



10 August 2018

#### **ISSUE OF PLACEMENT OPTIONS**

Australian Potash Limited (ASX: APC) (**Company**) is pleased to advise that, subsequent to approval by the Company's shareholders at the General Meeting of the Company held on 12 July 2018, it has now issued 21,242,500 free attaching options (**Placement Options**) exercisable at \$0.12 each and expiring on 8 August 2021 (corresponding to one free attaching option for every two fully paid ordinary shares (**Placement Shares**) issued at \$0.07 per share on 24 May 2018) to the sophisticated and professional investors that participated in the Company's oversubscribed placement undertaken in May 2018.

The 715,000 Placement Shares and 357,500 Placement Options to be issued to the Company's directors, which raised an additional \$50,000 in relation to the Placement, will be issued shortly.

An Appendix 3B is attached with respect to the Placement Options.

Secondary Trading Notice Notification Pursuant to Paragraph 708A(5)(e) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Act)

#### Re: Issue of 21,242,500 Placement Options

The Act restricts the on-sale of securities issued without disclosure, unless the sale is exempt under section 708 or 708A. By the Company giving this notice, sale of the Securities noted above will fall within the exemption in section 708A(5) of the Act.

The Company hereby notifies ASX under paragraph 708A(5)(e) of the Act that:

- (a) the Company issued the Securities without disclosure to investors under Part 6D.2 of the Act;
- (b) as at 10 August 2018 the Company has complied with the provisions of Chapter 2M of the Act as they apply to the Company, and section 674 of the Act; and
- (c) as at 10 August 2018 there is no information:
  - i. that has been excluded from a continuous disclosure notice in accordance with the ASX Listing Rules; and
  - ii. that investors and their professional advisers would reasonably require for the purpose of making an informed assessment of:
    - A. the assets and liabilities, financial position and performance, profits and losses and prospects of the Company; or
    - B. the rights and liabilities attaching to the Placement Options.

For further information, please contact:

#### **Matt Shackleton**

**Executive Chairman** 

m.shackleton@australianpotash.com.au

**(1)** +61 (0)438 319 841

#### **Sophie Raven**

**Company Secretary** 

s.raven@australianpotash.com.au

+61 (0)400 007 906

Rule 2.7, 3.10.3, 3.10.4, 3.10.5

## **Appendix 3B**

# New issue announcement, application for quotation of additional securities and agreement

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

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

Name	of entity	
Austra	alian Potash Limited	
ACN		
149 3	90 394	
We (th	ne entity) give ASX the following	information.
	t 1 - All issues ust complete the relevant sections (attac	ch sheets if there is not enough space).
1	*Class of *securities issued or to be issued	Unlisted Options
2	Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued	21,242,500
3	Principal terms of the *securities (e.g. if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid *securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if *convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)	Unlisted Options, exercise price \$0.12 each, expiry 8 August 2021

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

4 Do the +securities rank equally No, however on exercise of the Unlisted Options in all respects from the +issue into fully paid ordinary shares, the issued shares date with an existing +class of will rank equally with existing fully paid ordinary quoted +securities? shares currently on issue in the Company If the additional +securities do not rank equally, please state: the date from which they do the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution interest payment 5 Issue price or consideration Nil, free attaching options 6 Purpose of the issue Issued pursuant to a placement to sophisticated (If issued as consideration for and professional investors announced on 16 the acquisition of assets, clearly May 2018, as approved by shareholders at the identify those assets) general meeting of the Company held on 12 July 2018 6a Yes Is the entity an +eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A? If Yes, complete sections 6b -6h in relation to the +securities the subject of this Appendix 3B, and comply with section 6i 6b The date the security holder 30 November 2017 resolution under rule 7.1A was passed 6c Number of \*securities issued Nil without security holder approval under rule 7.1 6d Nil Number of \*securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A Nil 6e Number of \*securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)

Appendix 3B Page 2 04/03/2013

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

6f Number of \*securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2

21,242,500 (Listing Rule 7.2, Exception 14)

6g If \*securities issued under rule 7.1A, was issue price at least 75% of 15 day VWAP as calculated under rule 7.1A.3? Include the \*issue date and both values. Include the source of the VWAP calculation.

Not applicable

6h If \*securities were issued under rule 7.1A for non-cash consideration, state date on which valuation of consideration was released to ASX Market Announcements

Not applicable

6i Calculate the entity's remaining issue capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A – complete Annexure 1 and release to ASX Market Announcements

See Annexure 1

7 +Issue dates

Note: The issue date may be prescribed by ASX (refer to the definition of issue date in rule 19.12). For example, the issue date for a pro rata entitlement issue must comply with the applicable timetable in Appendix 7A.

8 August 2018

Cross reference: item 33 of Appendix 3B.

8 Number and \*class of all \*securities quoted on ASX (including the \*securities in section 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
304,358,073	Fully paid ordinary shares
37,594,906	Options, exercise price \$0.20, expiring 25 October 2019

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

9 Number and \*class of all \*securities not quoted on ASX (*including* the \*securities in section 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
4,500,000	Options, exercise price
, ,	\$0.125, expiring 30
	November 2018
4,500,000	Options, exercise price
	\$0.175, expiring 30
	November 2018
3,430,000	Options, exercise price
	\$0.10, expiring 21 April
	2021
3,430,000	Options, exercise price
	\$0.15, expiring 21 April
	2021
5,000,000	Options, exercise price
	\$0.125, expiring 2 May
	2019
1,861,702	Options, exercise price
	\$0.175, expiring 28
	November 2019
2,034,883	Options, exercise price
	\$0.225, expiring 28
	November 2019
2,559,526	Options, exercise price
	\$0.175, expiring 14
	December 2019
2,756,412	Options, exercise price
	\$0.225, expiring 14
	December 2019
1,500,000	Options, exercise price
	\$0.225, expiring 9 May
4.050.000	2020
1,250,000	Options, exercise price
	\$0.225, expiring 30
4 050 000	November 2020
1,250,000	Options, exercise price
	\$0.225, expiring 30
24 242 500	November 2020
21,242,500	Options, exercise price
	\$0.12, expiring 8 August
	2021

10 Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)

#### Part 2 - DELETED - NOT APPLICABLE

#### Part 3 - Quotation of securities

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

34 Type of \*securities (tick one)

(a) +Securities described in Part 1

(b) All other +securities

Appendix 3B Page 4 04/03/2013

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities

#### Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

### Additional securities forming a new class of securities Tick to indicate you are providing the information or

documents

35 If the +securities are +equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional teconyities, and the number and persontage of additional

	the additional *securities, and the number and percentage of additional *securities held by those holders
36	If the *securities are *equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional *securities setting out the number of holders in the categories 1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over
37	A copy of any trust deed for the additional *securities

#### **Quotation agreement**

- <sup>+</sup>Quotation of our additional <sup>+</sup>securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the <sup>+</sup>securities on any conditions it decides.
- We warrant the following to ASX.
  - The issue of the +securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
  - There is no reason why those +securities should not be granted +quotation.
  - An offer of the \*securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty

- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any +securities to be quoted and that no-one has any right to return any +securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the +securities be quoted.
- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the †securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the \*securities be quoted.
- We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.
- We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document is not available now, we will give it to ASX before +quotation of the +securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Sign here: Print name: (Company secretary) Sophie Raven Date: 10 August 2018

Appendix 3B Page 6 04/03/2013

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

## Appendix 3B – Annexure 1

## Calculation of placement capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A for eligible entities

Introduced 01/08/12 Amended 04/03/13

#### Part 1

Rule 7.1 – Issues exceeding 15% of capital		
Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated		
Insert number of fully paid *ordinary securities on issue 12 months before the *issue date or date of agreement to issue	221,454,213	
<ul> <li>Add the following:         <ul> <li>Number of fully paid +ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2</li> <li>Number of fully paid +ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval</li> </ul> </li> <li>Number of partly paid +ordinary securities that became fully paid in that 12 month period         <ul> <li>Note:</li> <li>Include only ordinary securities here – other classes of equity securities cannot be added</li> <li>Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</li> <li>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	29,598,860 fully paid ordinary shares issued on 23 August 2017, approved by shareholders on 30 November 2017 5,420,000 fully paid ordinary shares issued on 19 September 2017, rule 7.2 exception 15 400,000 fully paid ordinary shares issued on 7 December 2017, rule 7.2 exception 14 5,000,000 fully paid ordinary shares issued on 24 November 2017, approved by shareholders on 12 July 2018 16,797,693 fully paid ordinary shares issued on 24 May 2018 (under rule 7.1), approved by shareholders on 12 July 2018 25,687,307 fully paid ordinary shares issued on 24 May 2018 (under rule 7.1A), approved by shareholders on 12 July 2018	
Subtract the number of fully paid +ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period	Nil	
"A"	304,358,073	
Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"		
"B"	0.15 [Note: this value cannot be changed]	
<b>Multiply</b> "A" by 0.15	45,653,710	

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1 that has already been used	
Insert number of *equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period not counting those issued:	Nil
• Under an exception in rule 7.2	
Under rule 7.1A	
<ul> <li>With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Note:</li> <li>This applies to equity securities, unless specifically excluded – not just ordinary securities</li> <li>Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</li> <li>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</li> </ul>	
"C"	Nil
Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x " placement capacity under rule 7.1	-
"A" x 0.15	45,653,710
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2	
Subtract "C"	Nil
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.15] – "C"	45,653,710
	[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]

#### Part 2

Rule 7.1A – Additional placement capacity for eligible entities		
Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated		
"A"	304,358,073	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 1 of Part 1		
Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"		

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Appendix 3B Page 8 04/03/2013

"D"	0.10	
	Note: this value cannot be changed	
<i>Multiply</i> "A" by 0.10	30,435,807	
Step 3: Calculate "E", the amount 7.1A that has already been used	of placement capacity under rule	
<ul> <li>Insert number of *equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A</li> <li>Notes:         <ul> <li>This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities</li> <li>Include here – if applicable – the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</li> <li>Do not include equity securities issued under rule 7.1 (they must be dealt with in Part 1), or for which specific security holder approval has been obtained</li> <li>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Nil	
"E"	Nil	
Step 4: Subtract "E" from ["A" x "l placement capacity under rule 7.1	-	
"A" x 0.10	30,435,807	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2		
Subtract "E"	Nil	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3		
<b>Total</b> ["A" x 0.10] – "E"	30,435,807	
	Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A	

== == == ==

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.