

## **2021 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

Dear Shareholder

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting (**Meeting**) of **Alto Metals Ltd** (ASX:AME) will be held as a physical meeting at:

The Board Room,
The Country Women's Association of WA,
1176 Hay Street, West Perth, WA 6005
on Friday 29 October 2021 at 11:30am (AWST)

The Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC) has recently released the ASIC Corporations (Extension of Time to Hold AGM) Instrument 2021/770 (Instrument) which extends the time for certain public companies to hold their annual general meetings to allow companies to plan and prepare for holding their AGMs in the context of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic restrictions on gathering and movement.

The Instrument complements the modifications to the Corporations Act 2001 made by Parliament in *Treasury Laws Amendment (2021 Measures No. 1) Act 2021*. These amendments came into effect on 14 August 2021 and allow meetings to be convened electronically and held using virtual meeting technology, and for notices of meeting to be sent to recipients by means of an electronic communication or access the document electronically.

As a result, Alto Metals is not sending hard copies of the AGM materials to shareholders. Instead, a copy of the notice of meeting is available on the Company's website at **www.altometals.com.au**.

If you have elected to receive notices by email, you will be notified by email. If you have not elected to receive notices by email, a copy of your proxy form will be posted to you, together with this letter.

Alto Metals will hold a physical meeting with the appropriate social gathering and physical distancing measures in place to comply with the Federal Government's and State Government's current restrictions on physical gatherings. However, in order to minimise the risk to shareholders and to Alto Metals and its ongoing operations, we strongly encourage Shareholders to vote by proxy instead of attending the meeting.

The situation regarding COVID-19 is evolving rapidly and Alto Metals is following the guidance of the Australian Government. Shareholders are encouraged to monitor Alto Metals' ASX announcements for any further updates in relation to the Meeting.

The notice of meeting and other documents are important and should be read in their entirety. If you do not understand them, you should consult your professional advisers without delay.

Yours sincerely

Matthew Bowles

**Managing Director** 

### **ALTO METALS LIMITED**

# ACN 159 819 173

# **NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**TIME**: 11:30am (WST)

**DATE**: Friday 29 October 2021

PLACE: The Board Room, The Country Women's Association of WA,

1176 Hay St, West Perth, WA 6005

This Notice of Annual General Meeting should be read in its entirety. If Shareholders are in doubt as to how they should vote, they should seek advice from their professional advisers prior to voting.

Should you wish to discuss the matters in this Notice of Annual General Meeting please do not hesitate to contact the Company Secretary on +61 8 9381 2808.

# ALTO METALS LIMITED ACN 159 819 173 NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of Alto Metals Limited ("Alto Metals" or "the Company") will be held as follows:

TIME:	11:30am (WST)
DATE:	29 October 2021
LOCATION:	The Board Room, The Country Women's Association of WA,
	1176 Hay St, West Perth, WA 6005, 6005

Words and phrases used in the Resolutions are defined in the section headed 'Definitions' of the accompanying Explanatory Memorandum and these words and phrases have the same meaning in this Notice of Annual General Meeting as defined in the Explanatory Memorandum.

#### **AGENDA**

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS**

#### **Financial Statements and Reports**

To receive and consider the annual financial report of the Company for the financial year ended 30 June 2021 including the declaration of the Directors, the Directors' report, the Remuneration Report and the auditor's report.

#### Resolution 1 - Adoption of Remuneration Report

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, the following resolution as a non-binding resolution:

"That, for the purpose of section 250R(2) of the Corporations Act, approval is given for the adoption of the Remuneration Report as contained in the Company's annual financial report for the financial year ended 30 June 2021."

Note: Pursuant to section 250R(3) of the Corporations Act, the vote on this Resolution is advisory only and does not bind the Directors or the Company.

#### **Voting Exclusion Statement**

A vote on this Resolution must not be cast (in any capacity) by or on behalf of any of the following persons:

- (a) a member of the Key Management Personnel, details of whose remuneration are included in the Remuneration Report; or
- (b) a Closely Related Party of such a member.

However, a person described above may vote on this Resolution if:

(a) the person is acting as proxy and the proxy form specifies how the proxy is to vote, and the vote is not cast behalf of a person who is otherwise excluded from voting on this Resolution as described in sub-paragraphs (a) (b) above; or

(b) the person is the chair of the Annual General Meeting voting an undirected proxy which expressly authorises the chair to vote the proxy on a resolution connected with the remuneration of a member of Key Management Personnel.

#### Resolution 2 – Re-election of Director – Terry Wheeler

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without amendment, the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of clause 7.3 of the Company's Constitution and Listing Rule 14.5 and for all other purposes, Terry Wheeler retires by rotation and, being eligible, offers himself for re-election, be re-elected as a Director of the Company."

#### Resolution 3 - Ratification of Issue of Shares

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without amendment, the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That, pursuant to and in accordance with Listing Rule 7.4 and for all other purposes, Shareholders ratify the prior issue of 540,515 Shares on the terms and conditions in the Explanatory Memorandum."

#### **Voting Exclusion**

The Company will disregard any votes cast in favour of this Resolution by or on behalf of any person who participated in the issue of the Shares or an associate of those persons.

However, this does not apply to a vote cast in favour of a resolution by:

- a person as proxy or attorney for a person who is entitled to vote on the resolution, in accordance with directions given to the proxy or attorney to vote on the resolution in that way; or
- the chair of the meeting as proxy or attorney for a person who is entitled to vote on the resolution, in accordance with a direction given to the chair to vote on the resolution as the chair decides; or
- a holder acting solely in a nominee, trustee, custodial or other fiduciary capacity on behalf of a beneficiary provided the following conditions are met:
  - the beneficiary provides written confirmation to the holder that the beneficiary is not excluded from voting, and is not an associate of a person excluded from voting, on the resolution; and
  - the holder votes on the resolution in accordance with directions given by the beneficiary to the holder to vote in that way.

#### Resolution 4 – Approval of 10% Placement Capacity

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as a **special resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.1A and for all other purposes, approval is given for the Company to issue up to that number of Equity Securities equal to 10% of the issued capital of the Company at the time of issue, calculated in accordance with the formula prescribed in ASX Listing Rule 7.1A.2 and otherwise on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Memorandum."

#### **EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

Shareholders are referred to the Explanatory Memorandum accompanying and forming part of this Notice of Annual General Meeting for further explanation of the Resolutions.

#### **PROXIES**

Members are encouraged to attend the meeting, but if you are unable to attend the meeting, we encourage you to complete and return the enclosed Proxy Form.

In accordance with section 249L of the Corporations Act, Shareholders are advised that:

- each Shareholder has the right to appoint a proxy;
- the proxy need not be a Shareholder of the Company; and
- a Shareholder who is entitled to cast two or more votes may appoint two proxies and may specify the proportion or number of votes each proxy is appointed to exercise.

To vote by proxy, please complete and sign the enclosed Proxy Form and return by:

- Mail to: Automic C/- GPO Box 5193, Sydney NSW 2001
- By hand to: Automic C/- Level 5, 126 Phillip Street, Sydney NSW 2000

To be effective, a Proxy Form and, if the Proxy Form is signed by the Shareholder's attorney, the authority under which the appointment is signed (or a certified copy of that authority) must be received by the Company not later than 48 hours before the time specified for the commencement of the Annual General Meeting.

#### **CORPORATE REPRESENTATIVES**

A body corporate that is a Shareholder, or which has been appointed as proxy, may appoint an individual to act as its representative at the Annual General Meeting. The appointment must comply with the requirements of section 250D of the Corporations Act. The representative should bring to the meeting evidence of his or her appointment, including any authority under which it is signed, unless it has previously been given to the Company.

#### DATE FOR DETERMINING HOLDERS OF SHARES

In accordance with Regulation 7.11.37 of the *Corporations Regulations 2001* (Cth), the Directors have set a date to determine the identity of those entitled to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting. For the purposes of determining voting entitlements at the Annual General Meeting, Shares will be taken to be held by the persons who are registered as holding at 4:00pm (WST) on 27 October 2021. Accordingly, transactions registered after that time will be disregarded in determining entitlements to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting.

Dated 29 September 2021

By order of the Board

Graeme Smith Company Secretary

# ALTO METALS LIMITED ACN 159 819 173

#### **EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM TO SHAREHOLDERS**

#### 1. ACTION TO BE TAKEN BY SHAREHOLDERS

This Explanatory Memorandum sets out information about the Resolutions to be considered by the Shareholders at the Annual General Meeting. Defined terms used in this Explanatory Memorandum are set out in the section headed 'Definitions' in the Explanatory Memorandum. Accompanying this Explanatory Memorandum is the Notice of Annual General Meeting convening the Annual General Meeting and a Proxy Form.

Shareholders are encouraged to attend and vote on the Resolutions to be put to the Annual General Meeting. If a Shareholder is not able to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting, the Shareholder may complete the Proxy Form and return it no later than 48 hours before the time specified for the commencement of the Annual General Meeting.

#### 2. ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORTS

The Corporations Act requires the Company's financial statements and reports of the Directors and of the auditor for the year ended 30 June 2021 to be laid before the Annual General Meeting. The financial statements and the reports of the Directors and of the auditor are contained in the Company's 2021 Annual Report, a copy of which is available on the Company's website at www.altometals.com.au.

Whilst no Resolution is required in relation to this item, Shareholders should consider the documents and raise any matters of interest with the Directors when this item is being considered.

A representative from the Company's auditors will be invited to the meeting and Shareholders will have an opportunity to ask the auditor questions in relation to the conduct of the audit, the auditor's report, the Company's accounting policies and the independence of the auditor.

#### 3. RESOLUTION 1 – ADOPTION OF REMUNERATION REPORT

The Remuneration Report is required to be considered for adoption in accordance with section 250R of the Corporations Act. The Remuneration Report sets out the Company's remuneration arrangements for the Directors and senior management of the Company. The Remuneration Report is part of the Directors' Report contained in the annual financial report of the Company for the financial year ending 30 June 2021.

A reasonable opportunity will be given for the discussion of the Remuneration Report at the Annual General Meeting. Shareholders should note that the vote on this Resolution is advisory only and does not bind the Company or the Directors.

The Chair intends to exercise all undirected proxies in favour of Resolution 1. If the Chair of the Annual General Meeting is appointed as your proxy and you have not specified the way the Chair is to vote on Resolution 1, by signing and returning the Proxy Form, the Shareholder is considered to have provided the Chair with an express authorisation for the Chair to vote the proxy in accordance with the Chair's intention.

#### 4. RESOLUTION 2 – RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTOR – MR TERRY WHEELER

Clause 7.3 of the Constitution requires that at the Company's annual general meeting in every year, one-third of the Directors, except the Managing Director, must retire from office provided that no Director may hold office without re-election past the third AGM following the Director's appointment or 3 years, whichever is longer. The Directors to retire at an annual general meeting are those who have been longest in office since their last appointment, but, as between persons who became Directors on the same day, those to retire shall (unless they otherwise agreed amongst themselves) be determined by drawing lots. A Director who retires by rotation under clause 7.3 of the Constitution is eligible for re-election.

ASX Listing Rule 14.5 also provides that directors must hold an election of directors at each annual general meeting.

In accordance with clause 7.3 of the Constitution and ASX Listing Rule 14.5, Mr Wheeler is required to retire and being eligible for election, offers himself for re-election.

Mr Wheeler established Genalysis Laboratory Services in 1975 and grew the company into one of the largest and most successful analytical companies in the southern hemisphere with over 300 technical staff. In 2007, Genalysis Laboratory Services was purchased by Intertek Group plc.

Mr Wheeler is a Fellow of the Royal Australian Chemical Institute, a Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy Inc., a Member of the Association of Exploration Geochemists, and an Associate Member of the International Association of Geoanalysts.

Mr Wheeler is considered by the Board to be an independent Director.

#### **Directors recommendation**

The Board (other than Mr Wheeler) unanimously supports the re-election of Mr Wheeler.

#### 5. RESOLUTIONS 3 – RATIFICATION OF ISSUE OF SHARES

#### 5.1 General

On 8 February 2021 the Company announced it had acquired a granted tenement south-east of its Sandstone Gold project from Gateway Mining Limited (**Gateway**), through the issue of \$50,000 worth of shares in the Company (**Shares**).

On 15 February 2021 Alto issued 540,515 fully paid ordinary shares to Gateway

The Shares were issued utilising the Company's existing placement capacities under Listing Rules 7.1.

Resolution 3 seeks Shareholder ratification pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.4 for the issue of the 540,515 Shares issued on 15 February 2021 at a deemed issue price of \$0.093 per Share under ASX Listing Rule 7.1.

#### 5.2 ASX Listing Rule 7.1

ASX Listing Rule 7.1 provides that a company must not, subject to specified exceptions, issue or agree to issue more equity securities during any 12 month period than that amount which represents 15% of the number of fully paid ordinary securities on issue at the commencement of that 12 month period.

ASX Listing Rule 7.4 sets out an exception to ASX Listing Rule 7.1. It provides that where a company in general meeting ratifies the previous issue of securities made pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.1 (and provided that the previous issue did not breach ASX Listing Rule 7.1) those securities will be deemed to have been made with shareholder approval for the purpose of ASX Listing Rule 7.1.

By ratifying this issue the subject of Resolution 3, the Company will retain the flexibility to issue equity securities in the future up to the 15% annual placement capacity set out in ASX Listing Rule 7.1 without the requirement to obtain prior Shareholder approval. The Company confirms that the issue and allotment of the Shares, the subject of Resolution 3 did not breach ASX Listing Rule 7.1.

If Resolution 3 is not passed the issue of the Shares is still valid however it will reduce, to that extent, the Company's capacity to issue equity securities without shareholder approval under Listing Rule 7.1 for 12 months following the issue.

#### 5.4 Information required by Listing Rule 7.5

The following information is provided to Shareholders for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.5:

- (a) a total of 540,515 Shares were allotted and issued by the Company;
- (b) the deemed issue price was \$0.093 per Share;
- (c) the Shares allotted were fully paid ordinary shares which rank equally with all other fully paid ordinary Shares on issue;
- (d) the Shares were issued to Gateway Mining Limited which is not a related party of the Company;
- (e) no funds were raised from the issue of the Shares; and
- (f) a voting exclusion statement is included in the Notice.

#### **Directors' Recommendation**

The Directors of the Company believe that Resolution 3 is in the best interests of the Company and unanimously recommend that Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 3.

#### 6. RESOLUTION 4 – APPROVAL OF 10% PLACEMENT CAPACITY

#### 6.1 General

Broadly speaking, and subject to a number of exceptions, Listing Rule 7.1 limits the amount of equity securities that a listed company can issue without the approval of its shareholders over any 12 month period to 15% of the fully paid ordinary securities it had on issue at the start of that period.

Listing Rule 7.1A enables eligible entities to issue Equity Securities up to 10% of its issued share capital through placements over a 12-month period after the annual general meeting at which a resolution for the purpose of Listing Rules 7.1A is passed by special resolution (10% Placement Facility). The 10% Placement Facility is in addition to the Company's 15% placement capacity under Listing Rule 7.1.

An eligible entity for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.1A is an entity that is not included in the S&P/ASX 300 Index and has a market capitalisation of \$300 million or less. The Company is an eligible entity.

The Company is now seeking shareholder approval by way of a special resolution to have the ability to issue Equity Securities under the 10% Placement Facility provided for in Listing Rule 7.1A to issue equity securities without shareholder approval.

The exact number of Equity Securities to be issued under the 10% Placement Facility will be determined in accordance with the formula prescribed in Listing Rule 7.1A.2.

The Company may use the 10% Placement Facility to continue its exploration activities at the Sandstone Gold Project, Western Australia and/or to acquire new resource assets or investments.

#### 6.2 Description of Listing Rule 7.1A

#### Shareholder approval

The ability to issue Equity Securities under the 10% Placement Facility is subject to shareholder approval by way of a special resolution at an annual general meeting.

#### **Equity Securities**

Any Equity Securities issued under the 10% Placement Facility must be in the same class as an existing quoted class of Equity Securities of the Company.

The Company, as at the date of the Notice, has on issue one class of quoted Equity Securities being Ordinary Shares.

#### Listing Rule 7.1 and Listing Rule 7.1A

The ability of an entity to issue Equity Securities under Listing Rule 7.1A is in addition to the entity's 15% placement capacity under Listing Rule 7.1.

At the date of this Notice, the Company has on issue 450,259,736 Shares.

Subject to the approval of Resolution 3, the Company will be able to issue a total of:

- (i) 67,538,960 Equity Securities under Listing Rule 7.1; and
- (ii) 45,025,973 quoted Equity Securities under Listing Rule 7.1A.

The actual number of Equity Securities that the Company will have capacity to issue under Listing Rule 7.1A will be calculated at the date of issue of the Equity Securities in accordance with the formula prescribed in Listing Rule 7.1A.2. That formula is:

$$(A \times D) - E$$

- A is number of fully paid ordinary securities on issue at the commencement of the relevant period,
  - plus the number of fully paid ordinary securities issued in the relevant period under an exception in rule 7.2 other than exception 9, 16 or 17,
  - plus the number of fully paid ordinary securities issued in the relevant period on the +conversion of convertible securities within rule 7.2 exception 9 where:
    - the convertible securities were issued or agreed to be issued before the commencement of the relevant period; or
    - the issue of, or agreement to issue, the convertible securities was approved, or taken under these rules to have been approved, under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4,
  - plus the number of fully paid ordinary securities issued in the relevant period under an agreement to issue securities within rule 7.2 exception 16 where:

- the agreement was entered into before the commencement of the relevant period; or
- the agreement or issue was approved, or taken under these rules to have been approved, under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4,
- plus the number of any other fully paid ordinary securities issued in the relevant period with approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4,

Note: This may include fully paid ordinary securities issued in the relevant period under an agreement to issue securities within rule 7.2 exception 17 where the issue is subsequently approved under rule 7.1.

- plus the number of partly paid ordinary securities that became fully paid in the relevant period,
- less the number of fully paid ordinary securities cancelled in the relevant period.

Note that 'A' is has the same meaning in Listing Rule 7.1 when calculating an entity's 15% placement capacity.

- D is 10%
- E is the number of Equity Securities issued or agreed to be issued under Listing Rule 7.1A.2 in the relevant period where the issue or agreement has not been subsequently approved by the holders of its ordinary securities under rule 7.4; and

"relevant period" has the same meaning as in rule 7.1

#### 10% Placement Period

Shareholder approval of the 10% Placement Facility under Listing Rule 7.1A is valid from the date of the annual general meeting at which the approval is obtained and expires on the earlier to occur of:

- (i) the date that is 12 months after the date of the annual general meeting at which the approval is obtained;
- (ii) the time and date of the entity's next annual general meeting; or
- (iii) the time and date of the approval by Shareholders of a transaction under Listing Rules 11.1.2 (a significant change to the nature or scale of activities) or 11.2 (disposal of main undertaking) (10% Placement Period).

#### Listing Rule 7.1A

The effect of Resolution 4 will be to allow the Directors to issue the Equity Securities under Listing Rule 7.1A during the 10% Placement Period without using the Company's 15% placement capacity under Listing Rule 7.1.

Resolution 4 is a special resolution and therefore requires approval of 75% of the votes cast by Shareholders present and eligible to vote (in person, by proxy, by attorney or, in the case of a corporate Shareholder, by a corporate representative).

If Resolution 4 is not passed, the Company will not be able to access the additional 10% capacity to issue equity securities to issue equity securities without shareholder approval provided for in Listing Rule 7.1A and will remain subject to the 15% limit on issuing equity securities without shareholder approval set out in Listing Rule 7.1.

#### 6.3 Specific information required by Listing Rule 7.3A

Pursuant to and in accordance with Listing Rule 7.3A, information is provided in relation to the approval of the 10% Placement Facility as follows:

- (i) Equity Securities will be issued at an issue price of not less than 75% of the VWAP for the Company's Equity Securities over the 15 Trading Days immediately before:
  - (a) the date on which the price at which the Equity Securities are to be issued is agreed by the entity and the recipient of the securities; or
  - (b) if the Equity Securities are not issued within 10 Trading Days of the date in paragraph (a) above, the date on which the Equity Securities are issued.
- (ii) If Resolution 4 is approved by Shareholders and the Company issues Equity Securities under the 10% Placement Facility, the existing Shareholders' voting power in the Company will be diluted as shown in the below table. There is a risk that:
  - (a) the market price for the Company's Equity Securities may be significantly lower on the date of the issue of the Equity Securities than on the date of the Meeting; and
  - (b) the Equity Securities may be issued at a price that is at a discount to the market price for the Company's Equity Securities on the issue date, which may have an effect on the amount of funds raised by the issue of the Equity Securities.

(iii) The below table shows the dilution of existing Shareholders on the basis of the current market price of Shares and the current number of ordinary securities for variable "A" calculated in accordance with the formula in Listing Rule 7.1A.2 as at the date of this Notice.

The table also shows:

- (a) two examples where variable "A" has increased, by 50% and 100%. Variable "A" is based on the number of ordinary securities the Company has on issue. The number of ordinary securities on issue may increase as a result of issues of ordinary securities that do not require Shareholder approval (for example, a pro rata entitlements issue or scrip issued under a takeover offer) or future specific placements under Listing Rule 7.1 that are approved at a future Shareholders' meeting; and
- (b) two examples of where the issue price of ordinary securities has decreased by 50% and increased by 50% as against the current market price.

Variable "A" in Listing		Dilution			
Rule 7.1A.2		\$0.0395	\$0.079	\$0.158	
		50% decrease in Issue Price	Issue Price/Current Market Price	100% increase in Issue Price	
Current	Number of shares	45,025,973	45,025,973	45,025,973	
450,259,736 Shares	Funds raised	\$1,778,526	\$3,557,052	\$7,114,104	
50% increase	Number of shares	67,538,960	67,538,960	67,538,960	
675,398,604 Shares	Funds raised	\$2,667,789	\$5,335,578	\$10,671,156	
100% increase	Number of shares	90,051,947	90,051,947	90,051,947	
900,519,472 Shares	Funds raised	\$3,557,052	\$7,114,104	\$14,228,208	

The table has been prepared on the following assumptions:

- (i) The Company issues the maximum number of Equity Securities available under the 10% Placement Facility.
- (ii) No convertible securities (including any convertible securities issued under the 10% Placement Facility) are exercised into Shares before the date of the issue of the Equity Securities;
- (iii) The 10% voting dilution reflects the aggregate percentage dilution against the issued share capital at the time of issue. This is why the voting dilution is shown in each example as 10%.
- (iv) Resolution 3 is passed and variable "A" in Listing Rule 7.1A.2 is 450,259,736.
- (v) The table does not show an example of dilution that may be caused to a particular Shareholder by reason of placements under the 10% Placement Facility, based on that Shareholder's holding at the date of the Meeting.
- (vi) The table shows only the effect of issues of Equity Securities under Listing Rule 7.1A, not under the 15% placement capacity under Listing Rule 7.1.
- (vii) The issue of Equity Securities under the 10% Placement Facility consists only of Shares. If the issue of Equity Securities includes convertible securities, it is assumed that those convertible securities are exercised into Shares for the purpose of calculating the voting dilution effect on existing Shareholders.
- (viii) The issue price is \$0.079, being the closing price of the Shares on ASX on 21 September 2021.
- (iv) The Company will only issue and allot the Equity Securities during the 10% Placement Period.
- (v) The Company will only issue the Equity Securities for cash consideration. In such circumstances, the Company intends to use the funds raised towards continued exploration activities at the Sandstone Gold Project, Western Australia, the acquisition of new assets or investments (including expense associated with such acquisitions), feasibility study expenditure on the Company's current assets and/or general working capital.
- (vi) The Company will comply with the disclosure obligations under Listing Rules 7.1A(4) and 3.10.5A upon issue of any Equity Securities.
- (vii) The Company's allocation policy is dependent on the prevailing market conditions at the time of any proposed issue pursuant to the 10% Placement Facility. The identity of the allottees of Equity Securities will be determined on a case-by-case basis having regard to the factors including but not limited to the following:
  - the methods of raising funds that are available to the Company, including but not limited to, rights issue or other issue in which existing security holders can participate;

- the effect of the issue of the Equity Securities on the control of the Company;
- the financial situation and solvency of the Company; and
- advice from corporate, financial and broking advisers (if applicable).

The allottees under the 10% Placement Facility have not been determined as at the date of this Notice but may include existing substantial Shareholders and/or new Shareholders who are not related parties or associates of a related party of the Company.

- (viii)The Company previously obtained approval under ASX Listing Rule 7.1A at its last annual general meeting on 25 November 2020. No securities have been issued under LR 7.1A since approval was previously received.
- (ix) A voting exclusion statement is not included in the Notice. At the date of the Notice, the Company has not approached any particular existing Shareholder or security holder or an identifiable class of existing security holder to participate in the issue of the Equity Securities. No existing Shareholder's votes will therefore be excluded under the voting exclusion in the Notice.

#### 6.4 Directors' Recommendation

The Directors unanimously recommend Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 4.

#### **DEFINITIONS**

In this Explanatory Memorandum:

10% Placement Facility has the meaning set out in section 6.1.

10% Placement Period has the meaning set out in section 6.2.

**Annual General Meeting** means the meeting of the Shareholders convened for the purposes of considering the Resolutions contained in the Notice of Annual General Meeting.

ASX means the Australian Securities Exchange or ASX Limited (ABN 98 008 624 691), as the context requires.

**Board** means the Board of Directors of the Company.

Closely Related Party of a member of the Key Management Personnel means:

- (a) a spouse or child of the member;
- (b) a child of the member's spouse;
- (c) a dependent of the member or the member's spouse;
- (d) anyone else who is one of the member's family and may be expected to influence the member, or be influenced by the member, in the member's dealing with the entity;
- (e) a company the member controls; or
- (f) a person prescribed by the Corporations Regulations 2001 (Cth).

Company means Alto Metals Limited, ACN 159 819 173.

**Corporations Act** means the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth).

**Director** means a director of the Company.

**Equity Securities** has the same meaning as in the Listing Rules.

Explanatory Memorandum means the Explanatory Memorandum accompanying the Notice of Annual General Meeting.

**Key Management Personnel** has the same meaning as in the accounting standards and broadly includes those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company, directly or indirectly, including any Director (whether executive or otherwise) of the Company.

Listing Rules means the listing rules of the ASX.

**Notice of Annual General Meeting or Notice** means the notice convening the Annual General Meeting accompanying this Explanatory Memorandum.

Proxy Form means the form of proxy accompanying this Notice of Annual General Meeting.

**Remuneration Report** means the remuneration report set out in the Directors' report section of the Company's annual financial report for the year ended 30 June 2021.

**Resolution** means a resolution proposed to be passed at the Annual General Meeting and contained in the Notice of Annual General Meeting.

Section means a section of the Notice of Annual General Meeting.

**Share** means a fully paid ordinary share in the capital of the Company.

**Shareholder** means a person entered in the Company's register as a holder of a Share.

WST means Western Standard Time.



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# Proxy Voting Form

If you are attending the meeting in person, please bring this with you for Securityholder registration.

Holder Number:

Your proxy voting instruction must be received by 11:30am (WST) on Wednesday 27 October 2021, being not later than 48 hours before the commencement of the Meeting. Any Proxy Voting instructions received after that time will not be valid for the scheduled Meeting.

#### SUBMIT YOUR PROXY VOTE ONLINE

# Vote online at https://investor.automic.com.au/#/loginsah

Login & Click on 'Meetings'. Use the Holder Number as shown at the top of this Proxy Voting form.

- ✓ Save Money: help minimise unnecessary print and mail costs for the Company.
- ✓ It's Quick and Secure: provides you with greater privacy, eliminates any postal delays and the risk of potentially getting lost
- ✓ Receive Vote Confirmation: instant confirmation that your vote has been processed. It also allows you to amend your vote i



#### SUBMIT YOUR PROXY VOTE BY PAPER

Complete the form overleaf in accordance with the instructions set out below.

#### YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS

The name and address shown above is as it appears on the Company's share register. If this information is incorrect, and you have an Issuer Sponsored holding, you can update your address through the investor portal: https://investor.automic.com.au/#/home Shareholders sponsored by a broker should advise their broker of any changes.

#### STEP 1 - APPOINT A PROXY

If you wish to appoint someone other than the Chair of the Meeting as your proxy, please write the name of that Individual or body corporate. A proxy need not be a Shareholder of the Company. Otherwise if you leave this box blank, the Chair of the Meeting will be appointed as your proxy by default.

#### DEFAULT TO THE CHAIR OF THE MEETING

Any directed proxies that are not voted on a poll at the Meeting will default to the Chair of the Meeting, who is required to vote these proxies as directed. Any undirected proxies that default to the Chair of the Meeting will be voted according to the instructions set out in this Proxy Voting Form, including where the Resolutions are connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of KMP.

#### STEP 2 - VOTES ON ITEMS OF BUSINESS

You may direct your proxy how to vote by marking one of the boxes opposite each item of business. All your shares will be voted in accordance with such a direction unless you indicate only a portion of voting rights are to be voted on any item by inserting the percentage or number of shares you wish to vote in the appropriate box or boxes. If you do not mark any of the boxes on the items of business, your proxy may vote as he or she chooses. If you mark more than one box on an item your vote on that item will be invalid.

#### APPOINTMENT OF SECOND PROXY

You may appoint up to two proxies. If you appoint two proxies, you should complete two separate Proxy Voting Forms and specify the percentage or number each proxy may exercise. If you do not specify a percentage or number, each proxy may exercise half the votes. You must return both Proxy Voting Forms together. If you require an additional Proxy Voting Form, contact Automic Registry Services.

#### SIGNING INSTRUCTIONS

Individual: Where the holding is in one name, the Shareholder must sign.

Joint holding: Where the holding is in more than one name, all Shareholders should sign.

Power of attorney: If you have not already lodged the power of attorney with the registry, please attach a certified photocopy of the power of attorney to this Proxy Voting Form when you return it.

Companies: To be signed in accordance with your Constitution. Please sign in the appropriate box which indicates the office held by you.

Email Address: Please provide your email address in the space provided.

By providing your email address, you elect to receive all communications despatched by the Company electronically (where legally permissible) such as a Notice of Meeting, Proxy Voting Form and Annual Report via email.

#### CORPORATE REPRESENTATIVES

If a representative of the corporation is to attend the Meeting the appropriate 'Appointment of Corporate Representative' should be produced prior to admission. A form may be obtained from the Company's share registry online at https://automic.com.au.

STEP 1: Appoint Your Proxy

# Return your completed form

BY MAIL IN PERSON Automic Automic

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your proxy, please write or failing the person so	N
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Complete and return this form as instructed only if you do not vote online

I/We being a Shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting of Alto Metals Limited (WST) on Friday 29 October 2021 at The Country Women's Association of WA, 1176 Hay St, West Perth, WA

Appoint the Chairman of the Meeting (Chair) OR if you are not appointing the Chairman of the Meeting as y in the box provided below the name of the person or body corporate you are appointing as your proxy named or, if no person is named, the Chair, or the Chair's nominee, to vote in accordance with the follow directions have been given, and subject to the relevant laws as the proxy sees fit and at any adjournment tl

The Chair intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of all Resolutions in which the Chair is entitled to vote.

Unless indicated otherwise by ticking the "for"," against" or "abstain" box you will be authorising the Chair to vote in accordance with the Chair's voting intention.

#### AUTHORITY FOR CHAIR TO VOTE UNDIRECTED PROXIES ON REMUNERATION RELATED RESOLUTIONS

Where I/we have appointed the Chair as mu/our proxy (or where the Chair becomes my/our proxy by default), I/we expressly authorise the Chair to exercise my/our proxy on Resolution 1 (except where I/we have indicated a different voting intention below) even though Resolution 1 is connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of a member of the Key Management Personnel, which includes the Chair.

	Resol	utions	For	Against	Abstain		
Direction	1.	Adoption of Remuneration Report					
	2.	Re-election of Director — Terry Wheeler					
our Voting	3.	Ratification of Issue of Shares					
<b>&gt;</b>	4.	Approval of 10% Placement Capacity					
STEP 2:		<b>Please note:</b> If you mark the abstain box for a particular Resolution, you are directing your proxy not to vote on that Resolution on a show of hands or on a poll and your votes will not be counted in computing the required majority on a poll.					

SIGNATURE OF SECURITYHOLDERS – THIS MUST BE COMPLETED					
Individual or Securityholder 1	Securityholder 2	Securityholder 3			
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Sole Director and Sole Company Secretary	Director	Director / Company Secretary			
Contact Name:					
Email Address:					
Contact Daytime Telephone	[	Date (DD/MM/YY)			
By providing your email address, you elect to receipermissible).	ve all of your communications despatched by	the Company electronically (where legally			

STEP 3: Sign Here + Contact Details