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Change of Director's Interest Notice

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Name of entity	Energy Resources of Australia Ltd
ABN	71 008 550 865

We (the entity) give ASX the following information under listing rule 3.19A.2 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Corporations Act.

Name of Director	Joanne Margaret FARRELL
Date of last notice	4 December 2014

Part 1 - Change of director's relevant interests in securities

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (i) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Direct or indirect interest	Direct
Nature of indirect interest (including registered holder) Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.	N/A
Date of change	1 January 2015
No. of securities held prior to change	30,930 rights (" Rights ") to be granted ordinary shares in Rio Tinto Limited (" RT Shares "), being: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4,717 Rights under the Rio Tinto Limited Bonus Deferral Plan as amended from time to time ("BDP")*; • 18,271 Rights under the Rio Tinto Limited Performance Share Plan as amended from time to time ("PSP")*; • 7,942 Rights under the Rio Tinto Limited Management Share Plan as amended from time to time ("MSP")*.
Class	Rights under the terms of the BDP, the PSP and the MSP.
Number acquired	145 Rights under the MSP.
Number disposed	Nil
Value/Consideration Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and estimated valuation	Grant of Rights under the MSP for nil consideration.

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No. of securities held after change	31,075 Rights, being: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4,717 Rights under the BDP; • 18,271 Rights under the PSP; and • 8,087 Rights under the MSP.
Nature of change Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy-back	Grant of Rights under the MSP, representing the value of dividends that would have been paid since grant on the RT Shares to which Ms Farrell becomes entitled following the vesting of 1,741 Rights under the MSP on 1 January 2015.

* In accordance with the rules of the BDP, the PSP and the MSP, upon vesting Ms Farrell may receive Rights to additional RT Shares equal to the value of dividends that would have been paid to her since the date of award, on the number of RT Shares allocated following the vesting of those Rights.

Direct or indirect interest	Direct
Nature of indirect interest (including registered holder) Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.	N/A
Date of change	N/A
No. of securities held prior to change	19,315 RT Shares
Class	RT Shares
Number acquired	N/A
Number disposed	N/A
Value/Consideration Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and estimated valuation	N/A
No. of securities held after change	19,315 RT Shares
Nature of change Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy-back	N/A

Direct or indirect interest	Indirect
Nature of indirect interest (including registered holder) Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.	Indirect interest in RT Shares acquired under myShare, the Rio Tinto Limited Global Employee Share Plan (“ <i>myShare</i> ”), held by Computershare Trustees (Jersey) Limited on behalf of Ms Farrell, and a conditional right to additional matching RT Shares (“ <i>Matching RT Share Rights</i> ”).
Date of change	N/A
No. of securities held prior to change	89 RT Shares 87 Matching RT Share Rights*
Class	RT Shares and Matching RT Share Rights
Number acquired	N/A

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Number disposed	N/A
Value/Consideration Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and estimated valuation	N/A
No. of securities held after change	89 RT Shares 87 Matching RT Share Rights
Nature of change Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy-back	N/A

* In accordance with the rules of myShare, upon vesting of the Matching Share Rights, Ms Farrell may receive additional Shares in lieu of dividends that would have been paid to her in the period from grant on the base number of shares being the subject of the Matching Share Rights that vest.

Direct or indirect interest	Direct
Nature of indirect interest (including registered holder) Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.	N/A
Date of change	No change
No. of securities held prior to change	8,090 Options to be granted RT Shares (" <i>Options</i> ") under the Rio Tinto Limited Share Option Plan 2004 as amended from time to time (" <i>SOP</i> ")
Class	Options granted under the SOP.
Number acquired	N/A
Number disposed	N/A
Value/Consideration Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and estimated valuation	N/A
No. of securities held after change	8,090 Options
Nature of change Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy-back	N/A

Part 2 – Change of director's interests in contracts

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (ii) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Detail of contract	N/A
Nature of interest	N/A
Name of registered holder (if issued securities)	N/A
Date of change	N/A
No. and class of securities to which interest related prior to change Note: Details are only required for a contract in relation to which the interest has changed	N/A
Interest acquired	N/A

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Interest disposed	N/A
Value/Consideration <small>Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and an estimated valuation</small>	N/A
Interest after change	N/A

Part 3 – +Closed period

Were the interests in the securities or contracts detailed above traded during a +closed period where prior written clearance was required?	No – Ms Farrell was not subject to any closed period that would have required her to obtain prior written clearance for the grant of securities the subject of this notice.
If so, was prior written clearance provided to allow the trade to proceed during this period?	N/A
If prior written clearance was provided, on what date was this provided?	N/A

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