financial assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	1,442,289	11,467
Trade and other receivables	141,029	7,953
Financial assets at fair value		
through profit and loss	295,234	-
	1,878,552	19,420
Financial liabilities		
Trade and other payables	775,627	68,414
Financial liabilities	20,000	229,359
	795,627	297,773

The main risks arising from the Company's financial instruments are market risk, credit risk and liquidity risk. The Board reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks and they are summarised below:

### a. Market risk

Cash flow and fair value interest rate risk

The group's main interest rate risk arises from cash deposits to be applied to exploration and development areas of interest. It is the group's policy to invest cash in short term deposits to minimise the group's exposure to interest rate fluctuations. The group's deposits were denominated in Australian dollars throughout the year. The group did not enter into any interest rate swap contracts during the year ended 30 June 2011. Neither the group nor the parent has any short or long term debt, and therefore this risk is minimal.

#### b. Credit Risk

Credit risk refers to the risk that counterparty will default on its contractual obligations resulting in financial loss to the group. The group has adopted the policy of only dealing with credit worthy counterparties and obtaining sufficient collateral or other security where appropriate, as a means of mitigating the risk of financial loss from defaults. The cash transactions of the group are limited to high credit quality financial institutions.

The group does not have any significant credit risk exposure to any single counterparty or any group of counterparties having similar characteristics. The carrying amount of financial assets recorded in the financial statements, net of any provisions for losses, represents the group's maximum exposure to credit risk.

All cash holdings within the Group are currently held with AA rated financial institutions.

### c. Liquidity Risk

The group manages liquidity risk by continuously monitoring forecast and actual cash flows and matching the maturity profiles of financial assets and liabilities. Surplus funds when available are generally only invested in high credit quality financial institutions in highly liquid markets.

# Financial Instrument composition and maturity analysis

The tables below reflect the undiscounted contractual settlement terms for financial instruments of a fixed period of maturity, as well as management's expectations of the settlement period for all other financial instruments. As such, the amounts may not reconcile to the statement of financial position.

Consolidated Group	Within :	Within 1 year 1 to 5 year		years	Over 5	years	Tot	al
	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010
Financial liabilities - due for payment:								
Trade and other payables	795,627	297,773	-	-	-	-	795,627	297,773
Total contractual outflows	795,627	297,773	-	-	-	-	795,627	297,773
Financial assets – cash flows realisable								
Cash and cash equivalents Trade and other	1,442,289	11,467	-	-	-	-	1,442,289	11,467
receivables	141,029	7,953	-	-	-	-	141,029	7,953
Financial assets	295,234	-	-	-	-	-	295,234	-
Total anticipated inflows	1,878,552	19,420	-	-	-	1	1,878,552	19,420
Net (outflow)/ inflow on financial instruments	1,082,925	(278,353)	_	-	-	-	1,082,425	(278,353)

# Cash flow sensitivity analysis for variable rate instruments

A change of 100 basis points in interest rates at the reporting date would have increased/(decreased) equity and profit or loss by the amounts shown below.

		Change	in profit	Change ir	n equity
	Carrying Value	100bp Increase	100bp decrease	100bp increase	100bp decrease
30 June 2011	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Cash and cash equivalents	1,442,289	14,308	(14,308)	14,308	(14,308)
30 June 2010					_
Cash and cash equivalents	11,467	-	-	-	-

# Maturity of financial assets and liabilities

The note below summarises the maturity of the group's financial assets and liabilities as per the director's expectations. The amounts disclosed are the contractual undiscounted cash flows. There are no derivatives.

	< 6 months	6 – 12 months	1-5 years	>5 years	Total
30 June 2011	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Trade and other receivables	141,029	-	-	-	141,029
Trade and other payables	775,627	-	-	-	775,627
30 June 2010					
Trade and other receivables	7,953	-	-	-	7,953
Trade and other payables	297,773	-	-	-	297,773

#### Fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities

There is no difference between the fair values and the carrying amounts of the group's financial instruments. The Group has no unrecognised financial instruments at balance date.

### **Financial Instruments Measured at Fair Value**

The financial instruments recognised at fair value in the statement of financial position have been analysed and classified using a fair value hierarchy reflecting the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. The fair value hierarchy consists of the following levels:

- quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1);
- inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability,
   either directly (as prices) or indirectly (derived from prices) (Level 2); and
- inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs)
   (Level 3).

### Sensitivity analysis on changes in market rates

A change of 20% in equity prices at the reporting date would increase/(decrease) equity and profit or loss as shown below:

30 June 2011		n profit	Change in equity	
Carrying	rying 20% 20%		20%	20%
Value	increase	decrease	increase	decrease
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
295,234	59,047	(59,047)	59,047	(59,047)
	Value \$	Carrying 20% Value increase \$ \$	Value increase decrease \$ \$ \$	Carrying 20% 20% 20% Value increase decrease increase \$ \$ \$ \$

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	2011 \$	2010 \$
Not later than 12 months	410,000	-
Between 12 months and 5 years Greater than 5 years	317,734	- -
	727,734	-

The tenement commitment has been shown for a period of two years. The Group reviews its tenement obligations on an ongoing basis and will continue to hold existing tenements beyond the two year period based on their prospectivity.

The group has a further commitment to pay a retainer fee under outsourced consultancy and management agreements for the provision of geological and service personnel. These agreements can be cancelled with varying notice periods up to 12 months.

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Not later than 12 months Between 12 months and 5 years	144,000	-
Greater than 5 years		-
	144,000	-

# 16. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND CONTINGENT ASSETS

There are no contingent liabilities or assets in existence at balance sheet date other than as outlined below.

On the 22 March 2011 the Company entered into an agreement to sell a 50% interest in the Killi Killi tenement E80/4212 to Orion Metals Limited. The consideration of \$100,000 and 1,000,000 shares in Orion Metals Limited (ASX Code:ORM) is to be received on 30 August 2011 (the completion date) (subsequently deferred by agreement to 30 September 2011). Completion is subject to certain conditions and as a consequence the consideration has not been accounted for as at 30 June 2011.

# 17. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

Refer to the Remuneration Report contained in the Directors Report for details of the remuneration paid or payable to each member of the Group's key management personnel for the year ended 30 June 2011. Other than the Directors and secretary, the Company had no key management personnel for the financial period ended 30 June 2011.

The total remuneration paid to key management personnel of the company and the group during the year are as follows:

Short term employee benefits Post employment benefits

2011	2010
\$	\$
176,832	-
8,850	-
185,682	-

### **DIRECTORS' AND EXECUTIVE OFFICERS' EMOLUMENTS**

# (a) Details of Directors and Key Management Personnel

(i) Directors

Vincent John Paul Fayad – Non-Executive Chairman Benjamin Heath Cooper – Executive Director Michael Sutherland – Non-Executive Director

(ii) Company secretary

Guy Robertson - Company Secretary

# (iii) Directors' remuneration

Directors' remuneration and other terms of employment are reviewed annually by the Board having regard to performance against goals set at the start of the year, relative comparative information and, where applicable, independent expert advice.

Except as detailed in Notes (a) - (c) to the Remuneration Report in the Director's Report, no director has received or become entitled to receive, during or since the financial period, a benefit because of a contract made by the Company or a related body corporate with a director, a firm of which a director is a member or an entity in which a director has a substantial financial interest. This statement excludes a benefit included in the aggregate amount of emoluments received or due and receivable by directors and shown in Notes (a) - (c) to the Remuneration Report, prepared in accordance with the Corporations regulations, or the fixed salary of a full time employee of the Company.

### (b) Key Management Personnel

Other than the Directors and secretary, the Company had no key management personnel for the financial period ended 30 June 2011.

# (c) Remuneration Options: Granted and vested during the financial year ended 30 June 2011

There were no remuneration options granted during the financial year ended 30 June 2011.

### (d) Share and Option holdings

All equity dealings with directors have been entered into with terms and conditions no more favourable than those that the entity would have adopted if dealing at arm's length.

# Shares held by Directors and Officers Period from 1 July 2010 to 30 June 2011

	Balance at beginning of period	Received as Remuneration	Purchased	Net Change Other	Balance at end of year
B.Cooper <sup>1</sup>	1	-	600,000	-	600,001
V. Fayad²	-	-	62,500	-	62,500
M. Sutherland	-	-	-	-	-
K. Hunter³	-	-	1,020,000	-	N/A
A. Hood³	-	-	250,000	-	N/A
S. Hong Koh <sup>4</sup>	-	-	-	-	N/A
	1		1,932,500	-	662,501

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 600,000 shares held indirectly by Cooper Corporate and Consulting Pty Limited.

# (e) Related Party Transactions

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Advance to Cooper Corporate and Consulting Pty Ltd <sup>1</sup>	42,640	
Payments to:		_
Keystone Minerals Australia Pty Limited <sup>2</sup>	45,560	-
SeeSees Pty Limited³	13,333	-
Mining Corporate Pty Limited <sup>4</sup>	53,500	-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The advance was made to a company associated with a director Benjamin Cooper. The amount has been partly repaid.

Held indirectly by Kafta Enterprises Pty Ltd a company in which the director has an interest.

Resigned as a director on 20 May 2011

<sup>4</sup> Resigned as a director on 16 August 2010

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This amount was paid to a company in which a director, Michael Sutherland, has a relevant interest. These consulting fees were paid in the normal course of business on an arms length basis.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> This amount was paid as directors fees to a company in which a director, Benjamin Cooper, has a relevant interest.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> This amount was paid to a company in which a director, Kent Hunter, has a relevant interest. These fees were paid for secretarial services provided by Elizabeth Hunt.

### 18. SEGMENT INFORMATION

The group's operations are in one business segment being the resources sector. The group operates in one geographical segment being Australia. All subsidiaries in the group operate within the same segment.

### Basis of accounting for purposes of reporting by operating segments

#### Accounting policies adopted

Unless stated otherwise, all amounts reported to the Board of Directors as the chief decision maker with respect to operating segments are determined in accordance with accounting policies that are consistent to those adopted in the annual financial statements of the Company.

#### *Inter-segment transactions*

Inter-segment loans payable and receivable are initially recognised at the consideration received net of transaction costs. If inter-segment loans receivable and payable are not on commercial terms, these are not adjusted to fair value based on market interest rates. This policy represents a departure from that applied to the statutory financial statements

#### Segment assets

Where an asset is used across multiple segments, the asset is allocated to the segment that receives the majority of economic value from the asset. In the majority of instances, segment assets are clearly identifiable on the basis of their nature and physical location.

Unless indicated otherwise in the segment assets note, investments in financial assets, deferred tax assets and intangible assets have not been allocated to operating segments.

#### Segment liabilities

Liabilities are allocated to segments where there is direct nexus between the incurrence of the liability and the operations of the segment. Borrowings and tax liabilities are generally considered to relate to the Company as a whole and are not allocated. Segment liabilities include trade and other payables and certain direct borrowings.

# Unallocated item\$

Administration and other operating expenses are not allocated to operating segments as they are not considered part of the core operations of any segment.

# 19. EARNINGS PER SHARE

	<b>2011</b> Cents	2010* Cents
Reconciliation of earnings per share Basic and diluted earnings per share	(15.7)	
Profit/(loss) used in the calculation of the basic earnings per share	(3,048,725)	
_	No. of shares	No. of shares
Weighted average number of ordinary shares: Used in calculating basic earnings per ordinary share Dilutive potential ordinary shares	19,376,974 -	-
Used in calculating diluted earnings per share	19,376,974	-

<sup>\*</sup> There was only one share on issue in 2010.

# **20. AUDITORS REMUNERATION**

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Auditor of parent entity Audit or review of financial reports, parent		
entity and Group	16,900	6,300
Non-audit services	8,250	-
	25,150	6,300

# 21. CASH FLOW INFORMATION

Reconciliation of net cash used in operating activities with profit after income tax

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Profit/(loss) after income tax	(3,048,725)	(47,349)
Non-cash flows in profit:		
Impairment of investments	98,654	-
Exploration written off	460,345	22,452
Exploration asset impaired	1,247,998	
Depreciation	3,137	-
Changes in assets and liabilities during the financial period:		
(Increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables	(133,074)	(2,133)
Increase/(decrease) in trade and other payables	497,854	96,743
Increase in exploration	(343,609)	(82,452)
Net cash (outflow) from operating activities	(1,217,420)	(12,739)

# **Non-cash Financing and Investing Activities**

Share issue

During the year 1,600,000 ordinary shares and 2,800,000 ordinary shares were issued respectively as consideration for tenements acquired and the acquisition of Spinifex Ridge East Pty Limited. Refer note 25.

# 22. ACQUISITION OF BUSINESS

### **Acquisition of Spinifex Ridge East Pty Limited**

On 22 June 2011 Metal Bank Limited acquired 80% of Spinifex Ridge East Pty Limited, which in turn provided it with a controlling interest in tenement numbers E45/3099 and E45/2596.

Completion of the payment for this acquisition will occurred on the 13 September 2011 - refer to note 24. The total cost of the acquisition is \$1.4 million and is comprised of an issue of equity and cash. At the date of the acquisition, the Company paid \$140,000 in cash and issued 2,800,000 ordinary shares with a fair value of 15 cents per share based on the quoted price of the shares of Metal Bank at the date of exchange and a share placement made by the Company on that same date. A further \$270,000 will be paid in cash and a further 6,200,000 shares will be issued to the vendor following receipt of shareholder approval – see notes 22 (d) and 24. The value of the remaining equity consideration is based on a share price of 9 cents per share, being the last traded price on 2 September 2011.

The Company has, following shareholder approval gained at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on 13 September 2011, a liability of a further \$0.8 million in respect of the project acquired, comprised of 6,200,000 shares based on a fair value of 9 cents per share at the date of approval and a cash payment of \$270,000.

An advisor fee of a further 2,500,000 ordinary shares was also approved at the above meeting, and has been accrued as at 30 June 2011 reflecting the fact that services were rendered prior to 30 June 2011.

### (a) Purchase consideration

Purchase consideration	
Shares (2,800,000 shares <sup>1</sup> at 15 cents per share - issued)	420,000
Shares (6,200,000 shares at 9 cents per share – not issued)	558,000
Cash <sup>2</sup>	410,000
Total purchase consideration	1,388,000
Fair value of net identifiable assets acquired (refer to (b) below)	140,002
Exploration asset	1,247,998

Note – the exploration asset arising on acquisition has been impaired.

Liability for deferred consideration is comprised as follows:

6,200,000 shares at 9 cents per share	558,000
Deferred cash consideration	270,000
	828,000

### (b) Assets and liabilities acquired

The assets and liabilities arising from the acquisition are as follows:

	Acquiree's		
	carrying amount	Fair value	
	\$	\$	
Other receivables	2	2	
Capitalised exploration costs	140,000	140,000	
Net identifiable assets acquired	140,002	140,002	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Of the consideration 6,200,000 shares have yet to be issued – see note 24.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Of the cash, \$270,000 is yet to be paid – see note 24.

(c) cash consider ation	(c)	(Cash	consideration	
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	2011
	\$
Outflow of cash to acquire business, net of cash acquired	
Cash consideration	410,000
Less: Balances acquired	
Cash and cash equivalents	-
Less consideration deferred	(270,000)
Outflow of cash	140,000

# 23. PARENT ENTITY DISCLOSURES

### **Financial Position**

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	1,442,289	11,467
Trade and other receivables	141,027	7,953
Financial assets	295,234	
Total Current Assets	1,878,550	19,420
Non-current Assets		
Financial assets	140,002	-
Plant and equipment	6,323	-
Evaluation and exploration expenditure	263,264	60,000
Total Non-current assets	409,589	60,000
Total Assets	2,288,139	79,420
Current Liabilities		
Trade and other payables	775,629	68,414
Liability for deferred consideration		00,414
Financial liabilities	828,000 20,000	229,359
Total Current Liabilities		
Total current Liabilities	1,623,629	297,773
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,623,629	297,773
NET ASSETS	664,510	(218,353)
NET ASSETS	004,510	(210,333)
EQUITY		
Issued Capital	3,931,591	1
Accumulated losses	(3,267,081)	(218,354)
TOTAL EQUITY	664,510	(218,353)
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# i. Financial Performance

The subsidiary acquired did not trade from the date of acquisition with the result that the result of the Group equates to the result of the parent for the year.

# ii. Contingent liabilities and contingent assets

The parent entity is responsible for the contingent liabilities and contingent assets are outlined in note 16.

#### iii. Commitments

The parent entity is responsible for the commitments outlined in note 15.

### iv. Related parties

An interest in subsidiary is set out in note 9.

Disclosures relating to key management personnel are set out in note 17.

### 24. SIGNIFICANT AFTER BALANCE DATE EVENTS

The following significant events have occurred since balance date:

### (a) Acquisition of Spinifex Ridge East

At the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company on 13 September 2011 shareholders ratified the purchase of an 80 % interest in Spinifex Ridge East – see note 22. The resolutions relating to Spinifex Ridge East are as follows:

- that the shareholders ratify the issue of 2,800,000 shares to the vendors, and approve the issue of a further 6,200,000 shares to the vendors.
- that the shareholders approve the issue of 15,000,000 options to the vendors, which have an exercise price of 20 cents per share and an expiry date of 30 June 2014.
- that the shareholders approve the issue of 2,500,000 shares to the vendor's advisor.

A pro forma statement of financial position showing the impact of the above as at 30 June 2011 is outlined below.

Pro forma consolidated statement of financial position on completion of acquisition

	30 June 2011
	\$
CURRENT ASSETS	
Cash and cash equivalents	1,172,289
Trade and other receivables	141,029
Financial assets	295,234
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	1,608,552
NON-CURRENT ASSETS	
Plant and equipment	6,323
Exploration and evaluation expenditure	403,264
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS	409,587
TOTAL ASSETS	2,018,139
CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Trade and other payables	775,627
Financial liabilities	20,000
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	795,627
TOTAL LIABILITIES	795,627
NET ASSETS	1,222,512
EQUITY	
Issued Capital	4,489,591
Accumulated losses	(3,267,079)
Accumulated 103363	1,222,512
Non-controlling interest	-
TOTAL EQUITY	1,222,512
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The above proforma statement of financial position has been prepared using the following assumptions:

- 6,200,000 ordinary shares are issued at 9 cents each, being the approximate market value of Metal Bank securities as at the date of this report.
- a cash consideration of \$270,000 is paid; and
- fees paid to the vendor's advisor are accrued but not paid.

# (b) Sale of investments

The Company has sold all but \$9,500 of its listed investments for the sum of \$265,478. This has resulted in a loss of \$14,000, which is in addition to that already provided for in the financial statements as at 30 June 2011.

Other than as described above, there are currently no matters or circumstances that have arisen since the end of the financial period that have significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the consolidated entity, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the consolidated entity in future financial years.

### 25. SHARE BASED PAYMENTS

Goods or services received or acquired in a share-based payment transaction are recognised as an increase in equity if the goods or services were received in an equity-settled share-based payment transaction or as a liability if the goods and services were acquired in a cash settled share-based payment transaction.

For equity-settled share-based transactions, goods or services received are measured directly at the fair value of the goods or services received provided this can be estimated reliably. If a reliable estimate cannot be made the value of the goods or services is determined indirectly by reference to the fair value of the equity instrument granted.

Transactions with employees and others providing similar services are measured by reference to the fair value at grant date of the equity instrument granted.

The following share based payments were made during the year:

	2011	2010
	\$	\$
Ordinary shares		
(a) On 8 February 2011, 1,600,000 ordinary shares		
were issued to vendors as consideration for		
exploration assets acquired.	320,000	-
<b>(b)</b> On 9 June 2011, 2,800,000 ordinary shares were		
issued to vendors as part consideration for		
acquisition of Spinifex Ridge East Pty Limited -		
refer note 22.	420,000	

Fair value of shares issued during the year:

- (a) The ordinary shares were deemed to have fair value of \$0.20 per share, determined by reference to market price.
- (b) The ordinary shares were deemed to have fair value of \$0.15 per share, determined by reference to market price.

# METAL BANK LIMITED AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITY DIRECTORS DECLARATION

The directors of the company declare that:

- 1. the financial statements and notes, as set out on pages 23 to 51, are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* and:
  - a. comply with Accounting Standards which stated in accounting policy note 1 to the financial statements; constitutes explicit and unreserved compliance with International Financial Reporting (IFRS); and
  - b. give a true and fair view of the financial position as at 30 June 2011 and of the performance for the year ended on that date of the company and consolidated group;
- 2. the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have each declared that:
  - a. the financial records of the company for the financial year have been properly maintained in accordance with section 286 of the *Corporations Act 2001*;
  - b. the financial statements and notes for the financial year comply with the Accounting Standards; and
  - c. the financial statements and notes for the financial year give a true and fair view and
- 3. in the directors' opinion there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.

Vincent J P Fayad Non-Executive Chairman

Sydney, 21 September 2011



# **Independent Auditor's Report**

### To the Members of Metal Bank Limited

We have audited the accompanying financial report of Metal Bank Limited, which comprises the consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 June 2011, and the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the directors' declaration of the Company and the Consolidated Entity, comprising the Company and the entities it controlled at the year's end or from time to time during the financial year.

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# **Directors Responsibility for the Financial Report**

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. In Note 1, the directors also state, in accordance with Accounting Standards AASB 101: *Presentation of Financial Statements*, that the financial statements comply with *International Financial Reporting Standards*.

# Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.







# Independent Auditor's Report

To the Members of Metal Bank Limited (Continued)



### Independence

In conducting our audit, we followed applicable independence requirements of Australian professional ethical pronouncements and the *Corporations Act 2001*.

# **Auditor's Opinion**

In our opinion:

- a. The financial report of Metal Bank Limited is in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
  - i. giving a true and fair view of the Consolidated Entity's financial position as at 30 June 2011 and of its performance for the year ended on that date; and
  - ii. complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001;
- b. The financial report also complies with International Financial Reporting Standards as disclosed in Note 1.

# Report on the Remuneration Report

We have audited the Remuneration Report included in directors' report of the year ended 30 June 2011. The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Remuneration Report in accordance with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Remuneration Report, based on our audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards.

# **Auditor's Opinion**

In our opinion, the Remuneration Report of Metal Bank Limited for the year ended 30 June 2011, complies with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

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Bentleys

**Chartered Accountants** 

CHRIS WATTS CA

DATED at PERTH this 21st day of September 2011

# METAL BANK LIMITED AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR LISTED COMPANIES AS AT 9 SEPTEMBER 2011

The following additional information is required by the Australian Securities Exchange pursuant to Listing Rule 4 10

# a. Distribution of Shareholders

	Number of	Number of shares	% of number of
Number held	share holders	Number of shares	shares
1 – 1,000	1	1	0.00%
1,001 - 5,000	12	44,585	0.12%
5,001 - 10,000	82	879,100	2.19%
10,001 - 100,000	140	6,265,902	16.90%
100,001+	70	29,795,815	80.79%
Total	313	36,985,001	100.00%

**b.** The number of shareholders who hold less than a marketable parcel is 13.

# c. Substantial shareholders

The names of the substantial shareholders in the Company, the number of equity securities to which each substantial shareholder and substantial holder's associates have a relevant interest, as disclosed in substantial holding notices given to the Company are:

	No of shares	%
Australian Royalty Corporation Pty Limited	2,800,000	7.57%
Gurney Capital Pty Limited	2,000,000	5.41%
MFCM Nominee Services Pty Limited	2,000,000	5.41%

# d. Twenty largest holders of each class of quoted equity security

	Name	No of Ordinary Shares	%
1.	Australian Royalties Corporation Pty Limited	2,800,000	7.57
2.	MFCM Nominee Services Pty Limited	2,000,000	5.41
3.	Gurney capital Nominees Pty Limited	2,000,000	5.41
4.	Alpha Securities Pty Limited	1,500,000	4.06
5	Belloc Pty Limited	1,275,000	3.45
6.	Kouta Bay Pty Limited <houndy account="" family=""></houndy>	1,020,000	2.76
7.	Black Swan Global Pty Limited	1,015,000	2.74
8.	Kanwara Sreechum	1,010,000	2.73
9.	Sphere Investments Pty Limited	750,000	2.03
10.	Pitt Street Absolute Return Fund Pty Limited	666,667	1.80
11.	Suburban Holdings Pty Limited	610,000	1.65
12.	Cooper Corporate and Consulting Pty Limited	600,000	1.62
13.	Mulato Nominees Pty Limited	500,000	1.35
14.	Australian Global Capital Pty Limited	500,000	1.35
15.	BBY Nominees Pty Limited	500,000	1.35
16.	Red Emperor NL	500,000	1.35
17.	Cazaly Resources Limited	500,000	1.35
18.	Oracle Equity Group Pty Limited	470,000	1.35
19.	GlobalNickel Investments NL	450,000	1.22
20.	Wilman Investments	425,000	1.15
		19,333,334	51.70

# METAL BANK LIMITED AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR LISTED COMPANIES AS AT 9 SEPTEMBER 2011

# e. Restricted Securities

There are 15,730,000 restricted ordinary shares as follows:

Escrow Period	Number	Release Date
12 mths from issue	150,000	07/09/11
12 mths from issue	1,075,000	24/09/11
12 mths from issue	742,500	26/10/11
12 mths from issue	800,000	03/11/11
12 mths from issue	12,500	08/11/11
12 mths from issue	1,600,000	28/01/12
24 mths from listing	11,350,000	02/03/13
	15,730,000	

# f. Unquoted equity securities

The Company has no unquoted equity securities.

# METAL BANK LIMITED AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR LISTED COMPANIES AS AT 9 SEPTEMBER 2011

# 1. Company Secretary

The name of the company secretary is Mr Guy Robertson.

# 2. Address and telephone details of entity's registered and administrative office

The address and telephone details of the registered and administrative office in Australia is:

Level 2, 2 Bligh Street

Sydney, New South Wales 2000 Telephone: +(612) 8223 2800 Facsimile: +(612) 9235 0163

# 3. Address and telephone details of the office at which the register of securities is kept

The address and telephone of the office at which a register of securities is kept: Advanced Share Registry

### 4. Stock exchange on which the Company's securities are quoted

The Company's listed equity securities are quoted on the Australian Securities Exchange

# 5. Review of Operations

A review of operations is contained in the Review of Operations report.

# 6. On market buy-back

There is currently no on-market buy-back.