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#### **CAPITAL STRUCTURE** Shares on Issue: 200.5m

Unlisted Options: 0.5m

Market Cap: \$5.21 m (as at 30 June 2014)

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**CASH ON HAND** \$15.4m (as at 30 June 2014)

#### CORPORATE DIRECTORY

Mr Anthony Viljoen CEO, Executive Director

Mr Ryan Rockwood Executive Director

Mr Fortune Mojapelo Non-Executive Director

Ms Shannon Coates Non-Executive Director & Company Secretary

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# Quarterly Report for the period ended 30 June 2014

## Highlights during the quarter include:

#### Imaloto Coal Project and Extension (99%)

- Coal Mineral Resource upgrade to JORC 2012 completed and released to ASX on 29 July 2014. Resource stands at 135.7 million GTIS, with over 90% in the measured and indicated category.
- Lemur showcased its Imaloto project at the Salon des Mines conference in Antananarivo to an audience including his Excellency the President Hery Rajaonarimampianina.
- Heads of Agreement for the proposed 3 x 15 MW Imaloto coal fired power plant submitted to Jirama. Engineering and environmental service firms to work on the project short-listed.
- Successful resolution of the Tulear court case pertaining to permit 4578, the Company's flagship mining license and progress on dismissing the related case in Antananarivo.
- Drill rigs moved to a secure compound for storage and maintenance in anticipation of being deployed for regional work.

### Corporate

- Cash on hand at 30 June 2014 totalled \$15.38 million.
- Ms Shannon Coates, a qualified lawyer and experienced Company Secretary appointed to the Lemur board as an independent non-executive director.
- Company promotional activity continues including a publication in SA Mining and an upgrade of the website.

Lemur Resources Limited (Lemur or the **Company**) provides the following update on key activities undertaken by the Company during the quarter ended 30 June 2014.

## Imaloto Coal Project and Extension (99%)

### Upgrade to JORC 2012

During the quarter, no physical exploration activity was undertaken by the Company on its Imaloto Coal Project in Madagascar, however the Company worked towards upgrading the Mineral Resource for its Imaloto Project, previously reported in accordance with the JORC 2004 Code, in compliance with the JORC 2012 Code. Post the end of the quarter, on 29 July 2014, the Company announced to the ASX the Mineral Resource (JORC 2012) of 135.7 million GTIS, over 90% of which is in the measured and indicated category. Competent person, Mr Johan Erasmus who undertook the work is a qualified geologist registered with the South African Council for Natural Scientific Professions and has sufficient experience, which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of coal deposit under consideration.

As previously announced the scoping study and optimisation have demonstrated the positive economics and viability of the proposed Imaloto coal mine.

### SCOPING STUDY PARAMETERS – CAUTIONARY STATEMENT

The scoping study referred to in this announcement was first released to ASX on 26 September 2013. It:

- is based on lower-level technical and economic assessments, and is insufficient to support estimation of Ore Reserves or to provide assurance of an economic development case at this stage, or to provide certainty that the conclusions of the scoping study will be realised. There is a low level of geological confidence associated with mineral resources and there is no certainty that the production target itself will be realised;
- contains scoping study results and production targets which are preliminary in nature. The Life of Mine ("LOM") Run of Mine ("ROM") production target of 21 million tonnes is based on the exploitation of the Measured and Indicated portions only of the JORC compliant resource. The Measured and Indicated portions represent 91% of the resource equating to a total of 123 million tonnes;
- contains outputs relating to 100% of the Imaloto Project; and
- contains cash flows which, unless otherwise stated, are in US dollars which are undiscounted and are not subject to inflation/escalation factors and all years are calendar years.

### Salon des Mines

After over 4 years, Madagascar held its first resources sector conference in country during 18-21 June 2014. The investment showcase attracted many international companies, both with a current presence in the country and those contemplating entering the nation. President Hery Rajaonarimampianina and the newly appointed Minister of Strategic Resources, Mr Joéli Valérien Lalaharisaina, sponsored the conference. Lemur Resources attended and presented at the conference. Lemur also had an audience with his Excellency, President Hery Rajaonarimampianina and associated media coverage.

Lemur's 3 x 15 MW Imaloto coal power project was considered by La Jiro Sy Rano Malagasy (Jirama), the Madagascan Government's state owned electricity company, to be a cost effective alternative to diesel power at the town of Tulear and a number of proposed regional mining projects. The mines being developed include the Toliara Sands deposit and the Molo Graphite projects. Other conference participants included those with operating assets in production such as Rio Tinto (Fort Dauphin – mineral sands), Sherritt (Ambatovy – nickel) and Madagascar Oil (Tsimiroro oil field). Overall, there appeared to be renewed confidence that positive investor sentiment was returning to Madagascar's resources sector.

#### **Independent Power Producer license**

The Company's dialogue with Jirama continued in relation to the proposed Imaloto Independent Power Producer (IPP) licence. The IPP licence will give Lemur the right to build, own and operate a coal-fired power plant of 3 x 15MW within 10km of its Imaloto Project. A draft Heads of Agreement has been submitted to Jirama and is also currently under review by the Ministry of Strategic Resources.

The Company engaged with a number of service providers on both the engineering and environmental side to advance the IPP. A short list of preferred service providers has now been determined. It is anticipated that these service providers will be engaged upon receipt of the IPP licence.

#### Permit 4578

As previously advised on 16 April 2014, the Company reached a positive resolution in relation to the legal claim in a Tulear court case on permit 4578 which declared null and void various historical sale agreements, which ultimately resulted in Lemur being granted permit 4578. An "*Extrait de Plumitif*", an extract or summary of the Tulear court judgment that includes all relevant and important points in the judgement has been issued. However, whilst the *Extrait de Plumitif* constitutes sufficient evidence that Lemur has won the case, the original copy of the full judgement is yet to be issued. Once issued, Ms Rahajasoamampionona Ramiaramanana (the plaintiff) has 30 days to lodge an appeal against the Tulear court's decision following which the court decision will be final. The plaintiff will also be liable for any court fees associated with the claim if the court decision becomes final.

The Company is still waiting on the ruling by the Antananarivo court and expects to receive this soon. The plaintiff approached the Antananarivo court for a temporary enforcement of the original (now overturned) judgement in Tulear regarding permit 4578. However, this was not the normal legal process as the court case was still in progress in Tulear. Furthermore, the Company has recently lodged with the Antananarivo court the "*Extrait de Plumitif*" from the Tulear court cancelling the original judgement withdrawing permit 4578. The Company and its legal advisers remain positive on the outcome of the Antananarivo ruling in its favour.

### **Drilling Rigs**

During the quarter the rigs were successfully moved to a secure workshop compound where they will undergo routine maintenance to ensure they are in working order, under an arrangement with a drilling company in the area. Import duty free exemption was negotiated by Lemur. The workshop is based in a town just north of the Kenyan border in South Sudan that has not been impacted by any political unrest. The East African region including Ethiopia, South Sudan, Kenya and Uganda are considered to be highly prospective for greenfield precious and base metals exploration with a lot of exploration activity in the area. The exploration equipment will therefore be well positioned to be deployed throughout the region to generate ongoing returns for shareholders.

### Corporate

### **Cash Position**

As at 30 June 2014, Lemur had \$15.38 million cash on hand and no debt. A copy of the Company's Mining Exploration Entity Quarterly Report (Appendix 5B) in accordance with ASX Listing Rule 5.3 is attached.

#### **Annual General Meeting**

The Company held its Annual General Meeting (AGM) of shareholders on 29 May 2014. The three resolutions put to the meeting were the adoption of the remuneration report, re-election of Mr Ryan Rockwood (Executive Director) and the re-election of Mr Fortune Mojapelo (Non-executive Director). All three resolutions were passed by shareholders.

Lemur's South African based CEO, Mr Anthony Viljoen attended the meeting in Perth to present the Company's strategy to current shareholders and the broader investor community. The Company will continue to follow a two-pronged strategy. Firstly, to advance its planned flagship Imaloto Coal mine and 3 x 15 MW coal fired power plant project in Madagascar. Secondly, to use its cash balance to acquire one or more assets. The profile of assets being sought may be either those that are in production generating cash flows, or greenfield with significant exploration upside and favourable cost curve positioning.

#### **Board Changes**

Mr Jonathan Murray did not seek re-election at the AGM and therefore ceased as a Non-executive Director of Lemur at the conclusion of the meeting. The Company appointed its Company Secretary, Ms Shannon Coates, as a Non-executive Director.

Ms Coates is a qualified lawyer and has over 18 years' in-house experience in corporate law and compliance for public companies. She is a graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors and a Chartered Secretary. Ms Coates currently acts as non-executive director of ASX listed Vmoto Limited and Artemis Resources Limited and is a corporate advisor and company secretary to a number of ASX and AIM listed and un-listed companies.

#### Marketing

The Company continues to actively promote itself to existing and new investors. During the quarter the Company was featured in the South African Mining magazine's April edition. Further, Lemur was a participant in the Salon des Mines conference in Antananarivo and the Company's website was refreshed.

For further information see <u>www.lemurresources.com</u>

#### About Lemur Resources Limited

Lemur Resources Limited is focused on the development of the Company's significant coal assets in Madagascar. The Company is planning to develop a thermal coal mine at its 99% owned Imaloto Coal Project, located in the Imaloto Coal Basin in Madagascar, which currently has a resource of 135.7 million GTIS of which 90.7% is measured and indicated (91.6mt measured and 31.5 indicated). Lemur's Board and management have significant experience in developing mining projects in Africa. The Company listed on the ASX in August 2011.

#### **Competent Persons Statement**

The information in this Report that relates to Mineral Resources was released to ASX on 29 July 2014 (*Coal Mineral Resource Updated to JORC 2012*) and is based on information compiled by Mr Johan Erasmus. Mr Erasmus is a Qualified Geologist (Bachelor of Science - Geology and Chemistry, Bachelor of Science (Hons.) – Geology – University of Port Elizabeth – 1989, 1990) and is also a Professional Natural Scientist (Pr.Sci. Nat.), registered with the South African Council for Natural Scientific Professions, a 'Recognised Overseas Professional Organisation' ('ROPO') included in a list promulgated by the ASX from

time to time. Mr Erasmus is a consultant to the Company and the owner of Sumsare Consulting CC. Mr Erasmus has sufficient experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity 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'. The Company confirms that the form and context in which the information is presented has not been materially modified and it is not aware of any new information or data that material affects the information as announced on 29 July 2014. All material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the estimates continue to apply and have not materially changed.

#### **Forward Looking Statements**

This announcement contains certain forward looking statements. The words "expect", "forecast", "should", "projected", "could", "may", "predict", "plan" and other similar expressions are intended to identify forward looking statements. Indications of, and guidance on, future earnings, cash flow costs and financial position and performance are also forward looking statements. Forward looking statements, opinions and estimates included in this announcement are based on assumptions and contingencies which are subject to change without notice, as are statements about market and industry trends, which are based on interpretations of current market conditions.

Forward looking statements are provided as a general guide only and should not be relied on as a guarantee of future performance. Forward looking statements may be affected by a range of variables that could cause actual results or trends to differ materially. These variations, if materially adverse, may affect the timing or the feasibility of the development of the Imaloto Coal Project.

The Company believes it has a reasonable basis for making the forward-looking statements in this announcement, including with respect to any production targets, based on the information contained in this announcement and in particular:

- The LoM ROM production target of 21 million tonnes is based on the exploitation of the Measured and Indicated portions only of the JORC compliant resource. The Measured and Indicated portions represent 91% of the resource equating to a total of 123 million tonnes;
- JORC 2012 compliant Resources Statement released on 29 July 2014;
- Independent scoping studies which addressed the critical areas including the determination of mining inventory, mine design and scheduling, assay test work, and industry specific operating and capital cost data; and
- Independently prepared financial model and the key assumption contained therein relating to the commodity price and exchange rate forecasts.

#### **Mining Tenements**

Mining tenements held at the end of the quarter				
Permit number	Project name	Country held	Beneficial interest	
3196	Imaloto	Madagascar	99%	
4578	Imaloto	Madagascar	99%	
12653	Imaloto	Madagascar	99%	
27163	Imaloto	Madagascar	99%	
26904	Imaloto	Madagascar	99%	
31892	lanapera	Madagascar	99%	
31808	Sakaraha	Madagascar	99%	

No mining tenements were acquired or disposed of during the quarter.

No exploration, mining production or development activities took place in respect of the Company's mining tenements during the quarter.

The Company holds no beneficial percentage interests through farm-in or farm-out agreements at the end of the quarter, nor did the Company acquire or dispose of any beneficial percentage interests in farm-in or farm-out agreements during the quarter.

# Appendix 5B

# Mining exploration entity quarterly report

ABN		Quarter ended ("current	quarter")
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Co	nsolidated statement of cash flows		
001		Current quarter	Year to date
Cash f	lows related to operating activities	\$A'000	(12 Months) \$A'000
1.1	Receipts from product sales and related debtors	-	-
1.2	Payments for (a) exploration & evaluation	(71)	(180)
	(b) development	-	-
	(c) production	-	-
4.2	(d) administration	(273)	(661)
1.3 1.4	Dividends received Interest and other items of a similar nature received	- 141	- 287
1.4 1.5	Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6	Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7	Other:		
	- Costs associated with contract drilling	(119)	(205)
	Net Operating Cash Flows	(322)	(759)
	Cash flows related to investing activities		
1.8	Payments for purchases of:		
1.0	(a) prospects	-	-
	(b) equity investments	-	-
	(c) other fixed assets	-	-
1.9	Proceeds from sale of:		
	(a) prospects	-	-
	(b) equity investments	-	-
	(c) other fixed assets	-	-
1.10	Loans to other entities	-	-
1.11 1.12	Loans repaid by other entities	-	-
1.12	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
	Net investing cash flows		
1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (carried		
	forward)		

1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (brought forward)	(322)	(759)
	Cash flows related to financing activities		
1.14	Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc.	-	-
1.15	Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares	-	-
1.16	Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
1.17	Repayment of borrowings	-	-
1.18	Dividends paid	-	-
1.19	Other: Fund raising costs	-	-
1.20	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
	Net financing cash flows	-	-
	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(322)	(759)
1.20	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	15,701	16,138
1.21	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20		-
1.22	Cash at end of quarter	15,379	15,379

# Payments to directors of the entity, associates of the directors, related entities of the entity and associates of the related entities

		Current quarter \$A'000
1.23	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	165
1.24	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	-
1.25	Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions <u>\$A'000</u> 128 Director fee's	

- 25 South African office lease payments paid to VM Investment Company (Pty) Ltd of which Mr Anthony Viljoen and Fortune Mojapelo are both directors and shareholders.
- 12 Australian office lease payments, company secretarial and consulting fees paid to Evolution Capital Partners Pty Ltd as trustee for the Evolution Trust. Ms Shannon Coates is a director of Evolution and a beneficiary of the Evolution Trust.

### Non-cash financing and investing activities

2.1 Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows

n/a

# 2.2 Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their share in projects in which the reporting entity has an interest

n/a

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**Financing facilities available** Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position.

		Amount available \$A'000	Amount used \$A'000
3.1	Loan facilities	-	-
3.2	Credit standby arrangements	-	-

## Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

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		\$A'000
4.1	Exploration and evaluation	-
4.2	Development	(100)
4.3	Production	-
4.4	Administration (net of interest revenue)	(250)
4.5	Other (costs associated with contract drilling)	(50)
	Total	(400)

# **Reconciliation of cash**

show	nciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as n in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to elated items in the accounts is as follows.	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1	Cash on hand and at bank	(21)	131
5.2	Deposits at call	15,400	15,570
5.3	Bank overdraft	-	-
5.4	Other (USD account)	-	-
	Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	15,379	15,701

# Changes in interests in mining tenements

		Tenement reference	Nature of interest (note (2))	Interest at beginning of quarter	Interest at end of quarter
6.1	Interests in mining tenements relinquished, reduced or lapsed	-	-	-	-
6.2	Interests in mining tenements acquired or increased	-	-	-	-

**Issued and quoted securities at end of current quarter** Description includes rate of interest and any redemption or conversion rights together with prices and dates.

		Total number	Number quoted	Issue price per security (see note 3) (cents)	Amount paid up per security (see note 3) (cents)
7.1	Preference +securities (description)				
7.2	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy- backs, redemptions				
7.3	*Ordinary securities	200,500,001	200,500,001		
7.4	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy- backs (c) Release from escrow				
7.5	<pre>*Convertible debt securities (description)</pre>				
7.6	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through securities matured, converted				

		Total number	Number quoted	Issue price per security (see note 3) (cents)	Amount paid up per security (see note 3) (cents)
7.7	Options	500,000	nil – unlisted options	Exercise price 500,000 exercisable at 15 cents each	<u>Expiry date</u> 15 Nov 2017
7.8	Issued during quarter				
7.9	Exercised during quarter				
7.10	Expired during quarter				
7.11	<b>Debentures</b> (totals only)				
7.12	Unsecured notes (totals only)				

# **Compliance statement**

- 1 This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Act or other standards acceptable to ASX (see note 5).
- 2 This statement does give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Sign here:	R. Rockwood . Executive Director	Date: 31 July 2014
Print name:	Ryan Rockwood	

### Notes

- 1 The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity wanting to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes attached to this report.
- 2 The "Nature of interest" (items 6.1 and 6.2) includes options in respect of interests in mining tenements acquired, exercised or lapsed during the reporting period. If the entity is involved in a joint venture agreement and there are conditions precedent which will change its percentage interest in a mining tenement, it should disclose the change of percentage interest and conditions precedent in the list required for items 6.1 and 6.2.

- 3 **Issued and quoted securities** The issue price and amount paid up is not required in items 7.1 and 7.3 for fully paid securities.
- 4 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.
- 5 **Accounting Standards** ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Financial Reporting Standards for foreign entities. If the standards used do not address a topic, the Australian standard on that topic (if any) must be complied with.

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