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.		
Introduc 04/03/13		8, 01/09/99, 01/07/00, 30/09/01, 11/03/02, 01/01/03, 24/10/05, 01/08/12,	
	of entity GATOR ENERGY LIMITED		
ABN			
79 140	0 575 604		
We (t	the entity) give ASX the followin	g information.	
	1 - All issues ust complete the relevant sections (attac	h sheets if there is not enough space).	
1	*Class of *securities issued or to be issued	Ordinary Shares	
2	Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued	1,526,736 Ordinary Shares issued to employees and contractors (or their nominees) under the terms of the Employee Share Option Plan and the short term incentive arrangements in their respective employment contracts	
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)	Ordinary fully paid shares	

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Do the +securities rank equally | Yes in all 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) interest payment
- the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment
- Issue price or consideration 5
- Purpose of the issue 6 (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)

\$0.00 per share (zero strike priced options which have now vested)

The issue of fully paid Ordinary Shares relates to the vesting of zero strike priced options issued to employees and contractors under the terms of the short term incentive arrangements in their respective contracts.

On 27 April 2015 the Company issued 2,035,647 Zero Strike Priced Options (Performance Options) to employees and contractors as short term incentives for the 2015 field season. The vesting of these options was based on achievement by employees and contractors of prescribed performance related KPIs. The performance assessment has occurred and on 22 February 2016 the Board approved the vesting of 1,526,736 options which now convert into ordinary shares. The remaining 508,911 Zero Strike Priced Options lapse.

Employee Share Option Plan was approved by shareholders at the Annual General Meeting held on 21 November 2014.

Appendix 3B Page 2 04/03/2013

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

6a	Is the entity an +eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A?	No
	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	Not applicable
6с	Number of *securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	Not applicable
6d	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	Not applicable
6e	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	Not applicable
6f	Number of *securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	Not applicable
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.	Not applicable
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	Not applicable
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	53,622,234

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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.

	26 February 2016
y	
1	
a	
1	

8 Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (*including* the +securities in section 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
357,481,563	Ordinary Shares

9 Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX (including the +securities in section 2 if applicable)

Options exercisable at \$0.15 expiring om 7 March 2017
Options exercisable at \$0.00 if vesting conditions are met before 2 May 2017
Options exercisable at \$0.00 if vesting conditions are met before 26 November 2017
Options exercisable at \$0.00 if vesting conditions are met before 21 April 2018

Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)

There is no change in the dividend policy

Appendix 3B Page 4 04/03/2013

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Part 2 - Pro rata issue

11	Is security holder approval required?	Not Applicable
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	Not Applicable
13	Ratio in which the *securities will be offered	Not Applicable
14	*Class of *securities to which the offer relates	Not Applicable
15	⁺ Record date to determine entitlements	Not Applicable
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	Not Applicable
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	Not Applicable
18	Names of countries in which the 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.	Not Applicable
	Cross reference: rule 7.7.	
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	Not Applicable
20	Names of any underwriters	Not Applicable
	A	N. A. P. 11
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	Not Applicable
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	Not Applicable

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Appendix 3B New issue announcement

23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	Not Applicable
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of security holders	Not Applicable
25	If the issue is contingent on security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	Not Applicable
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and offer documents will be sent to persons entitled	Not Applicable
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	Not Applicable
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	Not Applicable
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	Not Applicable
30	How do security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?	Not Applicable
31	How do security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	Not Applicable
32	How do security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?	Not Applicable
33	⁺ Issue date	Not Applicable

Appendix 3B Page 6 04/03/2013

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Part 3 - Quotation of securities

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

Type of *securities (*tick one*)

(a) +Securities described in Part 1

(b) 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

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

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Entities that have ticked box 34(b)

38	Number of *securities for which *quotation is sought	Not Applicable	
39	⁺ Class of ⁺ securities for which quotation is sought	Not Applicable	
40	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the *issue date with an existing *class of quoted *securities?	Not Applicable	
	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	Not Applicable	
	(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

Appendix 3B Page 8 04/03/2013

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Quotation agreement

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

Sign here:	Date: 29 February 2016
	Company secretary
Print name:	M C Meintjes

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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		
Insert number of fully paid +ordinary securities on issue 12 months before the +issue date or date of agreement to issue	310,531,959	
Add the following:		
 Number of fully paid ⁺ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2 	39,427,183	
 Number of fully paid ⁺ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval 	7,522,421	
 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	-	
" A "	357,481,563	

Appendix 3B Page 10 04/03/2013

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"		
"B"	0.15	
	[Note: this value cannot be changed]	
Multiply "A" by 0.15	53,622,234	
Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount 7.1 that has already been used	of placement capacity under rule	
Insert number of *equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period not counting 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 specifically excluded – not just ordinary securities 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 		
"C"	-	
Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x "l placement capacity under rule 7.1	B"] to calculate remaining	
"A" x 0.15	53,622,234	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2		
Subtract "C"	-	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3		
Total ["A" x 0.15] – "C"	53,622,234	
	[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]	

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 1 of Part 1	
Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"	
"D"	0.10
	Note: this value cannot be changed
Multiply "A" by 0.10	
Step 3: Calculate "E", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1A that has already been used	
Insert 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 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 	

Appendix 3B Page 12 04/03/2013

 $[\]boldsymbol{+}$ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Step 4: Subtract "E" from ["A" x "D"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A	
"A" x 0.10	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2	
Subtract "E"	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	
Total ["A" x 0.10] – "E"	
	Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.