

ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

3 AUGUST 2007

UNHEDGED GOLD PRODUCER FROM UNDERWRITTEN RIGHTS ISSUE

Dragon Mining Limited ("Dragon" or "Company") is pleased to announce a non-renounceable rights issue to all Eligible Shareholders and Noteholders of New Shares at an issue price of A\$0.115 (11.5 cents) per New Share to raise up to A\$30,974,337 before underwriting fees and expenses of the issue.

The principal purpose of the raising is to enable the Company to close out the 80,000 ounces of the hedge book which remains from the initial financing of the Svartliden Mine in Sweden, established in November 2003. The Board believes positioning the Company as an unhedged gold producer will provide all Shareholders with an exposure to any upturn in the gold price in the future and provide the Company with the additional cash flow it requires to evaluate further its extensive and highly prospective exploration portfolio in Finland.

Eligible Shareholders and Noteholders, who are on the share register at the Record Date of 14 August 2007, will be entitled to participate in this rights issue. Each Eligible Shareholder will be entitled to purchase one New Share in the Company for every two shares held. Each Eligible Noteholder will be entitled to purchase one New Share in the Company for each Note held.

Dragon has received great support from its major shareholders who have fully underwritten the Shareholder Offer of \$28.25 million.

For and on behalf of **Dragon Mining Limited**

Peter G Cordin Managing Director

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 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 5. Amended 1/7/98, 1/9/99, 1/7/2000, 30/9/2001, 11/3/2002, 1/1/2003.

Name of entity

DRAGON MINING LIMITED

ABN

19 009 450 051

We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

Part 1 - All issues

You must complete the relevant sections (attach sheets if there is not enough space).

1 +Class of +securities issued or to be issued

Ordinary Fully Paid Shares

Number of +securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued

Quotation to seek up to a maximum of 269,342,064 shares at an issue price of 11.5 cents each to raise a maximum of \$30,974,337

3 Principal terms of the *securities (eg, 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 in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing +class of quoted *securities? 5 those assets)

Yes

If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:

- the date from which they do
- extent to which they participate for the next dividend, 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
- Issue price or consideration

11.5 cents each

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

To close out the Company's hedge book obligations and ongoing working capital

Dates of entering +securities into holdings uncertificated despatch of certificates

To Be Advised

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

Number	⁺ Class
760,735,613 *	Ordinary Shares
23,645,289	Convertible Notes
* to be confirmed	

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Number	+Class
21,250,000	Options to subscribe for fully paid shares at \$0.20 per share expiring 4 November 2007.
1,000,000	Options to subscribe for fully paid shares at \$0.14 per share, no expiry.
1,500,000	Options to subscribe for fully paid shares at \$0.175 per share, no expiry.
2,000,000	Options to subscribe for fully paid shares at \$0.21 per share, no expiry and no hurdle.
4,000,000	Options to subscribe for fully paid shares at \$0.21 per share, with hurdles.
75,000	Options to subscribe for fully paid shares at \$0.21 per share, expiring 21 Dec 2011.
5,900,000	Options to subscribe for fully paid shares at \$0.175 per share, expiring 8 June 2012.

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

Not Applicable

Part 2 - Bonus issue or pro rata issue

11 Is security holder approval required?

Not Applicable

12 Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?

Not Applicable

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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 issue documents Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with. Cross reference: rule 7.7.	Not Applicable
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	Not Applicable
20	Names of any underwriters	Not Applicable
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	Not Applicable
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	Not Applicable
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

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26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to	Not Applicable
	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	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
22	+Described date	Nick Applicabile
33	⁺ Despatch date	Not Applicable
	t 3 - Quotation of securied only complete this section if you are apply	
34	Type of securities (tick one)	
(a)	V Securities described in Part 1	
(b)		of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employed ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities

Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

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Additional securities forming a new class of securities

Tick to documen	indicate you are providing the informationts	n or
35	·	securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the number and percentage of additional *securities held by
36	If the *securities are *equity *securities setting out the numb 1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over	securities, a distribution schedule of the additional per of holders in the categories
37	A copy of any trust deed for the	e additional *securities
Entiti	ies 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 date of allotment 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	

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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)

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Number and ⁺class of all ⁺securities quoted on ASX (*including* the securities in clause 38)

Number	+Class

Quotation agreement

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- ⁺Quotation of our additional ⁺securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the ⁺securities on any conditions it decides.
- 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.
- We warrant that if confirmation is required under section 1017F of the Corporations Act in relation to the +securities to be quoted, it has been provided 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.

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- 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 not available now, 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: Pauline Collinson

Company Secretary Dragon Mining Limited

Dated: 03 August 2007

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