

QUARTERLY ACTIVITIES REPORT FOR PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

Equus Mining Limited ('Equus' or 'Company') (**ASX: EQE**) is pleased to provide an update on its activities for the June 2023 Quarter. During the quarter ended June 2023, the Group continued the cost base restructure of its Cerro Bayo Project in Chile and geological modelling and drill program design, geochemical sampling and mapping at the Company's principal exploration targets at the project.

CERRO BAYO PROJECT COST-BASE RESTRUCTURING

During the quarter ended June 2023, the Group continued the restructure of its Cerro Bayo project in Chile following the suspension of the stockpile processing announced on 17 October 2022, placing the processing infrastructure on care and maintenance whilst continuing exploration at the Cerro Bayo Project.

The restructuring largely involved the termination of legacy operational staff who were retained as part of the project acquisition from Mandalay Resources on 1 December 2021. Further cost cutting measures are planned for the September and December quarters.

CERRO BAYO PROJECT EXPLORATION

Continued geological modelling based on extensive re-logging of historic drill core was conducted to support followup drill program design for the highly prospective, large-scale Appaloosa breccia and high-grade Pegaso VII vein targets, which are optimally located within 2.5km from the turn-key 0.5Mt/yr Cerro Bayo flotation plant infrastructure (Figure 1).

Additionally, geological mapping and geochemical sampling has been conducted throughout the underexplored, eastern portion of the Cerro Bayo mine district, centred within a 5km x 6km corridor that hosts a series of mines from which historical production during 2002-2008, achieved approximately 615Koz AuEq^{1,2} averaging 8.0 g/t AuEq¹. The final receipt and compilation of these results will be completed during the September quarter.

APPALOOSA BRECCIA TARGET

Further geological modelling and drill planning has been conducted for follow-up of high grade gold-silver results reported from the large scale Appaloosa breccia-vein complex.

The principal intercepts reported to date include³:

- ▶ **CBD083:**
 - **0.73m @ 31.71 g/t AuEq¹ (16.97 g/t Au, 1105.1 g/t Ag)** from 117.12m including **0.49 @ 46.67 AuEq¹ (24.80 g/t Au, 1,640 g/t Ag)** from 117.36m
 - **3.60m @ 3.20 g/t AuEq¹ (2.20 g/t Au, 74.77 g/t Ag)** from 172.51m including **1.49 @ 7.00 AuEq¹ (4.91 g/t Au, 157 g/t Ag)** from 174.62m

¹ Gold Equivalent (AuEq) is based on the formula $AuEq\ g/t = Au\ g/t + (Ag\ g/t / 75)$.

² Based on Mandalay Resources Corporation, Cerro Bayo Mine NI 43-101 Technical Reports dated May 14, 2010, & March 21, 2017 Report #2699

³ 9th May 2023 Half Yearly Report and Accounts

- ▶ CBD085:
 - **7.5m @ 8.7 g/t AuEq¹ (6.0 g/t Au, 206.3 g/t Ag)** from 86.08m including: **2.47m @ 24.1 g/t AuEq¹ (17.7 g/t Au, 483.9 g/t Ag)** from 87.87m
- ▶ CBD102:
 - **8.76m @ 8.05 g/t AuEq¹ (4.9 g/t Au, 237.4 g/t Ag)** from 70.44m including: **1.25m @ 29.3 g/t AuEq¹ (20.5 g/t Au, 667.0 g/t Ag)** from 77.25m
- ▶ CBD103:
 - **29.91m @ 1.84 g/t AuEq¹ (1.0 g/t Au, 63.5 g/t Ag)** from 84.81m including: **8.0m @ 3.53 g/t AuEq¹ (1.4 g/t Au, 162.7 g/t Ag)** from 84.81m
- ▶ CBD104:
 - **1.46m @ 12.1 g/t AuEq¹ (6.46 g/t Au, 422 g/t Ag)** from 83.99m
 - **4.89m @ 8.5 g/t AuEq¹ (4.31 g/t Au, 313.9 g/t Ag)** from 101.57m including: **3.0m @ 12.81 AuEq¹ (6.43 g/t Au, 478.4 g/t Ag)** from 103.46m
 - **7.44m @ 5.68 g/t AuEq¹ (4.59 g/t Au, 81.57 g/t Ag)** from 117.46m including: **2.23m @ 12.61 AuEq¹ (10.34 g/t Au, 170.0 g/t Ag)** from 119.88m

High-grade gold and silver drill results report to newly defined mineralized zones located outside the December 2020 Taitao Inferred Mineral Resource Estimate of 302koz⁴ AuEq (2020 MRE), approximately 500m north of the Cerro Bayo processing plant infrastructure.

Further review of recent and historic drill data has highlighted the comparative distribution of differing vein textures observed in the Appaloosa breccia and those in deeper historic mines at Cerro Bayo indicates potential for increases in grade with depth down dip along the Appaloosa breccia.

Follow-up drilling is designed to test multiple compelling targets at the interpreted intersection of potentially multiple splay veins and the lower angle, large scale Appaloosa breccia hosted mineralization at depth to the east of the 1.4km long Taitao Pit beyond the limits of the 2020 MRE⁴, which remain largely underexplored to date.

PEGASO VII TARGET

The Pegaso VII target⁵ is host to exceptionally high-grade gold and silver mineralization located 2.5km to the northeast of the Cerro Bayo processing plant (Figure 1).

Geological modelling has highlighted a series of highly prospective drill targets along a vein corridor mapped over an approximate 450m width x 1.4km length, for which significant historic drill results include⁵:

- ▶ DGA009:
 - **1.13m @ 166.06 g/t AuEq¹ (95.51 g/t Au, 5291.05 g/t Ag)** from 235.50m
- ▶ DGA012:
 - **1.70m @ 35.46 g/t AuEq¹ (13.76 g/t Au, 1627.61 g/t Ag)** from 259.10m
- ▶ CRH-44:
 - **1.48m @ 39.0 g/t AuEq¹ (5.55 g/t Au, 2508.95 g/t Ag)** from 36.37m

⁴ ASX Announcement – 22nd Dec 2020 Maiden Inferred Resource Estimate at Cerro Bayo

⁵ ASX Announcement - 24th Feb 2023 Standout historic drill results at Cerro Bayo

- ▶ DGA010:
 - 1.00m @ 39.44 g/t AuEq¹ (20.86 g/t Au, 1393.46 g/t Ag) from 169.15m
- ▶ DGA019:
 - 5.45m @ 5.13 g/t AuEq¹ (4.53 g/t Au, 45.09 g/t Ag) from 322.30m

Planned follow-up drilling will test the geometry and continuity of high-grade mineralization over a vertical interval of +250m, both along strike and at depth, throughout a +400m long portion of the Pegaso VII vein corridor.

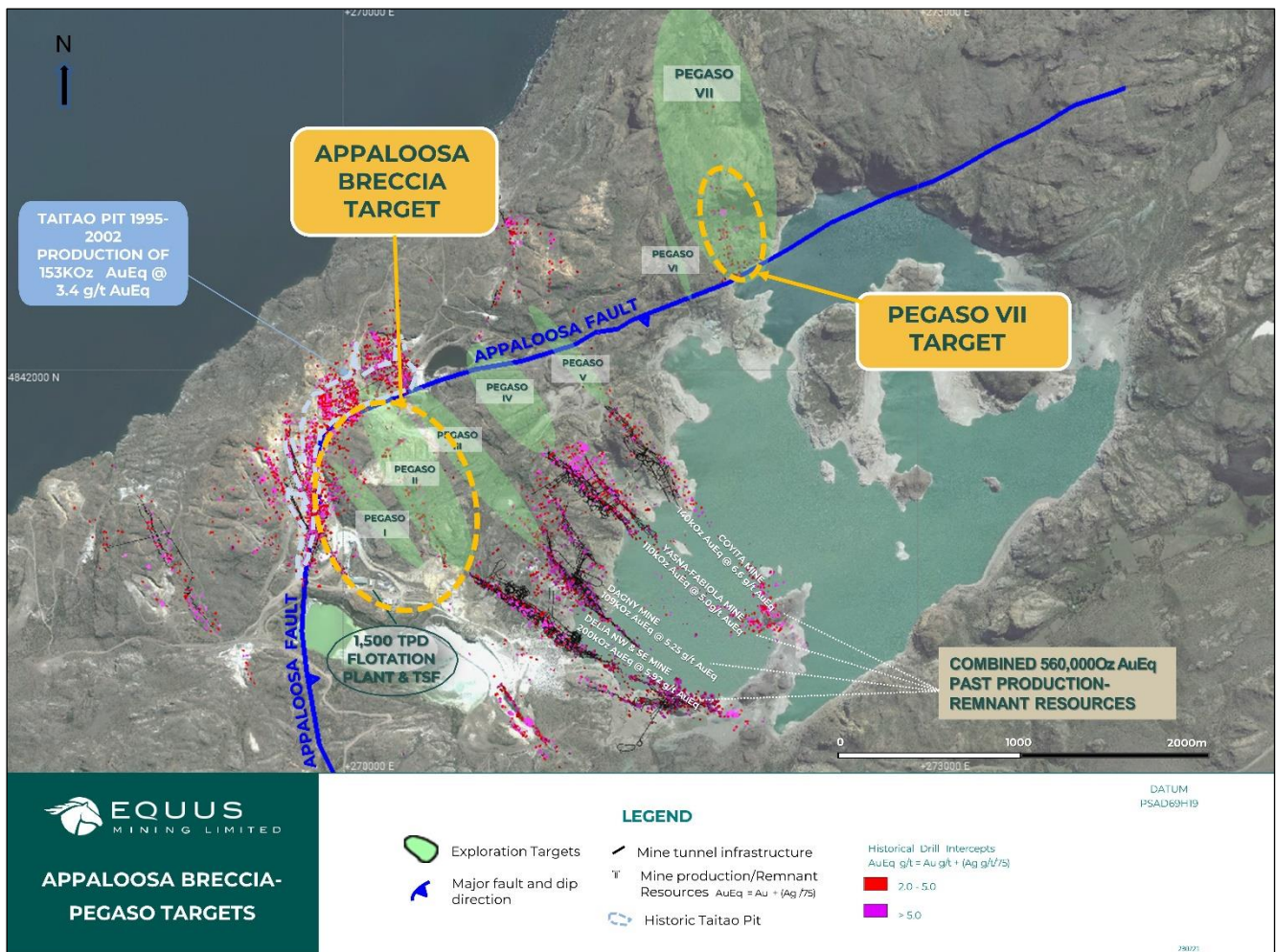


Figure 1 – Plan view showing location of Appaloosa vein-breccia, Pegaso VII, and Pegaso II- VII targets and historic production/resources of the historic open pit and underground mines

SEPTEMBER 2023 QUARTER – PLANNED ACTIVITY

- ▶ Exploration drilling programs on high-priority targets including Appaloosa and Pegaso VII
- ▶ Exploration target generative mapping and sampling throughout the Cerro Bayo District
- ▶ Resource evaluation and optimisation studies of the Taitao Inferred Resource⁶
- ▶ Environmental studies encompassing exploration and resource targets areas including Appaloosa, Pegaso and Taitao and throughout key additional exploration target areas throughout the Cerro Bayo District

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- ▶ Expenditure paid on exploration and related activities during the June 2023 Quarter totalled \$148,000. The majority of this expenditure was spent on exploration activities at the Cerro Bayo Project, whereby approximately \$138,000 was spent on costs relating to geological mapping and sampling, geochemical analysis, vehicles and staffing, engineering, environmental and permitting studies. The balance was expended on sundry exploration and tenement, legal, accounting and administration related costs.
- ▶ As part of the cost base restructuring of its Cerro Bayo Project in Chile the Company paid \$623,000 in relation to termination of staff.
- ▶ No expenditure was incurred during the Quarter on mining production and development activities.
- ▶ No exploration was conducted on the Los Domos and Cerro Diablo properties.
- ▶ The Company did not enter or exit any farm in agreement.
- ▶ During the June quarter, the aggregate payments to related parties of the entity and their associates totalled \$80,000. All of this was payments to Directors or Directors related entities for Director's consulting fees and superannuation.

LOS DOMOS AND CERRO DIABLO PROJECTS

With the emphasis on the company's flagship Cerro Bayo project, no work was conducted at either of these projects during the June 2023 quarter.

No field work is planned at these projects during the winter months corresponding to the September 2023 quarter.

EQUUS MINING PROJECTS AND INTERESTS

Equus Mining (ASX: EQE) is a Sydney-based precious metals exploration Company with a focus on the Cerro Bayo Mine District, located in Southern Chile. With a collective 341km² of prospective Gold-Silver landholdings, the Company's Flagship Cerro Bayo Project features a centrally located 1,500tpd Gold-Silver processing plant, tailings storage facility and power generation, and most of the stationary and mobile equipment required for a potential eventual restart of underground mine operations (Figure 2).

The Cerro Bayo Project is located in a premier epithermal gold-silver producing geological province from which historical production of 645Koz Gold and 45Moz Silver⁷ was achieved at average grades of 5.42 g/t AuEq¹ (2.81 g/t gold and 196 g/t silver), up until the mine's temporary closure in mid-2017.

Equus sees compelling potential for expanding the resource base at Cerro Bayo and continues to be encouraged by results from its generative and exploration drill programs on its pipeline of highly prospective targets throughout Cerro Bayo.

⁶ ASX Announcement- 22 Dec 2020 Maiden Inferred Resource Estimate at Cerro Bayo

⁷ Based on Mandalay Resources Corporation, Cerro Bayo Mine NI 43-101 Technical Reports dated May 14, 2010. & March 21, 2017 Report #2699

The Company is principally focused on advancing brownfield and greenfields exploration drilling programs on high-priority targets within proximity to the 100% owned Cerro Bayo processing plant, resource evaluation and optimisation studies of the Taitao Inferred Resource⁶ (302,000 gold equivalent ounces at 2.5 g/t Au equivalent), and peripheral to centres of historic production.

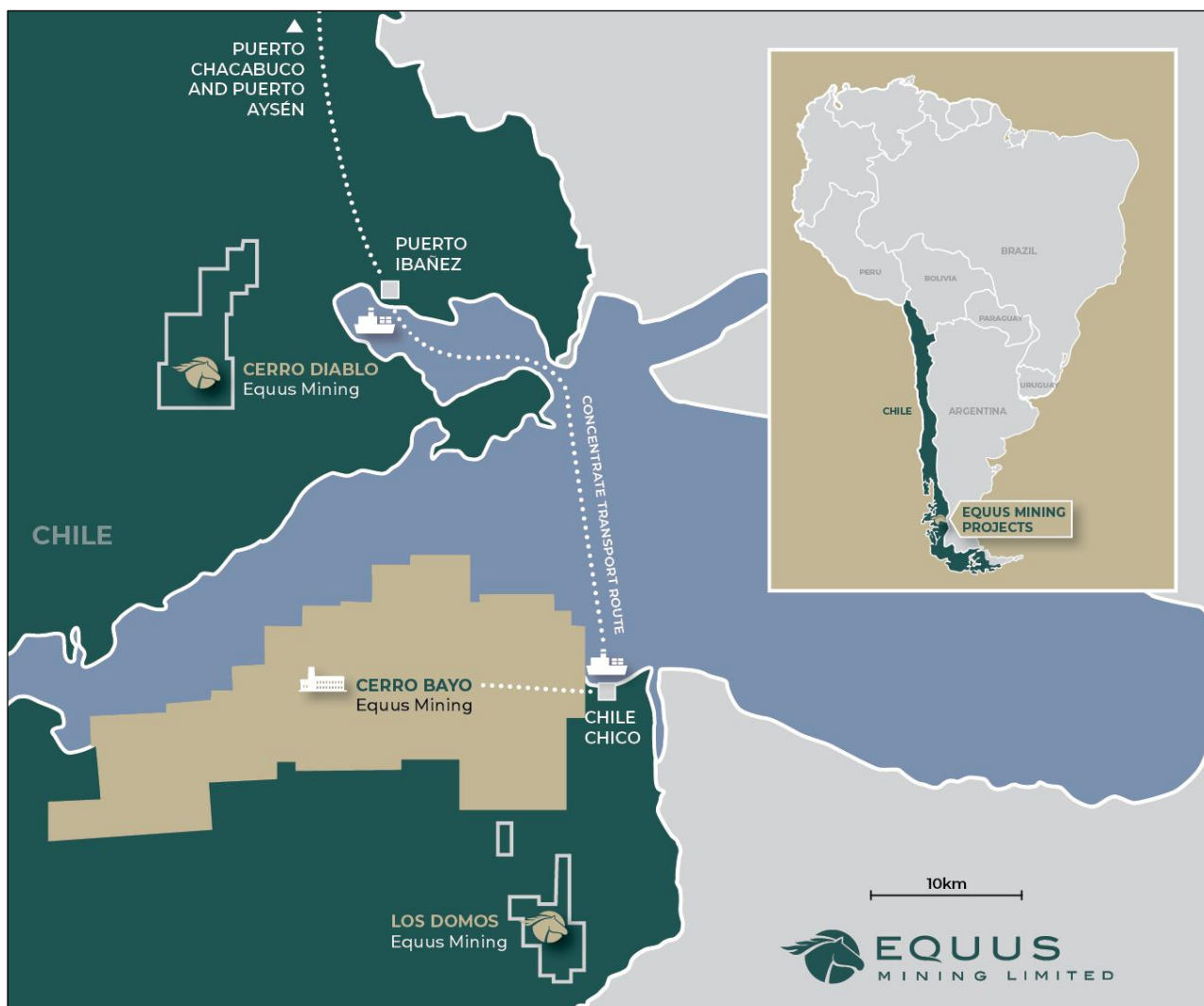


Figure 2 – Location plan of Equus Mining's Cerro Bayo mining district and other projects.

2023 JUNE QUARTER – ASX ANNOUNCEMENTS

This Quarterly Activities Report contains information extracted from ASX market announcements reported in accordance with the 2012 edition of the "Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves" ("2012 JORC Code"). Further details (including 2012 JORC Code reporting tables where applicable) of exploration results referred to in this Quarterly Activities Report can be found in the following announcements lodged on the ASX:

6 April 2023	Proposed Issue of Securities
6 April 2023	Update of Suspension
11 April 2023	Application for Quotation of Securities
13 April 2023	Change in substantial holding
28th April 2023	Quarterly Activities/Appendix 5B Cash Flow Report
5th May 2023	Application for quotation of securities - EQE
9th May 2023	Half Yearly Report and Accounts

10th May 2023	Change in substantial holding
25th May 2023	Update of Suspension
25th May 2023	Continuation of Suspension from Quotation
8th June 2023	Amendment to the Loan Facility Agreement
9th June 2023	Notice of General Meeting/Proxy Form
9th June 2023	Proposed issue of securities - EQE
14th July 2023	Results of Meeting
14th July 2023	Application for quotation of securities - EQE
14th July 2023	Change in substantial holding M.L.
14th July 2023	Notification regarding unquoted securities - EQE
14th July 2023	Change of Director's Interest Notice M.L.
18th July 2023	Change in substantial holding

These announcements are available for viewing on the Company's website www.equusmining.com - under the Investors tab.

TABLE 1. CERRO BAYO PROJECT TENEMENT STATUS – JUNE QUARTER 2023

The company has not acquired or disposed any claim during the quarter.

Project	Tenement as at 31 March 2022	Tenements added during the quarter	Tenements disposed during the quarter	Tenement as at 30 June 2023	% Interest	Type of tenement
CERRO BAYO	ARROYO 1-25			ARROYO 1-25	100	Mining Concession
	ARROYO 31-40			ARROYO 31-40	100	Mining Concession
	BUITRERA 61-90			BUITRERA 61-90	100	Mining Concession
	BUITRERA 91-120			BUITRERA 91-120	100	Mining Concession
	GUANACA 101-106			GUANACA 101-106	100	Mining Concession
	GUANACA 131-158			GUANACA 131-158	100	Mining Concession
	GUANACA 161-190			GUANACA 161-190	100	Mining Concession
	GUANACA 191-220			GUANACA 191-220	100	Mining Concession
	GUANACA 221-243			GUANACA 221-243	100	Mining Concession
	JARA 1-100			JARA 1-100	100	Mining Concession
	NIEVES 1-30			NIEVES 1-30	100	Mining Concession
	NIEVES 31-60			NIEVES 31-60	100	Mining Concession
	NIEVES 61-90			NIEVES 61-90	100	Mining Concession
	NIEVES 91-120			NIEVES 91-120	100	Mining Concession
	NIEVES 121-150			NIEVES 121-150	100	Mining Concession

Project	Tenement as at 31 March 2022	Tenements added during the quarter	Tenements disposed during the quarter	Tenement as at 30 June 2023	% Interest	Type of tenement
	LAPIZ 1-7			LAPIZ 1-7	100	Mining Concession
	PERRA 101-123			PERRA 101-123	100	Mining Concession
	PERRA 131-160			PERRA 131-160	100	Mining Concession
	PERRA 161-190			PERRA 161-190	100	Mining Concession
	PERRA 191-220			PERRA 191-220	100	Mining Concession
	PERRA 221-244			PERRA 221-244	100	Mining Concession
	CARRERA 1-37			CARRERA 1-37	100	Mining Concession
	MALLINES 1-100			MALLINES 1-100	100	Mining Concession
	HORQUETAS 1-75			HORQUETAS 1-75	100	Mining Concession
	BUITRERA 1-60			BUITRERA 1-60	100	Mining Concession
	BRILLANTES 1-100			BRILLANTES 1-100	100	Mining Concession
	BAYO 1-70			BAYO 1-70	100	Mining Concession
	MESETA 1-100			MESETA 1-100	100	Mining Concession
	AGUILA 1-100			AGUILA 1-100	100	Mining Concession
	SINTER 1-100			SINTER 1-100	100	Mining Concession
	BAHIA 1-100			BAHIA 1-100	100	Mining Concession
	VERDE 1-60			VERDE 1-60	100	Mining Concession
	PERRA 1-66			PERRA 1-66	100	Mining Concession
	VICUNA 1-45			VICUNA 1-45	100	Mining Concession
	LARGA 1-84			LARGA 1-84	100	Mining Concession
	CASCADA 1-100			CASCADA 1-100	100	Mining Concession
	ALPACA 4-15 Y 19-45			ALPACA 4-15 Y 19-45	100	Mining Concession
	GUANACA 6-17, 23-34 Y 38-87			GUANACA 6-17, 23-34 Y 38-87	100	Mining Concession
	LAGUNA 10-20, 30-40, 45-60, 62-80 Y 82-100			LAGUNA 10-20, 30-40, 45-60, 62-80 Y 82-100	100	Mining Concession

Project	Tenement as at 31 March 2022	Tenements added during the quarter	Tenements disposed during the quarter	Tenement as at 30 June 2023	% Interest	Type of tenement
	RIBERA 6-12, 18-24, 30-36, 41-48 Y 50-60			RIBERA 6-12, 18-24, 30-36, 41-48 Y 50-60	100	Mining Concession
	ROCA 5-15, 20-30 Y 32-100			ROCA 5-15, 20-30 Y 32-100	100	Mining Concession
	PUNTA 3-15, 18-30, 33-45, 47-60, 62-75, 78-81 Y 88-90			PUNTA 3-15, 18-30, 33-45, 47-60, 62-75, 78-81 Y 88-90	100	Mining Concession
	ORILLA 12-15, 27-30, 37-45, 47-60 Y 62-75			ORILLA 12-15, 27-30, 37-45, 47-60 Y 62-75	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 3 1/60			EDITH 3 1/60	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 4 1/60			EDITH 4 1/60	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 5 1/60			EDITH 5 1/60	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 6 1/60			EDITH 6 1/60	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 7 1/28			EDITH 7 1/28	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 8 1/56			EDITH 8 1/56	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 9 1/56			EDITH 9 1/56	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 10 1/38			EDITH 10 1/38	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 11 1/60			EDITH 11 1/60	100	Mining Concession
	MIRASOL 1 1/56			MIRASOL 1 1/56	100	Mining Concession
	MIRASOL 2 1/36			MIRASOL 2 1/36	100	Mining Concession
	MIRASOL 3 1/36			MIRASOL 3 1/36	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 12 1/40			EDITH 12 1/40	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 13 1/60			EDITH 13 1/60	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 14 1/60			EDITH 14 1/60	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 15 1/50			EDITH 15 1/50	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 16 1/50			EDITH 16 1/50	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 17 1/43			EDITH 17 1/43	100	Mining Concession
	MIRASOL 4 1/20			MIRASOL 4 1/20	100	Mining Concession

Project	Tenement as at 31 March 2022	Tenements added during the quarter	Tenements disposed during the quarter	Tenement as at 30 June 2023	% Interest	Type of tenement
	MIRASOL 5 1/30			MIRASOL 5 1/30	100	Mining Concession
	MIRASOL 6 1/45			MIRASOL 6 1/45	100	Mining Concession
	JOE 1 1/20			JOE 1 1/20	100	Mining Concession
	EDITH 2 1/40			EDITH 2 1/40	100	Mining Concession
	MIRASOL 7 1/15			MIRASOL 7 1/15	100	Mining Concession

TABLE 2. LOS DOMOS & CERRO DIABLO TENEMENT STATUS – JUNE QUARTER 2023

Project	Tenement as at 31 March 2022	Tenements added during the quarter	Tenements disposed during the quarter	Tenement as at 30 June 2023	% Interest	Type of tenement
Los Domos	Electrum 3A 1 - 24			Electrum 3A 1 - 24	100	Mining Concession
	Electrum 4A 1 - 26			Electrum 4A 1 - 26	100	Mining Concession ¹
	Electrum 5A 1 - 42			Electrum 5A 1 - 42	100	Mining Concession
	Electrum 6A 1 - 36			Electrum 6A 1 - 36	100	Mining Concession ¹
	Electrum 7A 1 - 44			Electrum 7A 1 - 44	100	Mining Concession ¹
	Electrum 8CC			Electrum 8CC	100	Exploration
	Electrum 10 1-20			Electrum 10 1-20	100	Mining Concession ¹
	Electrum 11CC			Electrum 11CC	100	Exploration
	Pedregoso I 1 - 30			Pedregoso I 1 - 30	Note 1	Mining Concession ²
	Pedregoso VII 1 - 30			Pedregoso VII 1 - 30	Note 1	Mining Concession ²
	Honda 20 1 - 20			Honda 20 1 - 20	Note 1	Mining Concession ²
Cerro Diablo	Diablo 1			Diablo 1	100	Exploration
	Diablo 2			Diablo 2	100	Exploration
	Diablo 3			Diablo 3	100	Exploration
	Diablo 4			Diablo 4	100	Exploration
	Diablo 5			Diablo 5	100	Exploration
	Diablo 6			Diablo 6	100	Exploration
	Diablo 7			Diablo 7	100	Exploration
	Diablo 8			Diablo 8	100	Exploration
	Diablo 9			Diablo 9	100	Exploration
	Diablo 10			Diablo 10	100	Exploration
	Diablo 11			Diablo 11	100	Exploration
	Diablo 12			Diablo 12	100	Exploration
	Diablo 13			Diablo 13	100	Exploration

Notes to Table 5:
¹Converted from exploration to mining claim

²The Company incorporated effective 12 August 2019 a joint venture company titled Equus Patagonia SpA with Patagonia Gold SCM, the Chilean subsidiary of Patagonia Gold Corp (TSXV: PGDC). This entity incorporates the Company's 75% interest in mining concessions owned by Patagonia Gold SCM, which form part of the Los Domos Project. Southern Gold SpA can acquire a further 20% interest in the Mining Concessions via sole funding exploration through the Equus Patagonia SpA joint venture company at which point Patagonia Gold SCM has the right to retain a 5% free carried interest or convert its equity into a 1.5% NSR.

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This announcement has been approved by the Managing Director, John Braham.

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NO MATERIAL CHANGES:

The Company confirms it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in this quarterly activities report and that all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the exploration activities in this market announcement continue to apply and have not materially changed.

COMPETENT PERSON'S STATEMENT:

The information in this report that relates to Exploration Results for the Cerro Bayo Project is based on information compiled by Damien Koerber. Mr Koerber is a fulltime employee to the Company. Mr Koerber is a Member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists and has sufficient experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposits under consideration and to the activities which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the 'Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves'. Mr Koerber has a beneficial interest as shareholder of Equus Mining Limited and consents to the inclusion in this report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

Appendix 5B

Mining exploration entity or oil and gas exploration entity quarterly cash flow report

Name of entity

EQUUS MINING LIMITED

ABN

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Quarter ended ("current quarter")

30 JUNE 2023

Consolidated statement of cash flows	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
1. Cash flows from operating activities		
1.1 Receipts from customers	483	15,892
1.2 Payments for		
(a) exploration & evaluation	-	-
(b) development	-	-
(c) production	(499)	(16,049)
(d) staff costs	(80)	(745)
(e) administration and corporate costs	(517)	(2,150)
1.3 Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
1.4 Interest received	3	11
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid	(85)	(240)
1.6 Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7 Government grants and tax incentives	-	-
1.8 Other (Termination Payments associated with Cerro Bayo project)	(623)	(623)
1.9 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities	(1,318)	(3,904)
2. Cash flows from investing activities		
2.1 Payments to acquire or for:		
(a) entities	-	-
(b) tenements	-	-
(c) property, plant and equipment	-	(34)
(d) exploration & evaluation	(148)	(3,424)
(e) investments	-	-
(f) other non-current assets	-	-

Mining exploration entity or oil and gas exploration entity quarterly cash flow report

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
2.2	Proceeds from the disposal of:		
	(a) entities	-	-
	(b) tenements	-	-
	(c) property, plant and equipment	-	-
	(d) investments	-	-
	(e) other non-current assets	-	-
2.3	Cash flows from loans to other entities	-	-
2.4	Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
2.5	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
2.6	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities	(148)	(3,458)

3.	Cash flows from financing activities		
3.1	Proceeds from issues of equity securities (excluding convertible debt securities)	900	2,446
3.2	Proceeds from issue of convertible debt securities	-	-
3.3	Proceeds from exercise of options	-	-
3.4	Transaction costs related to issues of equity securities or convertible debt securities	-	(14)
3.5	Proceeds from borrowings	-	3,534
3.6	Repayment of borrowings (lease payments)	(40)	(211)
3.7	Transaction costs related to loans and borrowings	-	-
3.8	Dividends paid	-	-
3.9	Other (provide details if material)	-	(306)
3.10	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities	860	5,449

4.	Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period		
4.1	Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	841	2,148
4.2	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9 above)	(1,318)	(3,904)
4.3	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities (item 2.6 above)	(148)	(3,458)
4.4	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities (item 3.10 above)	(860)	5,449

Mining exploration entity or oil and gas exploration entity quarterly cash flow report

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
4.5	Effect of movement in exchange rates on cash held	-	-
4.6	Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	235	235

5.	Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1	Bank balances	234	831
5.2	Call deposits	1	10
5.3	Bank overdrafts	-	-
5.4	Other (provide details)	-	-
5.5	Cash and cash equivalents at end of quarter (should equal item 4.6 above)	235	841

6.	Payments to related parties of the entity and their associates	Current quarter \$A'000
6.1	Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 1	80
6.2	Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 2	-
<i>Note: if any amounts are shown in items 6.1 or 6.2, your quarterly activity report must include a description of, and an explanation for, such payments.</i>		
Director fees and superannuation		

Mining exploration entity or oil and gas exploration entity quarterly cash flow report

7. Financing facilities	Total facility amount at quarter end \$US'000	Amount drawn at quarter end \$US'000
<i>Note: the term "facility" includes all forms of financing arrangements available to the entity. Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the sources of finance available to the entity.</i>		
7.1 Loan facilities	2,200	2,200
7.2 Credit standby arrangements	-	-
7.3 Other (please specify)	-	-
7.4 Total financing facilities	2,200	2,200
7.5 Unused financing facilities available at quarter end		-
7.6 Include in the box below a description of each facility above, including the lender, interest rate, maturity date and whether it is secured or unsecured. If any additional financing facilities have been entered into or are proposed to be entered into after quarter end, include a note providing details of those facilities as well.		
The Group has a credit facility for US\$2.2M from Tribeca Global Credit Pty Ltd, the credit facility matures in 24 months after the drawdown date (full drawdown was in October 2022) at an interest rate of 10% p.a. and the loan is secured over certain assets of the Group including all Australian assets and certain real estate assets in Chile.		

8. Estimated cash available for future operating activities	\$A'000
8.1 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9)	(1,318)
8.2 (Payments for exploration & evaluation classified as investing activities) (item 2.1(d))	(148)
8.3 Total relevant outgoings (item 8.1 + item 8.2)	(1,466)
8.4 Cash and cash equivalents at quarter end (item 4.6)	235
8.5 Unused finance facilities available at quarter end (item 7.5)	-
8.6 Total available funding (item 8.4 + item 8.5)	235
8.7 Estimated quarters of funding available (item 8.6 divided by item 8.3)	0.16
<i>Note: if the entity has reported positive relevant outgoings (ie a net cash inflow) in item 8.3, answer item 8.7 as "N/A". Otherwise, a figure for the estimated quarters of funding available must be included in item 8.7.</i>	
8.8 If item 8.7 is less than 2 quarters, please provide answers to the following questions:	
8.8.1 Does the entity expect that it will continue to have the current level of net operating cash flows for the time being and, if not, why not?	
Answer: During the quarter ended June 2023, the Group continued the re-structure of its Cerro Bayo project in Chile. \$623K has been paid in to staff in connection to terminations as part of the re-structure. The re-structure will be completed during the next quarter. The operating cash flow will be reduced to allow for care and maintenance of the plant, exploration expenditure and working capital.	

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8.8.2 Has the entity taken any steps, or does it propose to take any steps, to raise further cash to fund its operations and, if so, what are those steps and how likely does it believe that they will be successful?

Answer:

During July the Group completed a share placement of \$1.3M and is taking steps to raise additional funding to continued its exploration program at the Cerro Bayo Project including working capital.

8.8.3 Does the entity expect to be able to continue its operations and to meet its business objectives and, if so, on what basis?

Answer:

The Company is in discussions to secure the additional funding to continue with its exploration operations in the normal course of business.

Note: where item 8.7 is less than 2 quarters, all of questions 8.8.1, 8.8.2 and 8.8.3 above must be answered.

Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared in accordance with accounting standards and policies which comply with Listing Rule 19.11A.
- 2 This statement gives a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Date: 31 July 2023

Authorised by: By the Managing Director – John Braham

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(Name of body or officer authorising release – see note 4)

Notes

1. This quarterly cash flow report and the accompanying activity report provide a basis for informing the market about the entity's activities for the past quarter, how they have been financed and the effect this has had on its cash position. An entity that wishes to disclose additional information over and above the minimum required under the Listing Rules is encouraged to do so.
2. If this quarterly cash flow report has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 6: Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources* and *AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report. If this quarterly cash flow report has been prepared in accordance with other accounting standards agreed by ASX pursuant to Listing Rule 19.11A, the corresponding equivalent standards apply to this report.
3. Dividends received may be classified either as cash flows from operating activities or cash flows from investing activities, depending on the accounting policy of the entity.
4. If this report has been authorised for release to the market by your board of directors, you can insert here: "By the board". If it has been authorised for release to the market by a committee of your board of directors, you can insert here: "By the [name of board committee – eg Audit and Risk Committee]". If it has been authorised for release to the market by a disclosure committee, you can insert here: "By the Disclosure Committee".
5. If this report has been authorised for release to the market by your board of directors and you wish to hold yourself out as complying with recommendation 4.2 of the ASX Corporate Governance Council's *Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations*, the board should have received a declaration from its CEO and CFO that, in their opinion, the financial records of the entity have been properly maintained, that this report complies with the appropriate accounting standards and gives a true and fair view of the cash flows of the entity, and that their opinion has been formed on the basis of a sound system of risk management and internal control which is operating effectively.