



## **REVIEW OF OPERATIONS DECEMBER 2012 QUARTER**

During the quarter Argosy signed an option agreement to acquire two coal prospects in the KwaZulu Natal region of South Africa.

Argosy continues to develop an extensive exploration programme over these projects, as well as finalising administrative matters.

Also during the quarter, coinciding with the acquisition of these projects, \$611,000 was raised through the issue of 6.1 million Ordinary Shares, with the purpose of funding these projects and for general working capital.

Argosy has also evaluated, and continues to evaluate, a number of additional opportunities in base and precious metals commodities in Africa.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Peter H Lloyd', is positioned above the name and title.

**PETER H LLOYD  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

31 January 2013

## Appendix 5B

### Mining 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

Name of entity

ARGOSY MINERALS LIMITED

ABN

27 073 391 189

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

31 December 2012

#### Consolidated statement of cash flows

	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
<b>Cash flows related to operating activities</b>		
1.1 Receipts from product sales and related debtors		
1.2 Payments for (a) exploration & evaluation (b) development (c) production (d) administration	(80)   (132)	(352)   (611)
1.3 Dividends received		
1.4 Interest and other items of a similar nature received	3	25
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid		
1.6 Income taxes paid		
1.7 Other – Net GST (paid)/refunded	7	0
<b>Net Operating Cash Flows</b>	<b>(202)</b>	<b>(938)</b>
<b>Cash flows related to investing activities</b>		
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		
<b>Net investing cash flows</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
1.13 Total operating and investing cash flows (carried forward)	<b>(202)</b>	<b>(938)</b>

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1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (brought forward)	(202)	(938)
<b>Cash flows related to financing activities</b>			
1.14	Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc	611	611
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 – Capital raising costs	(29)	(29)
	Other – Security deposits		
	<b>Net financing cash flows</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>582</b>
	<b>Net increase (decrease) in cash held</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>(356)</b>
1.20	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	572	1,308
1.21	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	(2)	(2)
1.22	<b>Cash at end of quarter</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>950</b>

**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	127
1.24	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	

1.25 Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions

Payments include directors fees and management fees (including reimbursement of salaries for personnel in Australia)

**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

NIL

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

NIL

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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**

	\$A'000
4.1 Exploration and evaluation	300
4.2 Development	
4.3 Production	
4.4 Administration	200
<b>Total</b>	<b>500</b>

**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'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1 Cash on hand and at bank	83	59
5.2 Deposits at call	867	513
5.3 Bank overdraft		
5.4 Other (provide details)		
<b>Total: cash at end of quarter</b> (item 1.22)	<b>950</b>	<b>572</b>

**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		

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**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 <b>Preference + securities</b> <i>(description)</i>				
7.2 Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy-backs, redemptions				
7.3 <b>+Ordinary securities</b>	126,029,105	126,029,105		Fully Paid
7.4 Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues  (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy-backs	6,110,000	6,110,000	10 cents	Fully Paid
7.5 <b>+Convertible debt securities</b> <i>(description)</i>				
7.6 Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through securities matured, converted				
7.7 <b>Options</b> <i>(description and conversion factor)</i>			<i>Exercise price</i>	<i>Expiry date</i>
7.8 Issued during quarter				
7.9 Exercised during quarter				
7.10 Expired during quarter				
7.11 <b>Debentures</b> <i>(totals only)</i>				
7.12 <b>Unsecured notes</b> <i>(totals only)</i>				

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**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.

*Alan Thomas*

Sign here: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Company secretary)

Date: 31 January 2013

Print name: ALAN THOMAS

**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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