

## METALLICA MINERALS LIMITED

**Subsidiary Companies** 

NORNICO Pty Ltd ACN 065 384 045 | Oresome Australia Pty Ltd ACN 071 762 484 | Greenvale Operations Pty Ltd ACN 139 136 708 Lucky Break Operations Pty Ltd ACN 126 272 580 | Scandium Pty Ltd ACN 138 608 894 | Phoenix Lime Pty Ltd ACN 096 355 761

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## UPDATE ON CASH AND LISTED INVESTMENTS POSITION

Following a significant increase in the share price of MetroCoal Ltd (Metallica 45.3% shareholding) this week and frequent questions from shareholders and investors, Metallica Minerals Limited (ASX-MLM) is pleased to provide an update on its cash position and the approximate value of the Company's ASX-listed investments, as at market close on 12 July, 2011. Similar updates will continue to be issued periodically.

ASX Code	Company & Shares on Issue	Commodity	MLM %	No. Shares MLM hold	Share Price (cents)	Market Value \$M
MTE	MetroCoal 176,683,663	Coal	45.3%	80,000,000	79c	\$63.2
СВХ	Cape Alumina 129,050,803	Bauxite	20.8%	26,867,621	22c	\$5.9
PMQ	Planet Metals 59,717,114	Copper- Gold	76.2*%	45,500,000*	9.7c	\$4.4
ORM	Orion Metals 79,597,443	Gold & REE's	14.9%	11,866,658	19.5c	\$2.3
*MLM share holding in PMQ will reduce to ~37% following completion of MLM Rights Issue.  **MLM's cash on hand will increase at the same time.  ***MLM's total shares on issue will increase by approx 11.7M shares (at 42c) to approx 128.4M.		Total Listed Investments				\$75.8M
		Cash at Bank (28/04/2011)**				\$4.1M
		Cash & Listed Company Share Investments				\$79.9M
		Shares on Issue (MLM)***				117.1 <b>M</b>
		MLM Market Capitalisation at \$0.42 share price				\$49.1M

Metallica's listed share investments and cash currently total **A\$79.9 million** compared to the Company's market capitalisation of around **A\$49 million**. The MetroCoal shareholding alone has a market value of around **A\$63 million**. Metallica also has substantial additional mineral asset value in its flagship NORNICO nickel-cobalt & scandium project in north Queensland, plus advanced zircon-rutile and limestone-lime projects.

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For further information see ASX release 10 June 2011

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MLM Cash & Listed Investments/share

MLM Share Price at COB 12 July 2011

\$0.68

\$0.42