

E2 METALS LIMITED ACN 116 865 546

Notice of Annual General Meeting

Explanatory Statement and Proxy Form

Date of Meeting: Wednesday, 20 November 2019

Time of Meeting: 10.00am (AEDT)

Place of Meeting: William Buck, Level 20, 181 William Street, Melbourne, VIC 3000, Australia

> This Notice of Annual General Meeting and Explanatory Statement should be read in its entirety. If Shareholders are in doubt as to how they should vote, they should seek advice from their accountant, solicitor or other professional advisor without delay.

E2 METALS LIMITED

ACN 116 865 546

Registered office: Level 4, 100 Albert Road, South Melbourne, VIC 3205

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of E2 Metals Limited (Company) will be held at the offices of William Buck, Level 20, 181 William Street, Melbourne, Victoria 3000 at 10.00am (AEDT) on Wednesday, 20 November 2019 (Annual General Meeting or Meeting).

AGENDA

The Explanatory Statement and Proxy Form which accompany and form part of this Notice, includes defined terms and describe in more detail the matters to be considered. Please consider this Notice, the Explanatory Statement and the Proxy Form in their entirety.

ORDINARY BUSINESS

Receipt and Consideration of Accounts & Reports

To receive and consider the financial report of the Company and the related reports of the Directors and auditors for the year ended 30 June 2019.

There is no requirement for Shareholders to approve these reports. Accordingly, no Resolution will be put to Shareholders on this item of business.

Resolution 1: Adoption of Remuneration Report

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That for the purpose of section 250R(2) of the Corporations Act 2001 and for all other purposes, the Remuneration Report (included in the Directors' report) for the financial year ended 30 June 2019 be adopted."

Resolution 2: Election of Mr Alastair Morrison as a Director of the Company

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That Mr Alastair Morrison, having been appointed as a Director during the year, retires as a Director and being eligible for election, be elected as a Director of the Company."

Resolution 3: Re-election of Ms Melanie Leydin as a Director of the Company

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That Ms Melanie Leydin, being a Director who retires by rotation pursuant to the Constitution of the Company and being eligible, offers herself for re-election, be re-elected as a Director of the Company."

Resolution 4: Ratification of Prior Issue of Options

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That, for the purpose of ASX Listing Rule 7.4 and for all other purposes, shareholders approve, ratify and confirm the issue of 1,000,000 unlisted options made on 22 March 2019 to eligible employees as described in the Explanatory Statement which accompanies and forms part of this Notice."

Resolution 5: Ratification of Prior Issue of Shares

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That, for the purpose of ASX Listing Rule 7.4 and for all other purposes, shareholders approve, ratify and confirm the issue of 15,479,358 fully paid ordinary shares on 14 June 2019 and 19 June 2019 at an issue price of \$0.1550 (15.50 cents) per share to institutional and sophisticated investors as described in the Explanatory Statement which accompanies and forms part of this Notice."

Resolution 6: Adoption of Employee Share Plan

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That for the purposes of ASX Listing Rule 7.2 exception 9(b) and for all other purposes, approval is given to the issue of securities and the implementation of an Employee Incentive Plan as an exception to ASX Listing Rule 7.1 on the terms and conditions as described in the Explanatory Statement which accompanies and forms part of this Notice."

SPECIAL BUSINESS

Resolution 7: Approval of 10% Placement Facility

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

"That, pursuant to and in accordance with Listing Rule 7.1A and for all other purposes, Shareholders approve the issue of Equity Securities up to 10% of the issued capital of the Company (at the time of the issue) calculated in accordance with the formula prescribed in Listing Rule 7.1A.2 and on the terms and conditions in the Explanatory Statement."

By order of the Board

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Melanie Leydin Company Secretary 1 October 2019

Notes

- 1. Entire Notice: The details of the resolution contained in the Explanatory Notes accompanying this Notice of Meeting should be read together with, and form part of, this Notice of Meeting.
- 2. Record Date: The Company has determined that for the purposes of the Annual General Meeting, shares will be taken to be held by the persons who are registered as holding the shares at 7.00pm on the date 48 hours before the date of the Annual General Meeting. Only those persons will be entitled to vote at the Annual General Meeting and transfers registered after that time will be disregarded in determining entitlements to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting.

3. Proxies

- a. Votes at the Annual General Meeting may be given personally or by proxy, attorney or representative.
- b. Each shareholder has a right to appoint one or two proxies.
- c. A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company.
- d. If a shareholder is a company it must execute under its common seal or otherwise in accordance with its Constitution or the Corporations Act.
- e. Where a shareholder is entitled to cast two or more votes, the shareholder may appoint two proxies and may specify the proportion of number of votes each proxy is appointed to exercise.
- f. If a shareholder appoints two proxies, and the appointment does not specify the proportion or number of the shareholder's votes, each proxy may exercise half of the votes. If a shareholder appoints two proxies, neither proxy may vote on a show of hands.
- g. A proxy must be signed by the shareholder or his or her attorney who has not received any notice of revocation of the authority. Proxies given by corporations must be signed in accordance with corporation's constitution and Corporations Act.
- h. To be effective, proxy forms must be received by the Company's share registry (Link Market Services Limited) no later than 48 hours before the commencement of the Annual General Meeting, this is no later than 10.00am (AEDT) on Monday, 18 November 2019. Any proxy received after that time will not be valid for the scheduled meeting.

4. Corporate Representative

Any corporate shareholder who has appointed a person to act as its corporate representative at the Meeting should provide that person with a certificate or letter executed in accordance with the Corporations Act authorising him or her to act as that company's representative. The authority may be sent to the Company and/or registry in advance of the Meeting or handed in at the Meeting when registering as a corporate representative.

5. Voting Exclusion Statement:

Resolution 1

The Company will disregard any votes cast in favour on this resolution (in any capacity) by or on behalf of a member of the Key Management Personnel (being those persons described as such in the Remuneration Report) or a closely related party of such a member unless the vote cast as proxy for a person entitled to vote:

- in accordance with a direction on the Proxy Form; or
- by the Chairman of the meeting as proxy for a person entitled to vote and the Chairman has received express authority to vote undirected proxies as the Chairman sees fit.

Accordingly, if you intend to appoint a member of Key Management Personnel as your proxy, please ensure that you direct them how to vote. If you intend to appoint the Chairman of the meeting as your proxy, you can direct him to vote by marking the box for Resolution 1. By marking the Chairman's box on the proxy form, you acknowledge that the Chairman of the meeting will vote in favour of this item of business as your proxy.

Resolutions 2 and 3

There are no voting exclusions on these Resolutions.

Resolutions 4 and 5

The Company will disregard any votes cast in favour on Resolutions 4 and 5 by or on behalf of any person who participated in the relevant issue and any associates of those persons.

However, the Company need not disregard a vote if it is cast:

- by a person as a proxy for a person who is entitled to vote, in accordance with the directors on the proxy form; or
- by the person chairing the meeting as proxy for a person who is entitled to vote, in accordance with a direction on the proxy form to vote as the proxy decides.

Resolution 6

The Company will disregard any votes cast in favour on Resolution 6 by any Director (other than a Director who is ineligible to participate in any employee incentive scheme in relation to the Company) and any of their associates.

However, the Company need not disregard a vote on this Resolution if:

- it is cast by a person as proxy for a person who is entitled to vote, in accordance with the directions on the proxy form; or
- it is cast by the person chairing the meeting as proxy for a person who is entitled to vote, in accordance with the direction on the proxy form to vote as the proxy decides.

Resolution 7

The Company will disregard any votes cast in favour of Resolution 7 by any person who is expected to participate in the proposed issue or any person who will obtain a material benefit, except a benefit solely in the capacity of a holder of ordinary shares, and any associate of such person.

However, the Company need not disregard a vote on this Resolution if:

- it is cast by a person as a proxy for a person who is entitled to vote, in accordance with the directions on the Proxy Form; or
- it is cast by the person chairing the Meeting as proxy for a person who is entitled to vote in accordance with a direction on the Proxy Form to vote as the proxy decides.

6. Enquiries

Shareholders are invited to contact the Company Secretary, Melanie Leydin on (03) 9692 7222 if they have any queries in respect of the matters set out in these documents.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Receipt and Consideration of Accounts & Reports

A copy of the Annual Report for the financial year ended 30 June 2019 (which incorporates the Company's financial report, reports of the Directors (including the Remuneration Report) and the auditors) is not enclosed as there is no longer a requirement for the Company to incur the printing and distribution costs associated with doing so for all Shareholders. You may obtain a copy free of charge in hard copy form by contacting the Company by phone at (03) 9692 7222, and you may request that this occurs on a standing basis for future years. Alternatively, you may access the Annual Report at the Company's website: http://e2metals.com.au/ or via the Company's announcement platform on ASX. Except as set out in Resolution 1, no resolution is required on these reports.

Resolution 1: Adoption of Remuneration Report

Background

Section 250R(2) of the Corporations Act requires that a resolution to adopt the Remuneration Report must be put to the vote at the Annual General Meeting. The vote on this Resolution is advisory only and does not bind the Directors or the Company.

The Remuneration Report is set out in the Directors' Report in the Company's 2019 Annual Report. The Remuneration Report sets out the Company's remuneration arrangements for the Directors and senior management of the Company.

In accordance with Section 250SA of the Corporations Act 2001, Shareholders will be provided with a reasonable opportunity to ask questions concerning, or make comments on, the Remuneration Report at the Annual General Meeting.

The Directors will consider the outcome of the vote and comments made by Shareholders on the Remuneration Report at the Meeting when reviewing the Company's remuneration policies.

Board Recommendation

The Board unanimously recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 1. The Chairman of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of Resolution 1.

Resolution 2: Election of Mr Alastair Morrison as a Director of the Company

Background

Mr Alastair Morrison was appointed as a Non-Executive Director on 12 February 2019 as a casual vacancy and is eligible for election.

Mr Morrison is a geologist and finance industry professional who spent 14 years in the exploration and mining industry working in Australia and Africa. He managed the exploration team at the North Mara Gold Mine in Tanzania for 7 years, during feasibility and development, including the discovery of the multi-million-ounce Gokona gold deposit. For the past 15 years Mr Morrison has managed a private resource-oriented investment fund. During this time, he has been involved in several exploration ventures in South America, more recently as an advisor to Circum Pacific. Mr Morrison is also a current non-executive director of ASX-listed OreCorp Limited.

Board Recommendation

The Board (with Mr Morrison abstaining), recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 2. The Chairman of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of Mr Morrison's election.

Resolution 3: Re-Election of Ms Melanie Leydin as a Director of the Company

Background

In accordance with ASX Listing Rule 14.4 and Rule 8.1 of the Company's Constitution, Directors must retire after the third AGM since they were last elected. Further, in accordance with the Company's Constitution, at the close of each AGM one-third of the Directors (excluding the Managing Director), or if their number is not a multiple of three, then the number nearest to but not more than one-third of the Directors, must retire. The Directors to retire by rotation at the AGM are those Directors who have been longest in office since their last election. Ms Melanie Leydin being eligible, offers herself for re-election.

Ms Leydin is a Chartered Accountant and is a Registered Company Auditor. She graduated from Swinburne University in 1997, became a Chartered Accountant in 1999 and since February 2000 has been the principal of chartered accounting and company secretarial firm, Leydin Freyer. Her practice also involves outsourced company secretarial and accounting services to public companies in the resources sector. This involves preparation of statutory financial statements, annual reports, half year reports, stock exchange announcements and quarterly ASX reporting and other statutory requirements. Ms Leydin has 25 years' experience in the accounting profession and is a Director and Company secretary for a number of oil and gas, junior mining and exploration entities listed on the Australian Securities Exchange.

Board Recommendation

The Board (with Ms Leydin abstaining) recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 3. The Chair of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of Ms Leydin's re-election.

Resolution 4: Ratification of Prior Issue of Options

The Company is seeking Shareholder approval pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.4 to ratify the issue of 1,000,000 unlisted options exercisable at \$0.2204 (22.04 cents) per option, vesting immediately and expiring on 22 March 2022 to eligible employees. The Appendix 3B relating to the issue was announced to ASX on 25 March 2019.

The 1,000,000 unlisted options were issued without shareholder approval under the Company's 15% placement capacity pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.1.

ASX Listing Rule 7.1 provides that a company must not, subject to specific exceptions, issue or agree to issue during any twelve (12) month period any equity securities, or other securities with rights to conversion to equity (such as options), if the number of those securities exceeds 15% of the share capital of the Company on issue at the commencement of the twelve (12) month period.

ASX Listing Rule 7.4 provides that where a company's shareholders ratify the prior issue of securities made pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.1 and/or Listing Rule 7.1A (provided that the previous issue of securities did not breach ASX Listing Rule 7.1 or 7.1A) those securities will be deemed to have been issued with shareholder approval for the purposes of ASX Listing Rule 7.1 and 7.1A (if applicable). The Company seeks approval under Listing Rule 7.4 to refresh its capacity to make further issues without shareholder approval under Listing Rule 7.1A.

ASX Listing Rule 7.5 requires that the following information be provided to shareholders for the purpose of obtaining shareholder approval pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.4:

- (a) the total number of unlisted options in the Company that were issued was 1,000,000;
- (b) the options are exercisable at \$0.2204 (22.04 cents) per option, vesting immediately and expiring on 22 March 2022;
- (c) the options allotted and issued do not rank equally with the existing class of quoted securities, however fully paid ordinary shares issued upon the exercise of the options will have the same terms and rights as, and ranking equally with, the Company's existing shares;
- (d) the options were allotted and issued to eligible employees of the Company;
- (e) there were no funds raised from this issue;
- (f) a voting exclusion statement is included in the Notice.

Board Recommendation

The Board unanimously recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 4.

Resolution 5: Ratification of Prior Issue of Shares

The Company is seeking Shareholder approval pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.4 to ratify the issue of 15,479,358 fully paid ordinary shares at an issue price of \$0.1550 (15.50 cents) per share to professional and sophisticated investors. The Appendix 3B relating to the issue were announced to ASX on 14 June 2019 and 19 June 2019.

The 15,479,358 fully paid ordinary shares were issued without shareholder approval under the Company's 15% placement capacity pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.1.

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ASX Listing Rule 7.5 requires that the following information be provided to shareholders for the purpose of obtaining shareholder approval pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.4:

- (a) the total number of fully paid ordinary shares in the Company that were issued was 15,479,358;
- (b) the shares were issued at an issue price of \$0.1550 (15.50 cents) per share;
- (c) the shares allotted and issued are fully paid ordinary shares which have the same terms and rights as, and ranking equally with, the Company's existing shares;
- (d) the shares were allotted and issued to professional and sophisticated investors;
- (e) the funds raised have been, or will be, used to accelerate exploration of the Company's gold and silver projects in the Sant Cruz province of Argentina and to cover ongoing working capital requirements.
- (f) a voting exclusion statement is included in the Notice.

Board Recommendation

The Board unanimously recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 5.

Resolution 6: Adoption of Employee Incentive Plan

The Company is seeking shareholder approval to adopt an Employee Incentive Plan (**EIP**) in order to assist in the motivation, retention and reward of employees of the Company and its subsidiaries. The Board believes the EIP will form an important part of a comprehensive remuneration strategy for the Company's employees and Directors, aligning their interests with those of shareholders by linking their rewards to the long-term success of the Company and its financial performance.

ASX Listing Rule 7.1 imposes a limit on the number of equity securities which the Company can issue in a 12month period without prior shareholder approval.

Exception 9(b) of ASX Listing Rule 7.2 provides that an issue of securities made under an employee incentive scheme (such as the EIP) is not counted for the purposes of ASX Listing Rule 7.1 provided that certain conditions have been met. One of these conditions is that members have, within the last three years, approved the issue of securities under the scheme as an exception to ASX Listing Rule 7.1. Such shareholder approval is being sought under Resolution 6.

The Company does not presently have any specific intention to issue equity securities that would exceed the Company's capacity to issue equity securities under ASX Listing Rule 7.1 in the absence of shareholder approval. Nevertheless, the Company wishes to preserve the flexibility to issue the full 15% for each of the next three years. Approval under this Resolution 6 will provide more scope for the Company to raise additional equity if required.

The EIP has been developed to provide the greatest possible flexibility in choice to the Board in implementing the executive incentive schemes. The EIP enables the Board to offer employees and Directors a number of equity related interests, including Shares, Options and Performance Rights.

A summary of material terms of the EIP is set out as follows:

- the EIP sets out the framework for the offer of Shares, Options or Performance Rights by the Company, and is typical for a document of this nature;
- in making its decision to issue Shares, Options or Performance Rights, the Board may decide the number of securities and the vesting conditions which are to apply in respect of the securities. The Board has broad flexibility to issue Shares, Options or Performance Rights having regard to a range of potential vesting criteria and conditions;
- in certain circumstances, unvested Options or Performance Rights will immediately lapse and any unvested Shares held by the participant will be forfeited if the relevant person is a "bad leaver" as distinct from a "good leaver";
- if a participant acts fraudulently or dishonestly or is in breach of their obligations to the Company or its subsidiaries, the Board may determine that any unvested Performance Rights or Options held by the participant immediately lapse and that any unvested Shares held by the participant be forfeited;
- in certain circumstances, Shares, Performance Rights or Options can vest early, including following a change of control or other events of a similar nature. For the purposes of this rule, a relevant control event occurs in a number of scenarios in which a third party may acquire 50% or more of the Company's Shares;
- the total number of Shares that would be issued were each Option, Performance Right and Share under the EIP exercised or vested (as applicable), plus the number of Shares issued in the previous three years under the EIP, must not, at any time, exceed 5% of the total number of Company Shares on issue. Shares issued under the EIP will rank equally in all respects with other Shares and the Company must apply for the quotation of such Shares;
- the Board has discretion to impose restrictions (except to the extent prohibited by law or the ASX Listing Rules) on Shares issued or transferred to a participant on vesting of an Option or a Performance Right, and the Company may implement appropriate procedures to restrict a participant from so dealing in the Shares;
- in respect of vested Options or Performance Rights, if the Board becomes aware of an event which would have resulted in vesting criteria not being satisfied, such as a material misstatement in the Company's financial statements during the vesting period, any affected vested Options or Rights may be cancelled for no consideration;
- in the event of any reorganisation of the issued capital of the Company on, or prior to, the expiry of the Performance Rights or Options, the rights of the relevant security holder can be changed in the discretion of the Board, including to comply with the applicable ASX Listing Rules in force at the time of the reorganisation; and
- the Board is granted a certain level of discretion under the EIP, including the power to amend the rules under which the EIP is governed and to waive vesting conditions, forfeiture conditions or disposal restrictions.

A copy of the EIP is available to shareholders free of charge on request.

At the date of this Notice, no securities have been issued under the proposed EIP.

The precise number of securities to be issued by the Company to eligible employees under the EIP within the next three years cannot be presently ascertained as it will depend on a variety of factors, including the achievement of Company and individual, financial and non-financial performance measures.

Shareholder loans

Under the EIP, the Board may determine that a loan may be made by the Company to a participant for the purpose of acquiring or subscribing for Shares the subject of an offer under the EIP and such terms and conditions are to be determined with respect to any offer under the EIP.

Shareholder approval by ordinary resolution is sought for the implementation of the EIP, including in compliance with the following laws.

Exemption for financial assistance

Section 260C(4) of the Corporations Act requires shareholder approval by ordinary resolution in order to access the exemption from the prohibition on a company financially assisting the acquisition of shares in itself under section 260A of the Corporations Act. Any proposed loan to participants to fund the acquisition of Shares constitutes financial assistance. The exemption is available where the assistance is given under an employee share scheme that has been approved at a general meeting of the Company.

Exemption for security over own shares

Section 259B(2) of the Corporations Act requires shareholder approval by ordinary resolution in order to access the exemption from the prohibition on a company taking security over shares in itself under section 259B(1) of the Corporations Act. In this case, any proposed mortgage over Shares issued to participants in connection with any loan to fund the acquisition of those Shares constitutes such a security. The exemption is available where the security is taken under an employee share scheme that has been approved at a general meeting of the company.

Board recommendation

The Board unanimously recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 6.

Resolution 7: Approval of 10% Placement Facility

Background

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 (**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. The effect of Resolution 7 will be to allow the Directors to issue 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.

If Shareholders approve Resolution 7, the number of Equity Securities permitted to be issued under the 10% Placement Facility will be determined in accordance with the formula prescribed in Listing Rule 7.1A.2 (see below).

The Company continues actively seeking to increase work on its current exploration assets and reviewing new potential projects and investments. Should the Company utilise the 10% Placement Facility, it intends to use the funds to acquire new resource assets or investments, to conduct further work on its current projects or to meet additional working capital requirements.

Resolution 7 is a special resolution and therefore requires approval of 75% of the votes cast by Shareholders present and eligible to vote at this Meeting (in person, by proxy, by attorney or, in the case of a corporate Shareholder, by a corporate representative).

Description of Listing Rule 7.1A

(a) 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. This means it 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).

(b) 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 three classes of Equity Securities, Fully Paid Ordinary Shares, Unlisted Options and Unlisted Performance Rights.

(c) Formula for calculating 10% Placement Facility

Listing Rule 7.1A.2 provides that eligible entities which have obtained shareholder approval at an Annual General Meeting may issue or agree to issue, during the 12 month period after the date of the Annual General Meeting, a number of Equity Securities calculated in accordance with the following formula:

(A x D)–E

- **A** is the number of shares on issue 12 months before the date of issue or agreement:
 - (A) plus the number of fully paid shares issued in the 12 months under an exception in Listing Rule 7.2;
 - (B) plus the number of partly paid shares that became fully paid in the 12 months;
 - (C) plus the number of fully paid shares issued in the 12 months with approval of holders of shares under Listing Rules 7.1 and 7.4. This does not include an issue of fully paid shares under the entity's 15% placement capacity without shareholder approval;
 - (D) less the number of fully paid shares cancelled in the 12 months.

Note that A 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 12 months before the date of the issue or agreement to issue that are not issued with the approval of shareholders under Listing Rule 7.1 or 7.4.
- (d) 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.

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

(e) Minimum Issue Price

The issue price of Equity Securities issued under Listing Rule 7.1A must be not less than 75% of the VWAP of Equity Securities in the same class calculated over the 15 trading days immediately before:

- (i) the date on which the price at which the Equity Securities are to be issued is agreed; or
- (ii) if the Equity Securities are not issued within 5 trading days of the date in paragraph (i) above, the date on which the Equity Securities are issued.

(f) 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; or
- the 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).

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:

- (a) In the past twelve months the Company issued 7,639,042 Shares under Listing Rule 7.1A.
- (b) The 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:
 - (i) the date on which the price at which the Equity Securities are to be issued is agreed; or
 - (ii) if the Equity Securities are not issued within 5 trading days of the date in paragraph (i) above, the date on which the Equity Securities are issued.
- (c) If Resolution 7 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. Shareholders may be exposed to economic risk and voting dilution, including the following:
 - (i) 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 Annual General Meeting; and
 - (ii) 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.

The below table shows the dilution of existing Shareholders on the basis of the market price of Shares as at 1 October 2019 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:

- 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
- two examples of where the issue price of ordinary securities has decreased by 50% and increased by 100% as against the current market price.

		Issue Price				
Variable 'A' in Listing Rule 7.1A.2		\$0.085 50% decrease in Current Share Price	\$0.170 Current Share Price	\$0.340 100% increase in Current Share Price		
Current Variable A 91,869,786 Shares	10% Voting Dilution	9,186,979 Shares	9,186,979 Shares	9,186,979 Shares		
	Funds raised	\$780,893	\$1,561,786	\$3,123,573		
50% increase in current Variable A 137,804,679 Shares	10% Voting Dilution	13,780,468 Shares	13,780,468 Shares	13,780,468 Shares		
	Funds raised	\$1,171,340	\$2,342,680	\$4,685,359		
100% increase in current Variable A 183,739,572 Shares	10% Voting Dilution	18,373,957 Shares	18,373,957 Shares	18,373,957 Shares		
	Funds raised	\$1,561,786	\$3,123,573	\$6,247,145		

The table has been prepared on the following assumptions:

- The Company issues the maximum number of Equity Securities available under the 10% Placement Facility.
- No Options (including any Options issued under the 10% Placement Facility) are exercised into Shares before the date of the issue of the Equity Securities;
- 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%.
- 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 Annual General Meeting.
- 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.
- The issue of Equity Securities under the 10% Placement Facility consists only of Shares. If the issue of Equity Securities includes Options, it is assumed that those Options are exercised into Shares for the purpose of calculating the voting dilution effect on existing Shareholders.
- The Current Share Price is **\$0.170** (17.0 cents), being the closing price of the Shares on ASX on **1 October 2019**.
- (d) The Company will only issue and allot the Equity Securities during the 10% Placement Period. The approval under Resolution 7 for the issue of the Equity Securities will cease to be valid in the event that Shareholders approve a transaction under Listing Rule 11.1.2 (a significant change to the nature or scale of activities or Listing Rule 11.2 (disposal of main undertaking).
- (e) The Company may seek to issue the Equity Securities for the following purposes:
 - (i) non-cash consideration for the acquisition of the new assets and investments. In such circumstances the Company will provide a valuation of the non-cash consideration as required by Listing Rule 7.1A.3; or
 - (ii) cash consideration. In such circumstances, the Company intends to use the funds raised towards an acquisition of new assets or investments (including expense associated with such acquisition) continued expenditure on the Company's current business and/or general working capital.
- (f) The Company will comply with the disclosure obligations under Listing Rules 7.1A(4) and 3.10.5A upon issue of any Equity Securities.

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:

- (i) 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;
- (ii) the effect of the issue of the Equity Securities on the control of the Company;
- (iii) the financial situation and solvency of the Company; and
- (iv) 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.

Further, if the Company is successful in acquiring businesses, assets or investments, it is likely that the allottees under the 10% Placement Facility will be the vendors of the new businesses, assets or investments.

(g) A voting exclusion statement is included in the Notice. At the date of this 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 this Notice.

Equity Issues over the Last 12 Months – Listing Rule 7.3A.6

For the purposes of Listing Rule 7.3A.6(a), the Company advises as follows:

Number of equity securities on issue at commencement of 12 month period	72,334,359
Equity securities issued in the prior 12 month period*	34,411,848
Percentage of equity securities represent of total number of equity securities on issue at commencement of 12 month period	47.57%

* For full details of the issues of Equity Securities made by the Company in the previous 12 months, see Appendix A.

Board Recommendation

The Board unanimously recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 7. The Chairman of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of this Resolution.

GLOSSARY

The following terms have the following meanings in this Explanatory Statement:

"\$" means Australian Dollars;

"10% Placement Facility" has the meaning as defined in the Explanatory Statement for Resolution 7;

"10% Placement Period" has the meaning as defined in the Explanatory Statement for Resolution 7;

"Annual Report" means the Directors' Report, the Financial Report, and Auditor's Report, in respect to the year ended 30 June 2019;

"ASX" means ASX Limited ABN 98 008 624 691 or the Australian Securities Exchange, as the context requires;

"Auditor's Report" means the auditor's report on the Financial Report;

"AEDT" means Australian Eastern Daylight Time.

"Board" means the Directors acting as the board of Directors of the Company;

"Chairman" means the person appointed to chair the Meeting of the Company convened by the Notice;

"Closely Related Party" means:

- (a) a spouse or child of the member; or
- (b) has the meaning given in section 9 of the Corporations Act.

"Company" means E2 Metals Limited ACN 116 865 546;

"Constitution" means the constitution of the Company as at the date of the Meeting;

"Corporations Act" means the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth);

"Director" means a Director of the Company;

"**Directors Report**" means the annual directors' report prepared under Chapter 2M of the Corporations Act for the Company and its controlled entities;

"Equity Security" has the same meaning as in the Listing Rules;

"Explanatory Statement" means the explanatory statement which forms part of the Notice;

"**Financial Report**" means the annual financial report prepared under Chapter 2M of the Corporations Act for the Company and its controlled entities;

"Key Management Personnel" means 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;

"Meeting" has the meaning given in the introductory paragraph of the Notice;

"Notice" means this Notice of Meeting including the Explanatory Statement;

"Proxy Form" means the proxy form attached to the Notice;

"**Remuneration Report**" means the remuneration report which forms part of the Directors' Report of E2 Metals Limited for the financial year ended 30 June 2019 and which is set out in the 2019 Annual Report;

"Resolution" means a resolution referred to in the Notice;

"Share" means a fully paid ordinary share in the capital of the Company;

"Shareholder" means shareholder of the Company;

"Trading Day" means a day determined by ASX to be a trading day in accordance with the Listing Rules; and

"VWAP" means volume weighted average price.

Appendix A Resolution 7 - Approval of 10% Placement Facility

CASH ISSUES

Date	Number of Securities	Security Type	Description	Party or Basis	Price	Premium / (Discount) to close price on issue date	Total Consideration	Use of Consideration
8 April 2019	682,490	FPO	Exercise of Loyalty Options as per the terms and conditions outlined in the Company's prospectus lodged with ASX on 18 February 2017.	Eligible Shareholders	\$0.20	\$0.02	\$136,498	Working Capital
14 June 2019	14,834,196	FPO	Fund used to accelerate exploration of the Company's gold and silver projects in the Santa Cruz province of Argentina and to cover ongoing working capital requirements.	Professional & sophisticated investors	\$0.1550	\$(0.025)	\$2,299,300	For gold and silver projects in Santa Cruz and for working capital requirements
19 June 2019	645,162	FPO	Fund used to accelerate exploration of the Company's gold and silver projects in the Santa Cruz province of Argentina and to cover ongoing working capital requirements.	Professional & sophisticated investors	\$0.1550	\$(0.035)	\$100,000	For gold and silver projects in Santa Cruz and for working capital requirements

NON-CASH ISSUES

Date	Number of Securities	Security Type	Description	Party or Basis	Deemed Price	Premium / (Discount) to close price on issue date	Deemed Value	Use of Consideration
20 December 2018	2,250,000	ULR	Unlisted performance rights convertible into fully paid ordinary shares subject to performance and service conditions, expiring 30 December 2023 announced to ASX on 20 December 2018.	Todd Williams	\$0.07	\$(0.045)	\$157,500	Nil
21 February 2019	15,000,000	FPO	FPO shares issued for the acquisition of Los Domos Pty Ltd as announced to ASX on 20 December 2018 and approved by shareholders on 5 February 2019.	Investors under Part 6D.2 of the Corporations Act	\$0.065	\$(0.08)	\$975,000	Nil
25 March 2019	1,000,000	UO	Granted to eligible employees pursuant to terms of the E2 Metals Limited Employee Incentive Plan Rules.	Eligible Employees	\$0.2204	\$0.025	\$220,400	Nil

FPO Fully Paid Ordinary Shares UPR Unlisted Performance Rights

UO Unlisted Options

Out of the \$2.5 million received from the proceeds of issue of shares, \$1 million was utilised for exploration expenses, working capital needs and for share issue transaction costs. Remaining balance from the 1. capital raising stood at \$1.5 million as at 30 June 2019.



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PROXY FORM

I/We being a member(s) of E2 Metals Limited and entitled to attend and vote hereby appoint:

APPOINT A PROXY

the Chairman of the Meeting (mark box)

OR if you are **NOT** appointing the Chairman of the Meeting as your proxy, please write the name of the person or body corporate you are appointing as your proxy

or failing the person or body corporate named, or if no person or body corporate is named, the Chairman of the Meeting, as my/our proxy to act on my/our behalf (including to vote in accordance with the following directions or, if no directions have been given and to the extent permitted by the law, as the proxy sees fit) at the Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held at 10:00am (AEDT) on Wednesday, 20 November 2019 at William Buck, Level 20, 181 William Street, Melbourne, VIC, 3000 (the Meeting) and at any postponement or adjournment of the Meeting.

Important for Resolutions 1 & 6: If the Chairman of the Meeting is your proxy, either by appointment or by default, and you have not indicated your voting intention below, you expressly authorise the Chairman of the Meeting to exercise the proxy in respect of Resolutions 1 & 6, even though the Resolutions are connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of a member of the Company's Key Management Personnel (KMP).

The Chairman of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of each item of business.

VOTING DIRECTIONS

STEP 3

Proxies will only be valid and accepted by the Company if they are signed and received no later than 48 hours before the Meeting. Please read the voting instructions overleaf before marking any boxes with an

Resolutions	For Against Abstain*	For Against Abstain*					
1 Adoption of Remuneration Report	5 Ratification of Prior Issue of Shares						
2 Election of Mr Alastair Morrison as a Director of the Company	6 Adoption of Employee Share Plan						
3 Re-election of Ms Melanie Leydin as a Director of the Company	7 Approval of 10% Placement Facility						
4 Ratification of Prior Issue of Options							
* If you mark the Abstain box for a particular Item, you are directing your proxy not to vote on your behalf 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 SHAREHOLDERS – THIS MUST BE COMPLETED							
Shareholder 1 (Individual)	Joint Shareholder 2 (Individual) Joint Shareholder	er 3 (Individual)					
Sole Director and Sole Company Secretary	Director/Company Secretary (Delete one) Director						
This form should be signed by the shareholder. If a joint holding, either shareholder may sign. If signed by the shareholder's attorney, the power of attorney must have been previously noted by the registry or a certified copy attached to this form. If executed by a company, the form must be executed in executed by a company, the							



form must be executed in accordance with the company's constitution and the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth).

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YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS

This is your name and address as it appears on the Company's share register. If this information is incorrect, please make the correction on the form. Shareholders sponsored by a broker should advise their broker of any changes. Please note: you cannot change ownership of your shares using this form.

APPOINTMENT OF PROXY

If you wish to appoint the Chairman of the Meeting as your proxy, mark the box in Step 1. If you wish to appoint someone other than the Chairman of the Meeting as your proxy, please write the name of that individual or body corporate in Step 1. A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company.

DEFAULT TO CHAIRMAN OF THE MEETING

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

VOTES ON ITEMS OF BUSINESS – PROXY APPOINTMENT

You may direct your proxy how to vote by placing a mark in 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 A SECOND PROXY

You are entitled to appoint up to two persons as proxies to attend the Meeting and vote on a poll. If you wish to appoint a second proxy, an additional Proxy Form may be obtained by telephoning the Company's share registry or you may copy this form and return them both together.

To appoint a second proxy you must:

(a) on each of the first Proxy Form and the second Proxy Form state the percentage of your voting rights or number of shares applicable to that form. If the appointments do not specify the percentage or number of votes that each proxy may exercise, each proxy may exercise half your votes. Fractions of votes will be disregarded; and

(b) return both forms together.

SIGNING INSTRUCTIONS

You must sign this form as follows in the spaces provided:

Individual: where the holding is in one name, the holder must sign.

Joint Holding: where the holding is in more than one name, either shareholder may sign.

Power of Attorney: to sign under Power of Attorney, you must lodge the Power of Attorney with the registry. If you have not previously lodged this document for notation, please attach a certified photocopy of the Power of Attorney to this form when you return it.

Companies: where the company has a Sole Director who is also the Sole Company Secretary, this form must be signed by that person. If the company (pursuant to section 204A of the *Corporations Act 2001*) does not have a Company Secretary, a Sole Director can also sign alone. Otherwise this form must be signed by a Director jointly with either another Director or a Company Secretary. Please indicate the office held by signing in the appropriate place.

CORPORATE REPRESENTATIVES

If a representative of the corporation is to attend the Meeting the appropriate "Certificate of Appointment of Corporate Representative" must be produced prior to admission in accordance with the Notice of Meeting. A form of the certificate may be obtained from the Company's share registry or online at www.linkmarketservices.com.au.

LODGEMENT OF A PROXY FORM

This Proxy Form (and any Power of Attorney under which it is signed) must be received at an address given below by 10:00am (AEDT) on Monday, 18 November 2019, being not later than 48 hours before the commencement of the Meeting. Any Proxy Form received after that time will not be valid for the scheduled Meeting.

Proxy Forms may be lodged using the reply paid envelope or:

ONLINE

www.linkmarketservices.com.au

Login to the Link website using the holding details as shown on the Proxy Form. Select 'Voting' and follow the prompts to lodge your vote. To use the online lodgement facility. shareholders will need their "Holder Identifier" - Securityholder Reference Number (SRN) or Holder Identification Number (HIN).

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