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QUARTERLY ACTIVITIES REPORT to December 31, 2015

REVIEW of OPERATIONS GUNNEDAH BASIN COALBED METHANE PROJECT PETROLEUM EXPLORATION LICENCES 1 AND 12, NSW (GUNNEDAH BASIN)

These tenements are held by wholly owned subsidiary, Australian Coalbed Methane Pty Ltd (ACM) and are subject to a Joint Venture (JV) with Santos QNT Pty Ltd (Santos), as previously advised. Santos holds a 65% interest in the tenements and is the project Operator.

During the quarter field operations entailed routine well maintenance. Environmental monitoring included additional background methane emissions survey work and baseline groundwater sampling.

The work program and budget for 2016 has been approved by the JV partners. PEL1 remains under renewal application and additional documentation, as required by changes in administrative requirements, was supplied by JV Operator Santos to the Regulator (Department of Industry Resources and Energy). Renewal is anticipated early in 2016.

Santos continues with community consultation matters including comments to the media and meetings with community groups.

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QUARTERLY ACTIVITIES REPORT FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

Exploration Expenditure Incurred

Exploration expenditure incurred during the quarter ended 31 December 2015 on the group's projects is set out below:-

Project

Amount Incurred

New South Wales PELs 1 & 12 (Gunnedah Basin)

\$90,804

SCHEDULE OF MINERAL TENEMENTS AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2015

LOCATION	TENEMENT	HOLDER	INTEREST	AREA	CURRENT TO
New South Wales:					
Gunnedah Bando	PEL 1 PEL 12	ACM ACM	35% ¹ 35% ¹	72 blocks 31 blocks	10/02/2015 ² 26/09/2016

Key to Tenement Types

PEL Petroleum Exploration Licence

Key to Tenement Holders

ACM Australian Coalbed Methane Pty Limited

Notes

- 1. PELs 1 and 12 are subject to an arrangement with Santos QNT Pty Ltd ("Santos"), in which Santos has a 65% interest in each tenement.
- 2. Application for renewal submitted.

Rule 5.5

Appendix 5B

Mining exploration entity and oil and gas exploration entity quarterly report

Introduced 01/07/96 Origin Appendix 8 Amended 01/07/97, 01/07/98, 30/09/01, 01/06/10, 17/12/10, 01/05/2013

Name of entity

CARBON MINERALS LIMITED

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Quarter ended ("current quarter") 31 DECEMBER 2015

Consolidated statement of cash flows

Cl-		Current quarter	Year to date
Cash	flows related to operating activities	\$A	(12 months) \$A
1.1	Receipts from product sales and related debtors	6,980	22,969
1.2	Payments for (a) exploration & evaluation (b) development (c) production	(93,800)	(410,710)
	(d) administration	(71,191)	(235,203)
1.3	Dividends received	-	-
1.4	Interest and other items of a similar nature received	46,089	148,782
1.5	Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6	Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7	Other (provide details if material)	(458)	(2,132)
	Net Operating Cash Flows	(112,380)	(476,294)
	Cash flows related to investing activities		
1.8	Payment for purchases of: (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	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)	(112,380)	(476,294)

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1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows		
	(brought forward)	(112,380)	(476,294)
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	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 (provide details if material)	-	-
	Net financing cash flows	-	-
	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(112,380)	(476,294)
1.20	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	5,106,584	5,470,498
	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	5,100,504	5,470,490
1.21	Exchange fate aujustments to item 1.20	-	-
1.22	Cash at end of quarter	4,994,204	4,994,204

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

		Current quarter \$A
1.23	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	39,600
1.24	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	-
1.25	Explanation percessary for an understanding of the transactions	

1.25 Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions

Item 1.2(d) includes secretarial fees paid \$39,600 to an entity, of which a company director is a consultant and an alternate director is a principal.

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

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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

Financing facilities available

Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position.

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

Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

4.2Development-4.3Production-4.4Administration30,000	4.1	Exploration and evaluation	\$A 85,000
	4.2	Development	-
4.4 Administration 30,000	4.3	Production	-
	4.4	Administration	30,000
Total 115,000		T- (- 1	115.000

Reconciliation of cash

show	nciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as on in the consolidated statement of cash flows) e related items in the accounts is as follows.	Current quarter \$A	Previous quarter \$A
5.1	Cash on hand and at bank	289,087	445,482
5.2	Deposits at call	4,705,117	4,661,102
5.3	Bank overdraft		
5.4	Other (provide details)		
	Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	4,994,204	5,106,584

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Changes in interests in mining tenements and petroleum tenements

		Tenement reference and location	Nature of interest (note (2))	Interest at beginning of quarter	Interest at end of quarter
6.1	Interests in mining tenements and petroleum tenements relinquished, reduced or lapsed				
6.2	Interests in mining tenements and petroleum 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	18,803,498	18,803,493	Various	Fully paid
7.4	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy- backs				
7.5	*Convertible debt securities (description)				

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7.6	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through securities matured, converted			
7.7	Options (description and conversion factor)		Exercise price	Expiry date
7.8	Issued during quarter			
7.9	Exercised during quarter			
7.10	Expired during quarter			
7.11	Debentures (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.

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Sign here:

Director

Date: 29 January 2016

Print name: Marcus Lincoln Smith

Notes

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.

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- 2 The "Nature of interest" (items 6.1 and 6.2) includes options in respect of interests in mining tenements and petroleum 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 or petroleum 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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