Rule 2.7, 3.10.3, 3.10.4, 3.10.5

# Appendix 3B

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

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

Introduced 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 5. Amended 1/7/98, 1/9/99, 1/7/2000, 30/9/2001, 11/3/2002, 1/1/2003, 24/10/2005.

Name	of entity	
	Iron Limited	
ABN		
21 1	20 646 924	
We (	the entity) give ASX the following	information.
_	t 1 - All issues nust complete the relevant sections (attach s	heets if there is not enough space).
1	<sup>+</sup> Class of <sup>+</sup> 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	200,000 Unlisted Options <u>cancelled</u> under the Company's ESOP
3	Principal terms of the *securities (eg,	200,000 Unlisted Options with an Exercise

Price of \$1.60 expiring on 21 August 2011

if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid +securities, the amount outstanding and due dates payment; if +convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)

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

4	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities?	N/A	
	If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:  • the date from which they do  • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment  • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment		
_	T	Nil	
5	Issue price or consideration	NII	
6	Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	Unlisted options cancell	led pursuant to ESOP
7	Dates of entering *securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates	28 January 2010	
		Number	+Class
8	Number and +class of all	83,811,000	
8	*securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable)	83,811,000	Ordinary fully paid shares (BCI)

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9 Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
100,000	Employee options
	exercisable at 72 cents
	expiring 19 Feb 10
	(BCIAQ)
500,000	MD options
	exercisable at \$1.85
	expiring 15 Aug 11
	(BCIAI)
500,000	MD options
	exercisable at \$2.00
	expiring 15 Aug 11
	(BCIAI)
500,000	Employee options
	exercisable at from
	\$1.25 - \$2.00 expiring
	21 Aug 11
250,000	Consultant options
	exercisable at \$0.65
	expiring 31 Mar 12
	(BCIAK)
250,000	Consultant options
	exercisable at \$0.90
	expiring 31 Mar 12
800,000	Employee Options
	exercisable at from
	\$1.25 to \$1.60
	expiring 21 Aug 11
500,000	Employee Options
	exercisable at from
	\$1.25 to \$1.60
400.000	expiring 25 Aug 12
400,000	Employee Options
	exercisable at from
	\$1.25 to \$2.00
	expiring 5 Nov 2012

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

Company may pay dividends to ordinary shareholders as the Directors resolve but only out of profits of the Company.

## Part 2 - Bonus issue or pro rata issue

11	Is security holder ap required?	proval	N/A
12	Is the issue renounceable o renounceable?	r non-	N/A

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13	Ratio in which the <sup>+</sup> securities will be offered	N/A
14	<sup>+</sup> Class of <sup>+</sup> securities to which the offer relates	N/A
15	<sup>+</sup> Record date to determine entitlements	N/A
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	N/A
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	N/A
18	Names of countries in which the entity has *security holders who will not be sent new issue documents	N/A
	Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.	
	Cross reference: rule 7.7.	
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	N/A
20	Names of any underwriters	N/A
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	N/A
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	N/A
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	N/A
23		N/A  N/A

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	es that have ticked box 34(a) ional securities forming a new cla	ass of securities
(b)		of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employed ands, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities
(a)	Securities described in Part 1	
34	Type of securities (tick one)	
	3 - Quotation of securitie ed only complete this section if you are appli	
33	<sup>+</sup> Despatch date	N/A
32	How do *security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?	N/A
31	How do *security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	N/A
30	How do *security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?	N/A
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	N/A
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	N/A
27	If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders	N/A
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled	N/A

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Tick to docume	indicate you are providing the information	on or		
35		If the *securities are *equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional *securities, and the number and percentage of additional *securities held by those holders		
36	If the *securities are *equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional *securities setting out the number of holders in the categories  1 - 1,000  1,001 - 5,000  5,001 - 10,000  10,001 - 100,000  100,001 and over			
37	A copy of any trust deed for the	A copy of any trust deed for the additional *securities		
Entiti	Entities that have ticked box 34(b)			
38	Number of securities for which <sup>+</sup> quotation is sought	N/A		
39	Class of *securities for which quotation is sought	N/A		
40	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities?	N/A		
	If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:  • the date from which they do  • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment  • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment			
41	Reason for request for quotation now  Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period	N/A		
	(if issued upon conversion of another security, clearly identify that other security)			

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Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 38)

Number	+Class
N/A	

#### **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.
  - 4 We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document not available now, will give it to ASX before <sup>+</sup>quotation of the <sup>+</sup>securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

Sign here: Date: 2 February 2010

Company Secretary

Print name: Morgan Ball

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