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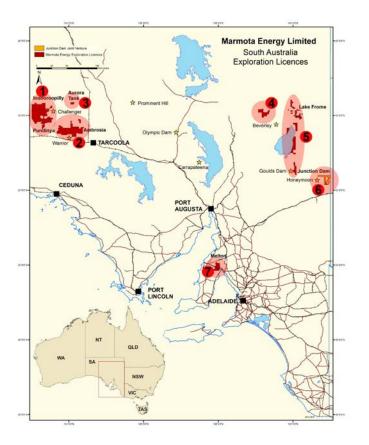
31 October 2014

## **QUARTERLY ACTIVITIES REPORT SEPTEMBER QUARTER 2014**

#### **HIGHLIGHTS:**

- Marmota was given consent by NSW Government to apply for an exploration licence for uranium covering certain areas in NSW near Broken Hill
- Geological logging of the drill samples from the Yorke Peninsula Project observed copper mineralisation as supergene malachite and primary chalcopyrite
- Apollo Minerals commenced drilling at Aurora Tank
- Mr David Williams was appointed as Managing Director of the Company

#### **Exploration Activities**



#### PROJECT - Junction Dam and Mulyungarie (Area 6)

#### Tenements and interest

- EL4510 (Junction Dam) (100% of uranium)
- EL5124 (Mulyungarie) (100%)

#### Commodity focus

• Uranium

#### Work undertaken during reporting period

• Nil

#### Future exploration focus

• Marmota will be re-commencing the work required to move the Saffron prospect to a Retention Lease status and to undertake work on samples from previous drilling to evaluate the nature of the resource and its pathway to commercialisation.

#### **PROJECT - New South Wales**

#### Tenements and interest

• Expression of Interest Area (100%)

#### Commodity focus

• Uranium

#### Work undertaken during reporting period

 During the Quarter, Marmota was given consent under section 13(3) of the NSW *Mining Act 1992* to apply for an exploration licence for Group 11 minerals (uranium) covering some of the areas near Broken Hill in which it showed an expression of interest for uranium exploration. Marmota believes that the area that such consent was granted for has excellent potential for sandstone hosted uranium mineralisation similar to the Junction Dam project. The area has historically proven from drilling information to contain geological formations that are known to host uranium mineralisation and is within close proximity to the Junction Dam project. All of these factors are very encouraging for the NSW project area, which would provide an adjunct to the Junction Dam Project.

#### Future exploration focus

• Marmota will review the application process during the next Quarter in order to evaluate whether to move forward with the next stage.

#### PROJECT - Yorke Peninsula (Area 7)

#### Tenements and interest

- EL4648 (West Melton) (100%)
- EL5122 (Melton) (Marmota 75%, Monax Mining Limited [ASX:MOX] 25%)
- EL5209 (North Melton) (Marmota 75%, Monax Mining Limited [ASX:MOX] 25%)

#### Commodity focus

• Copper - gold

#### Work undertaken during reporting period

• Detailed lithological logging of drill samples was completed from the drilling campaign undertaken over the Champion prospect. The logging observed copper mineralisation in the form of supergene malachite and primary chalcopyrite. In addition, pyrite was common across the prospect, which can be an indicator that the copper encountered at Champion may be bordering a larger mineralising system. Up to 43 metres of disseminated sulphides (both pyrite and chalcopyrite) were logged in drill hole WMAC011 with the hole ending in sulphides. Eight holes intercepted significant grades of copper from near surface, and four drill holes ended in copper mineralisation.

Assessment of the rock lithologies , showed the host bedrock to be broadly metasediments of the Wandearah Formation, with minor occurrences of felsic and mafic intrusives. The Wandearah Formation hosts copper and gold mineralisation at the Wallaroo mines. Basement was encountered in all drillholes from depths as shallow as 2 metres.

• After an independent geophysical review was conducted on the entire project area, a ground based magnetometer survey commenced over the Melton Central target area. The survey is in progress and is due for completion once harvesting has completed during the next Quarter.

#### Future exploration focus

- Geophysical interpretation and modelling will be conducted of the magnetometer data to determine the potential for further mineralisation on the project area.
- Planning is underway to conduct an electromagnetic (EM) or an induced polarisation (IP) survey over high priority targets within the project area. A follow up drilling program is anticipated once results of the geophysical survey have been received.

#### PROJECT - Aurora Tank JV (Area 3)

#### Tenements and interest

 EL4433 (Aurora Tank) (Marmota 100%, Apollo Minerals Limited Group [ASX:AON] earning up to 75%)

#### Commodity focus

• Gold and IOCG (Iron oxide copper gold)

#### Work undertaken during reporting period

 Following on from geophysical surveys conducted that highlighted large scale IOCG targets, work undertaken by Apollo during the previous Quarter (shallow rotary air blast drilling program and an induced polarisation survey) confirmed the possibility of IOCG style mineralisation. A drilling program was undertaken by Apollo to test a strong chargeability anomaly highlighted from the IP survey, as well as testing a non-magnetic and dense body in close proximity to historic drilling. Results from that drilling program were being reviewed during the Quarter.

#### Future exploration focus

• Once results from the recent drilling program have been received, an assessment will be undertaken to determine the future exploration stages of the project.

#### PROJECT - Central Gawler Craton (Area 2)

#### Tenements and interest

- EL4510 (Ambrosia) (100%)
- EL4526 (Pundinya) (100%)
- EL5195 (Muckinippie) (100%)

#### Commodity focus

• Multi commodity potential (gold, copper, nickel, zinc, uranium)

#### Work undertaken during reporting period

• Nil

#### Future exploration focus

• Reviewing results from past work on the Durkin prospect and determining what future exploration activity is warranted.

#### **PROJECT - Western Gawler Craton (Area 1)**

#### Tenements and interests

- EL4702 (Indooroopilly) (100%)
- EL4995 (Mt Christie) (100%)
- EL5060 (Lake Anthony) (100%)
- EL5377 (Cudyea) (100%)

#### Commodity focus

• Multi commodity potential (gold, iron ore, uranium, tungsten)

#### Work undertaken during reporting period

• Field trips were undertaken to the project area with possible joint venture partners.

#### Future exploration focus

• Reviewing past work and determining what future exploration activity is warranted.

#### **PROJECT - Western Spur (Area 4)**

Tenements and interest

• EL4528 (Western Spur) (100%)

#### Commodity focus

• iron ore and uranium

#### Work undertaken during reporting period

• Nil

#### *Future exploration focus*

• Reviewing past work and determining what future exploration activity is warranted.

#### **PROJECT - Lake Frome Region (Area 5)**

#### Tenements and interest

EL4254 (Lake Callabonna Nth), EL4255 (Lake Callabonna Sth), EL4276 (Poontana), EL4319 (Mudguard Swamp West), EL4320 (Lake Frome), EL4383 (Billeroo), EL4412 (Moolawatana), EL4521 (Yandama Creek), EL4572 (Mulligan Hill), EL4625 (Christmas Bore), EL5275 (Woolatchi), EL5318 (Old Moolawatana) (100%)

#### Commodity focus

• Uranium

#### Work undertaken during reporting period

• Nil

#### Future exploration focus

• Reviewing past work and determining what future exploration activity is warranted.

#### **Corporate Activities**

During the Quarter Marmota appointed Mr David Williams as Managing Director. Mr Williams brings 20 years' experience in the energy and resources industries with recent roles as Executive Chairman of ASX listed Lithex Resources Limited, a graphite nickel and base metals explorer, and as President of Heathgate Resources, the owner and operator of the Beverley uranium mine. Mr Williams commenced full time employment on 29 September 2014. Mr Williams has indicated that the first task he is undertaking is to review all of the Company's tenements with a view to rationalising the tenement holdings to reduce costs and provide a focused approach going forward so as to provide the best value from the funds held by the Company.

The Company will hold its AGM on 25 November 2014 at 11.00am. Notice of Meeting and Annual Report have been despatched after the Quarter.

#### For further information please contact:

#### **David Williams**

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#### **Competent Persons Statement**

Information in this report relating to Exploration Results is based on information compiled by Mr. Daniel Gray as Senior Project Geologist for Marmota Energy Limited, who is a Member of the Australasian Institute of Geoscientists, and who is a full-time employee of the Company. He has sufficient experience which is relevant to the styles of mineralisation and types of deposits under consideration and to the activities being undertaken to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the Australasian Code of Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves. Mr. Gray consents to the inclusion of the information in the form and context in which it appears.

Rule 5.3

# Appendix 5B

# Mining exploration entity quarterly report

Introduced 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 8. Amended 1/7/97, 1/7/98, 30/9/2001, 01/06/10.

Marmota Energy Limited

ABN

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Quarter ended ("current quarter") 30 September 2014

#### Consolidated statement of cash flows

Cash	flows related to operating activities	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (3 months)
			\$A'ooo
1.1	Receipts from product sales and related	-	-
	debtors		
1.2	Payments for (a) exploration & evaluation	(135)	(135)
	(b) development	-	-
	(c) production	-	-
	(d) administration	(157)	(157)
1.3	Dividends received	-	-
1.4	Interest and other items of a similar nature		
	received	8	8
1.5	Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6	Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7	Other (provide details if material)		
	Other – termination payment	(162)	(162)
	Net Operating Cash Flows	(446)	(446)
0	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)	-	-
	Not immediate as the former		
	Net investing cash flows	-	-
1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows		
	(carried forward)	(446)	(446)

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows		
	(brought forward)	(446)	(446)
	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)		
-	- Costs associated with issues of shares	-	-
	Net financing cash flows	-	-
	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(446)	(446)
1.20	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	1,573	1,573
1.21	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20		-
1.22	Cash at end of quarter	1,127	1,127

Payments to directors of the entity and associates of the directors Payments to 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 and 1.7	267
1.24	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	-

1.25 Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions
The amount at 1.23 above represents non executive directors' fees and executive director's salary (including SGC superannuation), legal fees paid to a legal firm in which a director is a partner and payments to a related party for shared facilities and staff.

### 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

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
\$49,995 contributed by Apollo Minerals Limited for exploration under joint venture agreement, for all minerals on EL 4433.

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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

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

## Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

		\$A'000		
4.1	Exploration and evaluation	150		
4.2	Development	-		
4.3	Production	-		
4.4	Administration	250		
	Total	400		

# **Reconciliation of cash**

Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.		Current quarter \$A'ooo	Previous quarter \$A'ooo
5.1	Cash on hand and at bank	277	153
5.2	Deposits at call	850	1,420
5.3	Bank overdraft	-	-
5.4	Other (provide details)	-	-
	Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	1,127	1,573

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		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	EL5438 (formerly ELA 2014/00038)	Granted	100%	100%
	increased	EL5489 (formerly ELA 2014/00107)	Granted	100%	100%
		EL5490 (formerly ELA 2014/00108)	Granted	100%	100%
		ELA 2014/00184	Application (Subsequent licence application for EL4383)	100%	100%

## Changes in interests in mining tenements

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

# **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	263,759,235	263,759,235		
<u>ر</u> .	securities				
7.4	Changes during				
/ • 4	quarter				
	(a) Increases				
	through issues				
	(b) Decreases				
	through returns				
	of capital, buy-				
	backs				
7 6	+Convertible				
7.5	debt				
	securities				
	(description)				
- 6					
7.6	Changes during				
	quarter				
	(a) Increases				
	through issues				
	(b) Decreases				
	through				
	securities				
	matured,				
	converted			Franciscovic	Ermine det :
7.7	Options	250.000		Exercise price	Expiry date
	(description and conversion	250,000 125,000	-	\$0.1016 \$0.082	05/03/15 21/12/15
			-	\$0.083 \$0.073	
	factor)	225,000 100,000	-	\$0.073 \$0.036	29/07/16 24/07/17
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7.8	Issued during				
	quarter				
7.9	Exercised				
	during quarter				
7.10	Expired during	75,000	-	\$0.1016	05/03/15
	quarter	25,000	-	\$0.036	24/07/17
		25,000	-	\$0.073	29/07/16

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7.11	Debentures	
	(totals only)	
7.12	<b>Unsecured</b> <b>notes</b> (totals only)	

## **Compliance statement**

- 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 4).
- 2 This statement does /<del>does not</del>\* (*delete one*) give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Sign here:

(<del>Director</del>/Company secretary)

Date: 31/10/14

Print name: Virginia Suttell.....

## 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.
- 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 1022: Accounting for Extractive Industries* and *AASB 1026: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report.
- 5 **Accounting Standards** ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Accounting 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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## Schedule of Tenement holdings

#### South Australia

Project name	Tenement	No	Tenure holder / applicant	Details	Nature of Company's interest %
Junction Dam	Junction Dam	EL 4509	Teck Australia Pty Ltd 51%, Variscan Mines 39.2%, Eaglehawk Geological Consulting Pty Ltd 9.8%	JV with Teck Australia, Variscan Mines & Eaglehawk Geological Consulting	100% of the uranium mineral rights
	Melton	EL 5122	Marmosa P/L	JV with Monax Mining	75% of all minerals
Melton	North Melton	EL 5209	Marmota Energy	JV with Monax Mining	75% of all minerals
	West Melton	EL 4648	Marmota Energy		100%
	Ambrosia	EL 4510	Marmosa P/L		100%
Ambrosia	Muckanippie	EL 5195	Marmota Energy		100%
Pundinya	Pundinya	EL 4526	Marmota Energy		100%
Western Spur	Western Spur	EL 4528	Marmota Energy		100%
Aurora Tank	Aurora Tank	EL 4433	Marmota Energy	JV with Southern Exploration	100%
	Indooroopilly	EL 4702	Marmota Energy		100%
Indooroopilly -	Mt Christie	EL 4995	Marmota Energy		100%
Lake Anthony	Lake Anthony	EL 5060	Marmota Energy		100%
	Cudyea	EL5377	Marmota Energy		100%
	Lake Callabonna North	EL5416	Marmota Energy		100%
	Lake Callabonna South	EL5415	Marmota Energy		100%
	Poontana	EL 5438	Marmota Energy		100%
	Mudguard Swamp West	EL5489	Marmota Energy		100%
	Lake Frome	EL 5490	Marmota Energy		100%
	Billeroo	EL 4383	Marmota Energy		100%
Lake Frome	Billeroo	ELA 2014/00184 (subsequent licence application to EL4383)	Marmota Energy		100%
	Moolawatana	EL 4412	Marmota Energy		100%
	Yandama Creek	EL 4521	Marmota Energy		100%
	Mulligan Hill	EL 4572	Marmota Energy		100%
	Christmas Bore	EL 4625	Marmota Energy		100%
	Woolatchi	EL 5275	Marmota Energy		100%
	Old Moolawatana	EL 5318	Marmota Energy		100%
Mulyungarie	Mulyungarie	EL 5124	Marmosa P/L		100%

Marmosa Pty Ltd is a wholly owned subsidiary of Marmota Energy Limited

#### Western Australia

Project	Tenement	No.	Tenure holder	Details	Nature of Company's interest %
		E45 / 3088	Teck Australia Pty Ltd	JV with Teck Australia	
		E45 / 3090	Teck Australia Pty Ltd	JV with Teck Australia	
		E45 / 3170	Teck Australia Pty Ltd	JV with Teck Australia	Option to acquire an
Rudall East	Rudall East	E45 / 3294	Teck Australia Pty Ltd	JV with Teck Australia	initial 51% interest in the
		E45 / 3520	Teck Australia Pty Ltd	JV with Teck Australia	uranium rights
		E45 / 3521	Teck Australia Pty Ltd	JV with Teck Australia	
		E45 / 3602	Teck Australia Pty Ltd	JV with Teck Australia	