

## **Announcement**

Date: 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2011

## **Hot Chili Closes \$8 Million**

## **Cornerstone Placement**

Hot Chili Limited (ASX Code: HCH) is pleased to announce that it has closed an \$8 million private placement to Panoramic Resources Limited (Panoramic) and Taurus Funds Management Pty Limited (Taurus) following the receipt of all remaining funds today.

Panoramic was issued 6,666,667 new shares at AUD\$0.60 cents on the 26<sup>th</sup> of July. The remaining 6,666,667 new shares were issued to Taurus today following the receipt of \$4 million and closure of the placement. Each cornerstone position represents 4.1% of Hot Chili's expanded capital structure.

The company looks forward to a strong flow of news over the coming months in relation to the anticipated release of a first resource at Productora and the commencement of development studies. The funds raised under the placement have put Hot Chili in a strong position to execute on its accelerated growth strategy.

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