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.

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Name o	Name of entity			
BC Iro	BC Iron Limited			
ADM				
ABN	646 924			
21 120	040 924			
We (t	he entity) give ASX the following	g information.		
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Dart	1 - All issues			
	I - All ISSUES ust complete the relevant sections (attac	h sheets if there is not enough space).		
1	*Class of *securities issued or to be issued	Fully paid ordinary shares (ASX: BCI)		
	be 1334e4			
	NI			
2	Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or	<b>3,289,234</b> fully paid ordinary shares issued pursuant to the share purchase plan		
	maximum number which may be issued	announced on 10 December 2012 ("Plan").		
	be issued			
3	Principal terms of the +securities (eg, if options,	Fully paid ordinary shares issued for cash consideration.		
	exercise price and expiry date; if	Constactation.		
	partly paid *securities, the amount outstanding and due			
	dates for payment; if			
	+convertible securities, the			
	conversion price and dates for conversion)			

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Yes - the new shares will rank equally with Do the \*securities rank equally 4 in all respects from the date of existing quoted securities. allotment with an existing +class of quoted \*securities? If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state: • the date from which they do the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a distribution) trust, interest payment the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment Issue price or consideration A\$3.04 per share. 6 Purpose of the issue Issue of shares pursuant to Plan announced (If issued as consideration for on 10 December 2012. the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets) 6a Is the entity an +eligible entity No 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 N/A resolution under rule 7.1A was passed 6c Number of \*securities issued N/A without security holder approval under rule 7.1 6d N/A Number of \*securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A

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6e	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	N/A	
6f	Number of securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	N/A	
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.	N/A	
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	N/A	
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	N/A	
7	Dates of entering *securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates	24 January 2013	
		NT 1	+61
		Number	+Class
8	Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in section 2 if applicable)	122,729,384 on issue.	Fully paid ordinary shares (ASX: BCI)

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

Number	+Class
Number	+Class
500,000	Stakeholder options
	exercisable at \$1.50
	expiring 19 Feb 15
250,000	Employee Options
	exercisable at from
	\$2.36 to \$3.14
	expiring 30 June 13
500,000	Employee Options
	exercisable at from
	\$3.86 to \$4.32
	expiring 31 Dec 14
250,000	Employee Options
	exercisable at from
	\$3.66 to \$4.09
	expiring 30 June 15
236,102	Performance Rights
	expiring 16 Nov 18
348,644	Performance Rights
	expiring 1 Sept 19
69,206	Performance Rights
	expiring 1 Nov 19

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

Is security holder approval required?	N/A	
Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	N/A	
Ratio in which the *securities will be offered	N/A	
<sup>+</sup> Class of <sup>+</sup> securities to which the offer relates	N/A	
<sup>+</sup> Record date to determine entitlements	N/A	
	required?  Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?  Ratio in which the *securities will be offered  *Class of *securities to which the offer relates  *Record date to determine	

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16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions
18	Names of countries in which the entity has *security holders who will not be sent new issue documents
	Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.  Cross reference: rule 7.7.
	Closs reference. rule 7-7.
19	Closing date for receipt of N/A acceptances or renunciations
20	Names of any underwriters N/A
21	Amount of any underwriting fee N/A or commission
22	Names of any brokers to the issue
23	Fee or commission payable to N/A the broker to the issue
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of *security holders
25	If the issue is contingent on +security holders' approval, the date of the meeting
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled

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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		
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	N/A		
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	N/A		
30	How do *security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?	N/A		
31	How do *security holders sell part of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	N/A		
32	How do *security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?	N/A		
33	<sup>+</sup> Despatch date	N/A		
	Part 3 - Quotation of securities  You need only complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities  Type of securities			
(a)	(tick one)  Securities described in Part	1		
(b)	employee incentive share securities who securities	nd of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid en restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible		
Fntitie	es that have ticked box 34(a)			

Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

Additional securities forming a new class of securities

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Tick to docum	indicate you are providing the information or ents	
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 addition *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	
Entiti	es that have ticked box 34(b)	
38	Number of securities for which †quotation is sought	
39	Class of *securities for which N/A quotation is sought	
40	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities?	
	If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:  • the date from which they do  • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment  • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment	

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Reason for request for quotation now

Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period

(if issued upon conversion of another security, clearly identify that other security)

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

Number	+Class
N/A	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.
- 2 We warrant the following to ASX.
  - The issue of the +securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
  - There is no reason why those \*securities should not be granted \*quotation.
  - An offer of the \*securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

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

- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any \*securities to be quoted and that no-one has any right to return any \*securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the \*securities be quoted.
- 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.

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

Sign here: Date: 24 January 2013

Company secretary

Print name: Linda Edge

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# Appendix 3B - Annexure 1

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

Introduced 01/08/12

#### 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 date of issue or agreement to issue		
Add the following:  Number of fully paid ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2		
Number of fully paid ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval		
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>		
<b>Subtract</b> the number of fully paid ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period		
"A"		

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Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"	
"B"	0.15
	[Note: this value cannot be changed]
<b>Multiply</b> "A" by 0.15	
Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount that has already been used	of placement capacity under rule 7.1
<b>Insert</b> number of equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period not counting those issued:	
<ul> <li>Under an exception in rule 7.2</li> </ul>	
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"	
Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x "language placement capacity under rule 7.1	B"] to calculate remaining
"A" x 0.15	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2	
Subtract "C"	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.15] – "C"	
	[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]

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## 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	
Step 1 of Part 1	
Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"	
"D"	0.10
	Note: this value cannot be changed
<b>Multiply</b> "A" by 0.10	
Step 3: Calculate "E", the amount of 7.1A that has already been used	of placement capacity under rule
7.1A that has already been used  Insert number of equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A	of placement capacity under rule

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Step 4: Subtract "E" from ["A" x "D"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A		
"A" x 0.10  Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2		
Subtract "E"  Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3		
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.10] – "E"	Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A	

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