

ASX Announcement

28 April 2015

OPTION ISSUE

Lucapa Diamond Company Limited (ASX: LOM) (the Company) advises the Company has issued 3,750,000 unlisted options in accordance with the Company's Employee Option Plan. The options have an exercise price of \$0.30 and expire two years from the grant date (Options).

It is the Board's view that such options are an effective tool to attract and incentivise high quality executive and operational personnel and help to align the long term interests of management and shareholders.

Attached is the Appendix 3B to reflect the Option issue.

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Rule 2.7, 3.10.3, 3.10.4, 3.10.5

Appendix 3B

New issue announcement, application for quotation of additional securities and agreement

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

Introduced 01/07/96 Origin: Appendix 5 Amended 01/07/98, 01/09/99, 01/07/00, 30/09/01, 11/03/02, 01/01/03, 24/10/05, 01/08/12, 04/03/13

Name of entity

Lucapa Diamond Company Limited

ABN

44 111 501 663

We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

Part 1 - All issues

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

1 +Class of +securities issued or to be issued

\$0.30 Unlisted Options

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

3,750,000 Unlisted \$0.30 Options, expiring 24 April 2017

Unlisted \$0.30 Options, expiring 24 April 2017

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4	Do the ⁺ securities rank equally in all respects from the ⁺ issue date with an existing ⁺ class of quoted ⁺ securities?	No. The shares issued upon exercise of the options will rank equally with all other issued fully paid ordinary shares of the Company.
	 If the additional ⁺securities do not rank equally, please state: the date from which they do the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment 	
5	Issue price or consideration	Nil
6	Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	Issue of unlisted options in accordance with the Company's Employee Option Plan, as approved by shareholders at the meeting held 21 December 2012.
6a	Is the entity an ⁺ eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A?	Yes
	If Yes, complete sections $6b - 6h$ in relation to the +securities the subject of this Appendix 3B, and comply with section 6i	
6b	The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed	21 May 2014
бс	Number of ⁺ securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	Nil
6d	Number of ⁺ securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	Nil

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бе	Number of ⁺ securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	Nil	
6f	Number of ⁺ securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	3,750,000 Unlisted \$0.3 April 2017	30 Options, expiring 24
6g	If ⁺ securities issued under rule 7.1A, was issue price at least 75% of 15 day VWAP as calculated under rule 7.1A.3? Include the ⁺ issue date and both values. Include the source of the VWAP calculation.	N/A	
6h	If ⁺ securities were issued under rule 7.1A for non-cash consideration, state date on which valuation of consideration was released to ASX Market Announcements	N/A	
6i	Calculate the entity's remaining issue capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A – complete Annexure 1 and release to ASX Market Announcements	Refer Annexure 1	
7	± T 1.	24 Amril 2015	
7	⁺ Issue dates Note: The issue date may be prescribed by ASX (refer to the definition of issue date in rule 19.12). For example, the issue date for a pro rata entitlement issue must comply with the applicable timetable in Appendix 7A. Cross reference: item 33 of Appendix 3B.	24 April 2015	
		Number	+Class
8	Number and ⁺ class of all ⁺ securities quoted on ASX (<i>including</i> the ⁺ securities in section 2 if applicable)	205,879,103 136,053,024	Ordinary Options exercisable at \$0.30 expiring 29 August 2015

		Number	+Class
9	Number and ⁺ class of all ⁺ securities not quoted on ASX (<i>including</i> the ⁺ securities in section 2 if applicable)	3,750,000	Options exercisable at \$0.30 expiring 24 April 2017
10	Dividend policy (in the case of a	The Company does not	have a dividend policy.

Part 2 - Pro rata issue

trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)

11	Is security holder approval required?	N/A
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	N/A
13	Ratio in which the ⁺ securities will be offered	N/A
14	⁺ Class of ⁺ securities to which the offer relates	N/A
15	⁺ Record date to determine entitlements	N/A
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	N/A
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	N/A
18	Names of countries in which the	N/A
10	entity has security holders who will not be sent new offer documents	
	Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.	
	Cross reference: rule 7.7.	
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	N/A
20	Names of any underwriters	N/A
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	N/A

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- 22 Names of any brokers to the issue
- 23 Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue
- Amount of any handling fee payable 24 to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of security holders
- 25 If the issue is contingent on security holders' approval, the date of the meeting
- 26 Date entitlement and acceptance form and offer documents will be sent to persons entitled
- 27 If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders
- Date rights trading will begin (if 28 applicable)
- 29 Date rights trading will end (if N/A applicable)
- 30 How do security holders sell their entitlements in full through a broker?
- How do security holders sell part of 31 their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?
- 32 How do security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?

33 ⁺Issue date N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

N/A

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N/A

N/A

Part 3 - Quotation of securities

You need only complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities

34 Type of +securities (*tick one*)

(a)

(b)

+Securities described in Part 1

All other ⁺securities

Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities

Entities that have ticked box 34(a) Additional securities forming a new class of securities

Tick to indicate you are providing the information or documents

35	If the ⁺ securities are ⁺ equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional ⁺ securities, and the number and percentage of additional ⁺ securities held by those holders
36	If the ⁺ securities are ⁺ equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional ⁺ securities setting out the number of holders in the categories 1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over
37	A copy of any trust deed for the additional ⁺ securities

Entities that have ticked box 34(b)

- 38 Number of ⁺securities for which N/A ⁺quotation is sought
- 39 ⁺Class of ⁺securities for which quotation is sought

ch	N/A	

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

If the additional ⁺securities do not rank equally, please state:

- the date from which they do
- the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment
- the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment
- 41 Reason for request for quotation now Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period

(if issued upon conversion of another +security, clearly identify that other +security)

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

Number	+Class	
N/A	N/A	
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Quotation agreement

¹ ⁺Quotation of our additional ⁺securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the ⁺securities on any conditions it decides.

N/A

- 2 We warrant the following to ASX.
 - The issue of the ⁺securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
 - There is no reason why those +securities should not be granted +quotation.
 - An offer of the ⁺securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty

• Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any ⁺securities to be quoted and that no-one has any right to return any ⁺securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the ⁺securities be quoted.

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- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the ⁺securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the ⁺securities be quoted.
- 3 We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.
- 4 We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document is not available now, we will give it to ASX before ⁺quotation of the ⁺securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

Mark Clements Company Secretary 28 April 2015

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Appendix 3B – Annexure 1

Calculation of placement capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A for eligible entities

Introduced 01/08/12 Amended 04/03/13

Part 1

Rule 7.1 – Issues exceeding 15% of capital Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated		
Add the following:		
 Number of fully paid ⁺ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2 		
24 June 2014 and 27 June 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post- consolidation)	131,133	
27 June 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options (post consolidation)	83,334	
3 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	87,608	
3 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options (post consolidation)	616,212	
4 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post-consolidation)	219,289	
7 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post-consolidation)	64,558	
8 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post-consolidation)	35,834	
9 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post-consolidation)	515,709	
9 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options (post consolidation)	197,222	

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10 July 2014 and 11 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post- consolidation)	1,362,840
14 July 2014 and 15 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	2,241,277
14 July 2014 and 15 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options (post consolidation)	1,243,335
15 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options (post consolidation)	7,954,962
15 July 2014 and 16 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	4,926,642
17 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options (post consolidation)	26,667
17 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	346,846
18 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options (post consolidation)	633,335
18 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	1,324,604
23,24 and 25 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	92,880
28 and 29 July 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	20,923
30 and 31 July 2014, 1 August, 4 August and 5 August 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	37,968
6, 7 and 8 August 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	99,763
11, 12, 14 and 15 August 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	40,792
22,25,26 and 27 August 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options,	26,550

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pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	
28 and 29 August 2014 and 1 September 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	106,722
1 September 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options (post consolidation)	50,000
2,4 and 5 September 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	34,408
15,17 and 19 September 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	42,633
24 and 25 September 2014 and 6 and 7 October 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	25,593
14 and 22 October 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	6,684
6 and 7 November 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	15,001
18 November 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	1,667
4 December 2014 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	4,444
13 January 2015 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	1,867
5 February 2015 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	1,067
11 March 2015 Issue of Shares	24 002 500
13 April 2015 Shares issued pursuant to exercise of options, pursuant to Entitlement Issue (post consolidation)	24,002,500 927
 Number of fully paid ⁺ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval 	

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 Number of partly paid ⁺ordinary securities that became fully paid in that 12 month period Note: Include only ordinary securities here – other classes of equity securities cannot be added Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items 	
Subtract the number of fully paid ⁺ ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period	Nil
" A "	4,777,603,212 (pre-consolidation) 205,879,103 (post-consolidation)
Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"	
"B"	0.15 [Note: this value cannot be changed]
<i>Multiply</i> "A" by 0.15	30,881,865
Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount 7.1 that has already been used	of placement capacity under rule
<i>Insert</i> number of ⁺ equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period <i>not counting</i> those issued:	
 Under an exception in rule 7.2 Under rule 7.1A With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4 	
Note: • This applies to equity securities, unless	

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"C"	Nil	
Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x "B"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1		
"A" x 0.15	30,881,865	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2		
Subtract "C"		
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	Nil	
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.15] – "C"	30,881,865	
	[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]	

Part 2

Rule 7.1A – Additional placement capacity for eligible entities

Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated

"**A**"

Note: number must be same as shown in Step 1 of Part 1

205,879,103 (post-consolidation)

Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"

"D"	0.10
	Note: this value cannot be changed
<i>Multiply</i> "A" by 0.10	20,587,910
	(post-consolidation)

Step 3: Calculate "E", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1A that has already been used

<i>Insert</i> number of ⁺ equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A
 Notes: This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities Include here – if applicable – the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed Do not include equity securities issued under rule 7.1 (they must be dealt with

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 in Part 1), or for which specific security holder approval has been obtained It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items 		
"E"	Nil	
Step 4: Subtract "E" from ["A" x "D"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A		
"A" x 0.10	20,587,910	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2		
Subtract "E"	Nil	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3		
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.10] – "E"	20,587,910	
	(post-consolidation)	
	Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A	

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