

22 December 2016

The Manager Company Announcements Office Australian Stock Exchange Exchange Centre 20 Bridge Street SYDNEY NSW 2000

ELECTRONIC LODGEMENT

Dear Sir or Madam

Re: New Issue Announcement

Please find attached an Appendix 3B announcement relating to the issue of 39,934 new shares to meet obligations in relation to the subscription by employees to shares pursuant to IRESS' UK Share Incentive Plan as detailed in the document.

Yours sincerely,

Peter Ferguson
Group General Co.

Group General Counsel & Company Secretary

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.

 $Introduced \ o1/o7/96 \ \ Origin: Appendix \ 5 \ \ Amended \ o1/o7/98, \ o1/o9/99, \ o1/o7/oo, \ 30/o9/o1, \ 11/o3/o2, \ o1/o1/o3, \ 24/10/o5, \ o1/o8/12, \ o4/o3/13$

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Ve (t	he entity) give ASX the followin	g information.
	1 - All issues ust complete the relevant sections (attack	ch sheets if there is not enough space).
1	*Class of *securities issued or to be issued	Fully Paid Ordinary
2	Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued	39,934
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)	

Name of entity

IRESS Limited

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4 Do the *securities rank equally 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) or interest payment
- the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment

5 Issue price or consideration

Yes

\$451,853.21, which represents \$11.315 per share which was the volume weighted average price (VWAP) for 07 December 2016.

These funds have been made available to the IRESS UK Employee Share Trust in order for the Trust to subscribe to shares to meet obligations under the terms of the UK 'SIP' Share Incentive Plan. Under that Plan, IRESS provides one share (a Matching Share) for every two shares subscribed to and paid for by the relevant employee, up to a maximum value of Matching Shares of GBP150 per annum per employee.

Accordingly, of the issue consideration, 13% represents the value of Matching Shares being funded and contributed by IRESS, the remaining 87% representing value contributed by employees.

6 Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)

In relation to 39,934 shares to be issued to staff pursuant to the company's UK 'SIP' Share Incentive Plan 2016.

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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	
6c	Number of *securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	
6d	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	
6e	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	
6f	Number of *securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	
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.	
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	
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	

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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.

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

Number	+Class
169,956,905	Ordinary (IRE)

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		Number	+Class
9	Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX (including the +securities in section 2 if applicable)	rumoci	Class
10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)		
Part :	2 - Pro rata issue		
11	Is security holder approval required?		
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?		
13	Ratio in which the *securities will be offered		
14	*Class of *securities to which the		
	offer relates		
	*Record date to determine		
15	⁺ Record date to determine entitlements		
16	Will holdings on different		
10	registers (or subregisters) be		
	aggregated for calculating entitlements?		
	entitiements:		
17	Policy for deciding entitlements		
	in relation to fractions		
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.		
	Cross reference: rule 7.7.		

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19	Closing	date	for	receipt	of
	acceptan	ces or	renun	ciations	

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20	Names of any underwriters	
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of security holders	
25	If the issue is contingent on security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and offer documents will be sent to persons entitled	
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	
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	
30	How do security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?	
31	How do security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	

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32	of the	do security holders dispose eir entitlements (except by hrough a broker)?
33	⁺ Issue	e date
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		uotation of securities complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities
34	Type (tick o	of *securities one)
(a)		⁺ Securities described in Part 1
(b)	\boxtimes	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
Entitie	es that	t have ticked box 34(a)
Addit	ional	securities forming a new class of securities
Tick to docume		e you are providing the information or
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
36		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
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Entitie	es that have ticked box 34(b)		
38	Number of *securities for which *quotation is sought		
39	⁺ Class of ⁺ securities for which quotation is sought		
40	Do the *securities rank equally 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) 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 (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

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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:

Company secretary

Date: 22 December 2016

Print name:

Peter Ferguson

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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		
Add the following:		
 Number of fully paid ⁺ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2 		
 Number of fully paid ⁺ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval 		
 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"		

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Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"	
"B"	0.15
	[Note: this value cannot be changed]
<i>Multiply</i> "A" by 0.15	
Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount of 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	3"] to calculate remaining
"A" x 0.15	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2	
Subtract "C"	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	
<i>Total</i> ["A" x 0.15] – "C"	
	[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]

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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	
"A"	
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	
<i>Insert</i> 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 	

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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

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