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# **ASX ANNOUNCEMENT**

## FURTHER LITCC CONVERSIONS

LIT advises that it continues to receive conversion notices for its LITCC series. Holders of the Company's 5-cent contributing shares (now paid up to 2.1 cents (LITCC)) continue to contact the Company regarding conversion to fully paid LIT shares.

Should you wish to convert your LITCC to LIT shares instructions on how to do so can be found on the Company's website at <u>www.lithium-au.com</u> by clicking "LITCC" on the right hand side. Should you wish to exercise your options, please contact the Company.

## **Barry Woodhouse**

24 March 2016

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#### Notice under section 708A(5)(e) of the Corporations Act 2001

Lithium Australia NL (ASX: LIT) (**Company**) has issued and allotted 1,383,570 fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Company at an issue price as outlined in the attached Appendix 3B. Accordingly, the Company gives notice under section 708A(5)(e)(i) of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth) (**Act**) that:

- 1. the abovementioned shares were issued without disclosure to investors under Part 6D.2 of the Act;
- 2. as at the date of this notice the Company has complied with:
  - (i) the provisions of Chapter 2M of the Act as they apply to the Company; and
  - (ii) section 674 of the Act; and
- 3. as at the date of this notice there is no information to be disclosed which is "excluded information" as defined in subsection 708A(7) of the Act that is reasonable for investors and their professional advisers to find in a disclosure document.

### About Lithium Australia NL:

LIT is a dedicated developer of disruptive lithium extraction technologies. LIT has strategic alliances with a number of companies, potentially providing access to a diversified lithium mineral inventory on three continents.

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

Lithium Australia NL

#### ABN

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We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

## Part 1 - All issues

You must complete the relevant sections (attach sheets if there is not enough space).

1 +Class of +securities issued or to be issued Fully paid ordinary shares

- Number of <sup>+</sup>securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued
- Principal 3 terms of the +securities (e.g. if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid <sup>+</sup>securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if <sup>+</sup>convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)

Fully paid ordinary shares

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

4 Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the +issue date with an existing +class of quoted +securities?

If the additional <sup>+</sup>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
- 5 Issue price or consideration
- Purpose of the issue
   (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)
- 6a Is the entity an <sup>+</sup>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 resolution under rule 7.1A was passed
- 6c Number of +securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1

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2.9 cents per share

Yes

Issued upon conversion of LITCC partly paid shares to fully paid ordinary shares (LIT)

Yes

30 November 2015

- 6d Number of <sup>+</sup>securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A
- 6e Number of <sup>+</sup>securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)
- <sup>6f</sup> Number of <sup>+</sup>securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2
- 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.
- 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
- 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

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.

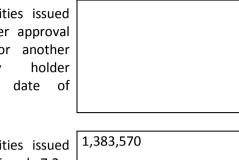
Cross reference: item 33 of Appendix 3B.

N/A

Rule 7.1 – 3,601,213

Rule 7.1A – nil

24 March 2016



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

| 8 | Number and <sup>+</sup> class of all              |
|---|---|
|   | +securities quoted on ASX                         |
|   | ( <i>including</i> the <sup>+</sup> securities in |
|   | section 2 if applicable)                          |

| Number      | <sup>+</sup> Class  |
|-------------|---|
| 208,877,016 | Fully paid ordinary shares                                |
| 11,637,729  | Partly paid shares, paid to<br>\$0.021 and unpaid \$0.029 |

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

|       | Number     | +Class  |
|-------|------------|---|
| <br>( | 14,700,000 | Partly paid contributing<br>shares paid to \$0.0001 each<br>(\$0.2499 unpaid) |
|       | 2,400,000  | \$0.10 options exercisable on<br>or before 1 July 2016                        |
|       | 8,200,000  | \$0.15 options exercisable on<br>or before 1 July 2019                        |
|       | 8,200,000  | \$0.20 options exercisable on or before 1 July 2019                           |
|       | 9,200,000  | \$0.30 options exercisable on or before 1 July 2019                           |
|       | 10,340,000 | Performance Rights as<br>approved by shareholders on<br>15 July 2015          |
|       | 3,000,000  | Performance Rights as<br>approved by shareholders on<br>30 November 2015      |

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

| a | N/A |
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## Part 2 - Pro rata issue

- 11 Is security holder approval required?
- 12 Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?
- 13 Ratio in which the +securities will be offered



+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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- 14 +Class of +securities to which the offer relates
- 15 +Record date to determine entitlements
- 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 offer documents

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
- 20 Names of any underwriters
- 21 Amount of any underwriting fee or commission
- 22 Names of any brokers to the issue
- 23 Fee or commission payable to 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

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| 26 | Date e      | ntitlen |    | and |       |
|----|-------------|---------|----|-----|-------|
|    | acceptance  | form    | a  | nd  | offer |
|    | documents   | will    | be | sen | t to  |
|    | persons ent | itled   |    |     |       |

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

- 28 Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)
- 29 Date rights trading will end (if applicable)
- 30 How do security holders sell their entitlements *in full* through a broker?
- 31 How do security holders sell *part* of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?
- 32 How do security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?

33 +Issue date

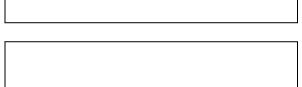
### Part 3 - Quotation of securities

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)  $\square$  All other +securities

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

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

## 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 +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 5,001 10,000 10,001 100,000 100,001 and over

A copy of any trust deed for the additional <sup>+</sup>securities

Entities that have ticked box 34(b)

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38 Number of +securities for which 1,383,570
 +quotation is sought

39 +Class of +securities for which quotation is sought

Fully paid ordinary shares

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

40 Do the +securities rank equally in A respects from the +issue date with an existing +class of quoted +securities?

If the additional <sup>+</sup>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 (if issued upon conversion of another <sup>+</sup>security, clearly identify that other <sup>+</sup>security)

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

| Number      | +Class   |
|-------------|--|
| 208,877,016 | LIT Fully paid ordinary shares                               |
| 11,637,729  | LITCC Partly paid shares, paid to \$0.021 and unpaid \$0.029 |

Issued upon conversion of LITCC partly paid shares to fully paid ordinary shares (LIT)

## **Quotation agreement**

- 1 \*Quotation of our additional \*securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the \*securities on any conditions it decides.
- 2 We warrant the following to ASX.
  - The issue of the <sup>+</sup>securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
  - There is no reason why those <sup>+</sup>securities should not be granted <sup>+</sup>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.
- 3 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.

Sign here: "Barry Woodhouse" Company Secretary Date: 24 March 2016

Print name: Barry Woodhouse

<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 exc   | eeding 15% of capital                      |
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| Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from   | which the placement capacity is calculated |
| <i>Insert</i> number of fully paid <sup>+</sup> ordinary securities on issue 12 months before the <sup>+</sup> issue date or date of agreement to issue   | 115,517,034                                |
| Add the following:  |  |
| <ul> <li>Number of fully paid <sup>+</sup>ordinary<br/>securities issued in that 12 month<br/>period under an exception in rule 7.2</li> </ul>  |  |
| <ul> <li>Number of fully paid <sup>+</sup>ordinary<br/>securities issued in that 12 month<br/>period with shareholder approval</li> </ul>   | 67,069,710                                 |
| <ul> <li>Number of partly paid <sup>+</sup>ordinary<br/>securities that became fully paid in<br/>that 12 month period</li> </ul>  | 26,290,272                                 |
| <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> |  |
| <i>Subtract</i> the number of fully paid<br><sup>+</sup> ordinary securities cancelled during that<br>12 month period   | Nil  |
| "A"   | 208,877,016                                |

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

| Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"  |   |
|---|---|
| "В"   | 0.15                                      |
|   | [Note: this value cannot be changed]      |
| <i>Multiply</i> "A" by 0.15   | 31,331,552                                |
| Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount of place<br>already been used   | ment capacity under rule 7.1 that has     |
| <i>Insert</i> number of <sup>+</sup> equity securities issued<br>or agreed to be issued in that 12 month<br>period <i>not counting</i> those issued:  | 27,730,339                                |
| • Under an exception in rule 7.2  |   |
| Under rule 7.1A   |   |
| • With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4  |   |
| <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"   | 27,730,339                                |
| Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x "B"] to cal<br>rule 7.1  | culate remaining placement capacity under |
| "A" x 0.15  | 31,331,552                                |
| Note: number must be same as shown in<br>Step 2   |   |
| Subtract "C"  | 27,730,339                                |
| Note: number must be same as shown in<br>Step 3   |   |
| <b>Total</b> ["A" x 0.15] – "C"   | 3.601.213                                 |

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

#### Part 2

| Rule 7.1A – Additional placement capacity for eligible entities  |  |  |  |
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| Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated   |  |  |  |
| "A"  | 179,318,251                                |  |  |
| Note: number must be same as shown in<br>Step 1 of Part 1  |  |  |  |
| Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"   |  |  |  |
| "D"  | 0.10<br>Note: this value cannot be changed |  |  |
| <i>Multiply</i> "A" by 0.10  | 17,931,825                                 |  |  |
| Step 3: Calculate "E", the amount of place already been used   | ment capacity under rule 7.1A that has     |  |  |
| <i>Insert</i> number of <sup>+</sup> equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A   | 17,931,825                                 |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Notes:</li> <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> |  |  |  |
| "E"  | 17,931,825                                 |  |  |

| Step 4: Subtract "E" from ["A" x "D"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A |   |  |  |
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| "A" x 0.10  | 17,931,825  |  |  |
| Note: number must be same as shown in<br>Step 2   |   |  |  |
| Subtract "E"  | 17,931,825  |  |  |
| Note: number must be same as shown in<br>Step 3   |   |  |  |
| <i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.10] – "E"   | Nil   |  |  |
|   | <i>Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A</i> |  |  |

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.