



Fe Limited

Annual Report

2011

**CORPORATE DIRECTORY**

**Australian Business Number** 31 112 731 638

**Country of Incorporation** Australia

<b>Board of Directors</b>	Antony Sage	Non-Executive Chairman
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**ASX** Fe Limited's fully paid ordinary shares are quoted on the Official List of ASX. The ASX code is FEL.

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## DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors of Fe Limited ("FEL" or the "Company") present their report and the financial statements comprising FEL and its controlled entities (together the "Consolidated Entity") for the year ended 30 September 2011.

### Directors

The names and details of the Company's directors in office during the year and until the date of this report are as follows. All directors were in office for the entire year unless stated otherwise.

**Antony (Tony) Sage**, (*B com, FCPA, CA, FTIA*) *Non-Executive Chairman*

Mr Sage has in excess of 26 years' experience in the fields of corporate advisory services, funds management and capital raising. For the last 14 years Mr Sage has been involved in the management and financing of listed exploration mining companies all over the world. Mr Sage currently is, or has been a director of the following listed entities in the three years immediately before the end of the current financial year:

- International Petroleum Limited\* (January 2006 to Present);
- African Petroleum Corporation Limited\* (October 2007 to Present);
- International Goldfields Limited (February 2009 to Present);
- Cauldron Energy Limited (June 2009 to Present);
- Cape Lambert Resources Limited (December 2000 to Present);
- Chameleon Mining NL (September 2010 to Present); and
- African Iron Limited (January 2011 to Present)

\* Listed on National Stock Exchange of Australia

**Kim Bischoff**, (*BSc Geol. Hons, MAusIMM, MAICD*) *Managing Director (Appointed 21 March 2011) (resigned 28 November 2011)*

Mr Bischoff is a highly experienced geologist and executive and has more than 28 years' experience in the mineral industry. Mr Bischoff has an Honours degree in Geology and is a member of the Australian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, and the Australian Institute of Company Directors. Mr Bischoff has worked as a professional geologist and company director in technical, general management and corporate roles covering mineral exploration, development and production for several listed companies covering gold, copper and iron ore projects throughout Australia, Africa and Southeast Asia. Mr Bischoff has been a director of the following listed entities in the three years immediately before the end of the current financial year:

- DMC Mining Limited (December 2008 to September 2010)

**Mark Gwynne**, *Executive Director*

Mr Gwynne has been involved in gold exploration and mining for over 17 years, predominantly in Western Australia. Mr Gwynne has held management positions on mine sites and in the private sector of the mining industry, including general manager of an exploration consultancy company. Mr Gwynne is currently a director or has been a director of the following listed companies in the three years immediately before the end of the current financial year:

- International Petroleum Limited\* (April 2009 to Present);
- Orca Energy Limited (previously Monitor Energy Limited) (April 2006 to August 2011); and
- African Petroleum Corporation Limited\* (May 2010 to June 2010).

\* Listed on National Stock Exchange of Australia



### ***Paul Kelly, Non-Executive Director***

Mr Kelly has more than 20 years of experience in the fields of finance, investment and banking. Mr Kelly was previously National Manager of Advertising and Sponsorship for Members Equity Bank and has held a number of senior roles with the bank over a 15 year period. Mr Kelly is a director of the following listed entities.

- Chameleon Mining NL (May 2010 to Present);
- Eclipse Uranium Limited (March 2011 to November 2011);
- Orca Energy Limited (previously Monitor Energy Limited) (February 2011 to August 2011);
- International Goldfields Limited (November 2009 to February 2010); and
- DMC Mining Limited (June 2010 to September 2010).

### ***Simon McDonald, (BA, CFA) Non-Executive Director (Resigned 3 December 2010)***

Mr McDonald has spent the last decade as a professional investor for Merrill Lynch, Lehman Brothers and Commerzbank. He has extensive experience in capital markets, having invested on a global basis in many different industries. Mr McDonald was not a director of any other listed entity while he was a director of the Company.

### **Company Secretary**

#### ***Eloise von Puttkammer***

Ms von Puttkammer has many years of experience in the finance and investment industry. Over the past ten years she has held administration, compliance, and company secretarial roles within both private and public companies. She has also had experience in the provision of governance and secretarial advice to ASX and AIM listed companies.

### **Interests in the Shares and Options of the Company**

As at the date of this Report, the interests of the directors in the Company's Shares and Options are as follows:

Directors	Interest	Ordinary Shares	Options
Antony Sage	Indirect	2,071,699	2,500,000
Mark Gwynne	Indirect	-	1,500,000
Paul Kelly	-	-	-

At the date of his resignation on 28 November 2011, Kim Bischoff held an indirect interest in 375,000 ordinary shares and nil options.

### **Dividends and Distributions**

No dividends or distributions were paid to members during the year and none were recommended or declared for payment.

### **Principal Activities**

The principal activity of the Consolidated Entity during the year was exploration for iron ore and precious base metals in Western Australia.

### **Operating Results**

The consolidated loss after providing for income tax amounted to \$4,604,870 (2010: \$1,064,818).

## Review of Corporate Activities

### *Divestment of Gympie Eldorado Gold Operations*

In April 2011, FEL entered into a conditional agreement to sell Gympie Eldorado Mining Pty Ltd ("GEM"), a wholly owned subsidiary of FEL, to BRI Microfine Pty Ltd ("BRI"). On completion, FEL will receive \$50,000 in cash. Consideration for the sale also includes a net smelter return of 6.5% on gold recovered from tailings treatment and 25% of any profits on sale of freehold land. In addition, FEL will be reimbursed \$2,264,984 in respect of environmental performance bonds on completion of the sale to BRI.

### *Funding*

During the current year, FEL secured a \$2,000,000 standby loan facility ("Facility") to ensure that the Company has sufficient funds to progress the Mt Ida exploration program, and to perform the necessary works to satisfy the conditions precedent under the agreement to sell GEM to BRI. The facility was entered into with cornerstone shareholder Cape Lambert Resources Ltd (ASX: CFE) ("Cape Lambert"), which currently holds a 19.9% interest in FEL. At 30 September 2011, \$510,000 has been drawn down under the facility.

### *Takeover offer for Padbury Mining Limited*

On 24 August 2010, the Company launched a conditional off market takeover bid to acquire 100% of the shares in Padbury Mining Limited ("Padbury"). Consideration for the offer was one Fe Limited share for every thirteen Padbury shares and \$0.01 in cash for every Fe Limited share issued. On 29 October 2010, the Company's takeover bid became unconditional and the offer closed on 22 November 2010. FEL issued 1,540,127 ordinary shares with a scrip value of \$182,628 and \$15,401 cash as consideration for 20,462,948 Padbury shares acquired under the takeover offer. FEL subsequently sold the Padbury shares generating \$325,464 in cash.

## Review of Operations

The Company holds, or has rights or interests in approximately 320 tenements prospective for iron ore, nickel, copper and gold located mostly in Western Australia (refer Figure 1). This total includes 77 interests and rights in the 3 iron ore-focused projects at Mt Ida, Mt Elvire and Robinson Range, which are the Company's core projects. A strategic review of the Company's non-core projects was completed during the current year and work has commenced to compile the necessary commercial and technical information and seek expressions of interest for the non-core projects.

### **Mt Ida Iron Ore Project ("Mt Ida") (85-100% Fe rights)**

Mt Ida is an iron ore exploration project which comprises the rights to explore for and mine iron ore on a group of 71 licences covering ~400km<sup>2</sup> located 180km northwest of Kalgoorlie in the Yilgarn Iron Province of Western Australia. Mt Ida is located approximately 80km northwest of the operational railway at Menzies, which provides access to the existing deep water port facilities at Esperance.

On 22 March 2011, FEL entered into an agreement to acquire Mt Ida from Dempsey Resources Pty Ltd, a wholly owned subsidiary of Cape Lambert Resources Ltd. Completion of the acquisition is subject to the execution of split commodity agreements for exploration licences E29/561 and E29/644 ("Core Tenements") with the license holders. These agreements are presently being negotiated. The principal iron ore targets are located on the Core Tenements, where, subject to the terms of the agreement, FEL will hold 100% (E29/561) and 85% (E29/644) respectively of the iron rights.

Detailed geological mapping and geochemical rock chip sampling, and acquisition of high resolution airborne magnetic survey data and historical exploration drilling reports was completed over the Core Tenements during the year.



A total exploration target size was estimated for the Eastern and Western Banded Iron Formation ("BIF") units at Mt Ida of 1.1 to 1.4 billion tonnes of oxide and fresh magnetite BIF with a grade of 30 to 37% Fe<sup>1</sup> based on interpretation and modelling of the geological and geophysical data.

An environmental survey of the Core Tenements was also completed during the final quarter to underpin preparation of a program of work to conduct resource drilling on 400m traverses in 2012.

### **Mt Elvire Iron Ore Project ("Mt Elvire") (100%)**

Mt Elvire comprises a granted exploration license (60km<sup>2</sup>) and 1 application located 230km northwest of Kalgoorlie in the Yilgarn Iron Province of Western Australia. The project is located 150km west of the railway at Menzies and 140km north of the railway at Koolyanobbing.

The Mt Elvire license is prospective for magnetite BIF and small overlying Direct Shipping Iron Ore ("DSO") deposits.

### **Robinson Range Iron Ore Project (20%)**

This project comprises 4 exploration licenses (380km<sup>2</sup>) located in the Midwest Iron Province of Western Australia.

The licenses are subject to the Jackson Iron Ore Joint Venture Agreement ("JIOJVA") which was entered into during the current year, between PepinNini Minerals Limited (40% and Manager) ("PepinNini"), Jackson Minerals Pty Ltd (20%), a fully owned subsidiary of FEL ("Jackson") and Grosvenor Gold Pty Ltd (40%).

The tenements are prospective for DSO hematite deposits covering the Robinson Range Formation.

PepinNini have recently completed an exploration drilling program totalling 3,163m in 63 drill holes part of which covered the JIOJVA area. Refer to PepinNini ASX announcement dated 13 September 2011 for details of assay results reported.

### **Kalgoorlie Regional Gold Project ("KRGP") (80-100%)**

The KRGP comprises 47 tenements covering ~120km<sup>2</sup> located 5-20km north of Kalgoorlie along and adjacent to the prospective Kanowna Fault Zone. These tenements are subject to a joint venture between Barrick (PD) Australia Limited ("Barrick") and Jackson. Under the terms of the joint venture agreement, Barrick, upon discovery of a mineral resource made by Barrick of more than 15,000 ounces of gold, may earn an 80% interest in the project. Barrick also has a conditional right to acquire 51% of any discovery made by Jackson. Barrick are currently actively exploring in this district.

### **Kalgoorlie Regional Nickel Project**

Jackson currently holds nickel interests in a package of 128 tenements covering ~300km<sup>2</sup> straddling the Scotia-Kanowna Anticline located 15-25km north of Kalgoorlie. The interests comprise 20 granted tenements where Jackson is the holder, nickel rights to 84 granted licenses and nickel rights to 24 applications. The nickel rights to the granted licenses and applications are held through agreements with Barrick, Norton Gold Fields Limited and Kesli Chemicals Pty Ltd.

The tenements are prospective for high grade and disseminated nickel sulphide deposits in komatiite units of the Highway Ultramafics.

### **Kalgoorlie Gold Projects**

The Company holds interests in 4 packages of tenements located north of Kalgoorlie that are prospective for gold.

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<sup>1</sup> The estimates of exploration target sizes mentioned in this release should not be misunderstood or misconstrued as estimates of Mineral Resources. The estimates of exploration target sizes are conceptual in nature and there has been insufficient results received from drilling completed to date to estimate a Mineral Resource compliant with the JORC Code (2004) guidelines. Furthermore, it is uncertain if further exploration will result in the determination of a Mineral Resource.

*Grafters (100%)*

This project comprises 2 granted licenses covering 240Ha located 70km northwest of Kalgoorlie. Historic shallow drilling intersected anomalous gold over a strike length of 1km.

*Vettersburg (65%)*

This project comprises 5 granted licenses covering 691Ha located 60km northwest of Kalgoorlie. Previous drilling has intersected anomalous gold in 3 prospects at Vettersburg, Vettersburg South and Stockade.

*Bardoc (65-100%)*

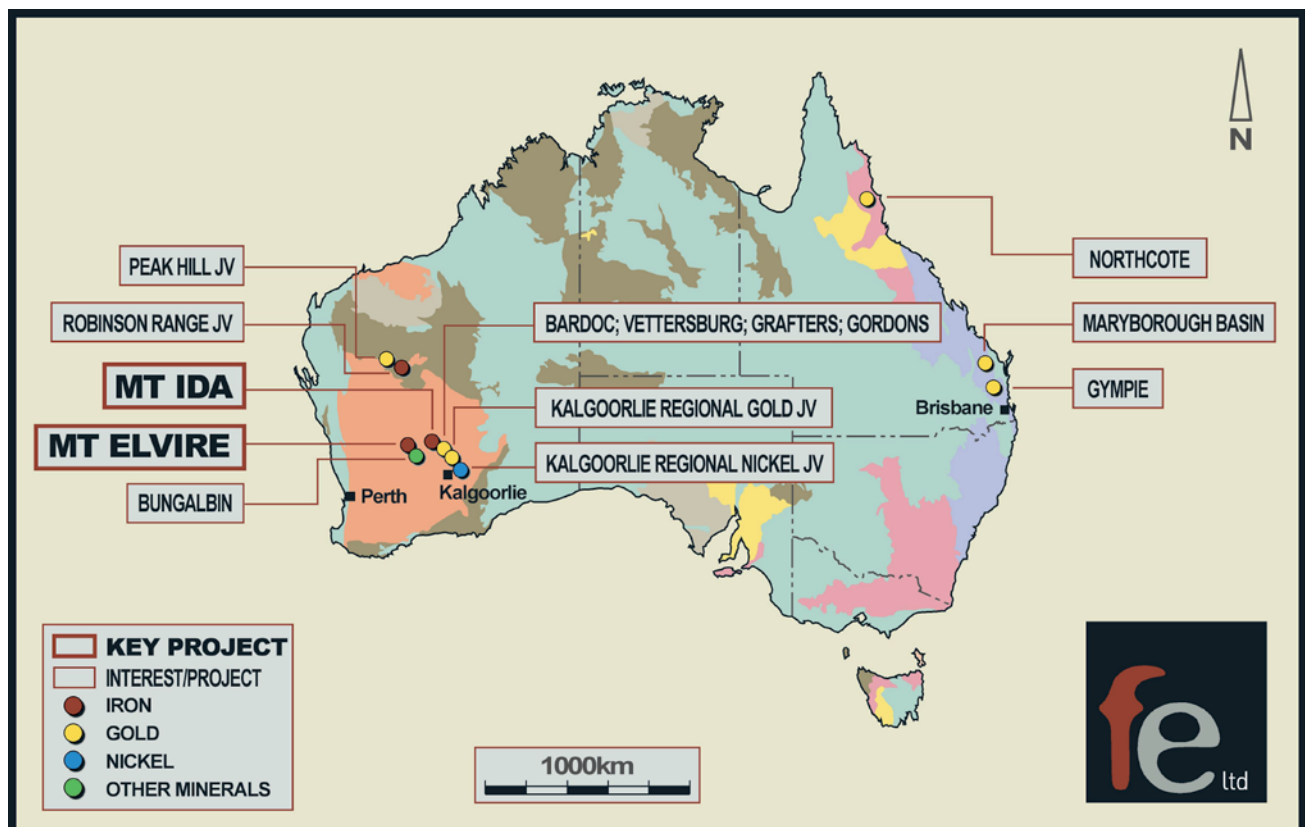
This project comprises 12 granted licenses covering 1,329Ha located 40km northwest of Kalgoorlie.

*Gordons and Gordons North (100%)*

This project comprises 3 granted licenses and 1 application covering ~25km<sup>2</sup> located 40-50km north-northeast of Kalgoorlie.

**Qualified Person**

*The information in this report that relates to Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves is based on information compiled by Mr. T. Deane who is a Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining & Metallurgy. Mr. Deane is employed as Exploration Manager by Fe Limited, and has sufficient experience which is relevant to the styles of mineralisation and types of deposit under consideration to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2004 Edition of the "Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves". Mr Deane consents to the inclusion in this report of the matters based on the information in the form and context in which it appears.*



**Figure 1: Project Locations**



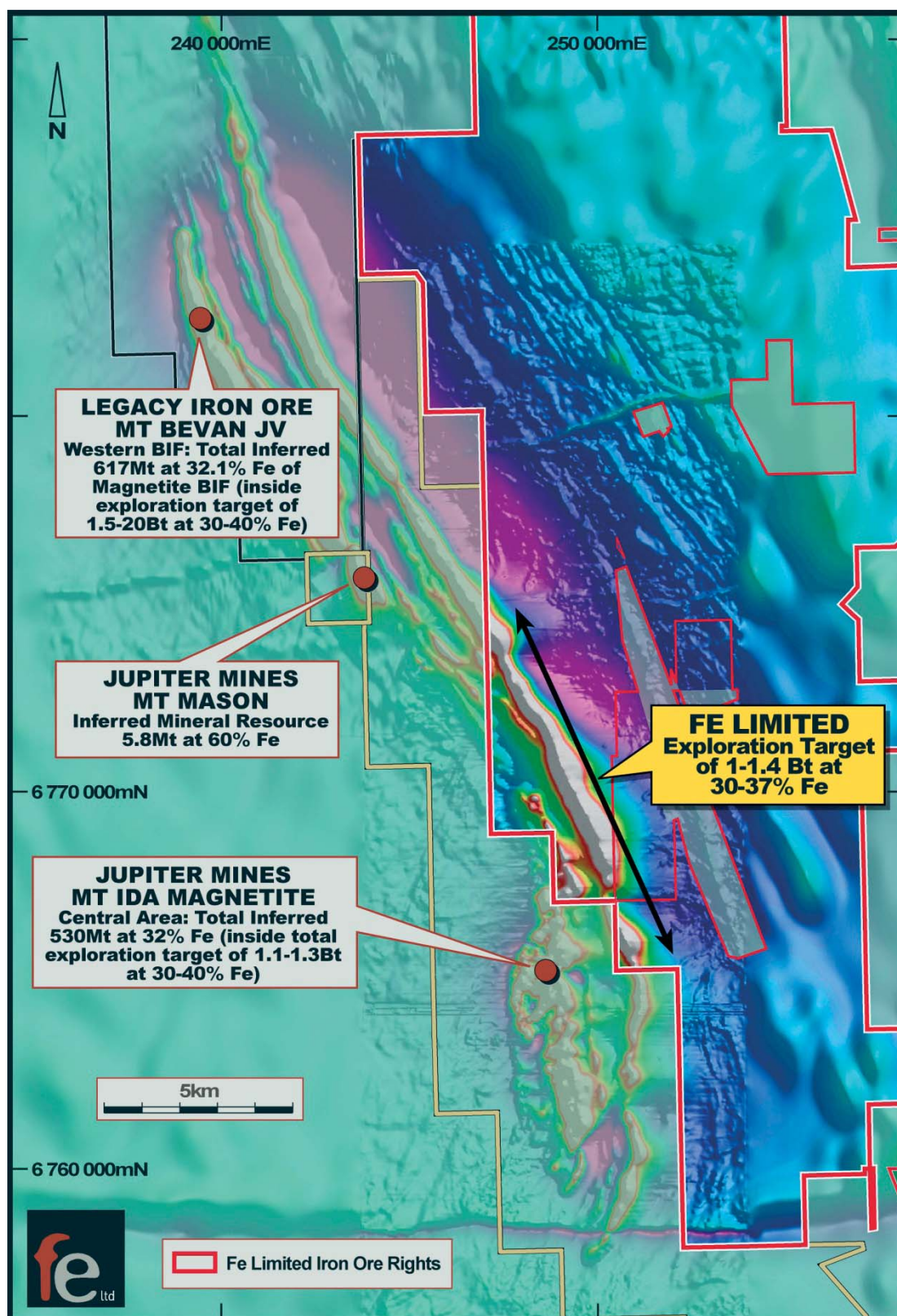


Figure 2: Mt Ida District (on TMI geophysics)

**Significant Changes in the State Of Affairs**

There have been no changes in the state of affairs of the Consolidated Entity other than those disclosed in the review of operations.

**Significant Events Subsequent to Reporting Date**

Kim Bischoff resigned as Managing Director of FEL on 28 November 2011.

There are no other events subsequent to 30 September 2011 and up to the date of this report that would materially affect the operations of the consolidated entity or its state of affairs which have not otherwise been disclosed in this financial report.

**Environment Regulation and Performance**

The Consolidated Entity continues to meet all environmental obligations across its tenements. No reportable incidents occurred during the year. Environmental regulations applicable to the Consolidated Entity include the Environmental Protection Act 1994.

**Options**

During the year and to the date of this Directors' Report, the Company issued and allotted the following options:

- 500,000 unlisted employee options exercisable at \$0.12 each and expiring on the 31 December 2012.

As at the date of this Report, the Company has on issue:

- 18,500,000 unlisted options exercisable at \$0.12 each and expiring on 31 December 2012; and
- 375,000 unlisted options exercisable at \$0.15 each and expiring on 23 March 2014.

During the year and to the date of this Directors' Report, the following unlisted options expired without exercise:

- 800,000 unlisted options exercisable at \$0.32 each expired on 1 October 2010; and
- 750,000 unlisted options exercisable at \$0.42 each expired on 1 October 2010.

There were no ordinary shares issued during the year on conversion of options.

Option holders do not have any right, by virtue of the option, to participate in new issues of Shares offered to Shareholders.

Options issued to directors, employees and consultants during the year are not performance based.

**Indemnification and Insurance of Directors and Officers**

The Company has entered into a Deed of Access, Insurance and Indemnity with each of the directors. Under the terms of these Deeds, the Company has undertaken, subject to restrictions in the Corporations Act, to:

- indemnify each director in certain circumstances;
- advance money to a director for the payment of any legal costs incurred by a director in defending legal proceedings before the outcome of those proceedings is known (subject to an obligation by the director to repay any money advanced if a court determines that the director was not entitled to it);
- maintain directors' and officers' insurance cover in favour of each director whilst they remain a director of Fe Limited and for a run out year after ceasing to be such a director; and
- provide each director with access to Board papers and other documents provided or available to the director as an officer of Fe Limited.

During the year, the Company had in place and paid premiums for insurance policies indemnifying directors and officers of the Company against certain liabilities incurred in the conduct of business or in the discharge of their duties as directors or officers. The contracts of insurance contain confidentiality

provisions that preclude disclosure of the premium paid, the nature of the liability covered by the policies, the limit of liability and the name of the insurer.

### Likely Developments and Future results

The Consolidated Entity intends to continue its focus on the exploration for iron ore and precious and base metals at its core projects. Following a strategic review of the Company's non-core projects, the directors will continue to compile the necessary commercial and technical information and seek expressions of interest in the non-core projects.

### Directors' attendance at Meetings

The number of meetings of the Company's Board of directors held during the year and the number of meetings attended by each director was as follows:

Directors	Full Meetings of Directors	
	Eligible to attend	Attended
Antony Sage	3	3
Kim Bischoff	2	2
Mark Gwynne	3	3
Paul Kelly	3	3
Simon McDonald	-	-

## REMUNERATION REPORT (AUDITED)

This Report outlines the remuneration arrangements in place for key management personnel (KMP) who are defined as those persons having authority and responsibility for planning and directing the major activities of the Company and the Consolidated Entity, directly or indirectly, including any director (whether executive or otherwise) of the parent company, and includes the executives in the parent and the subsidiary companies receiving the highest remuneration.

### Details of Key Management Personnel

#### *Directors*

A Sage	Director (Non-Executive chairman)
K Bischoff	Director (Managing Director) (Appointed 21 March 2011) (Resigned 28 November 2011)
M Gwynne	Director (Executive)
P Kelly	Director (Non-Executive)
S McDonald	Director (Non-Executive) (Resigned 3 December 2010)

#### *Executives*

E von Puttkammer	Company Secretary
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### Remuneration Philosophy

The performance of the Consolidated Entity depends on the quality of its directors, executives and employees. Consequently, the Consolidated Entity must attract, motivate and retain appropriately qualified industry personnel.

The following principles are embodied in the remuneration framework:

- provide competitive rewards to attract and retain high calibre executives, directors and employees; and
- link executive rewards to shareholder value.

## Remuneration Policy

During the year, the Company did not have a separately established remuneration committee. The Board is responsible for determining and reviewing remuneration arrangements for the executive and non-executive directors and the Chairman. The Board assesses the appropriateness of the nature and amount of remuneration of such officers on a yearly basis by reference to relevant employment market conditions with the overall objective of ensuring maximum stakeholder benefit from retention of a high quality board. The directors are given the opportunity to receive their base emolument in a variety of forms including cash and fringe benefits. It is intended that the manner of payment chosen will be optimal for the recipient without creating undue cost for the Company.

The remuneration of executive and non-executive directors is not dependent on the satisfaction of performance conditions. Remuneration and share based payments are issued to align directors' interests with that of shareholders.

The Consolidated Entity has a policy which restricts executives and directors entering into contracts to hedge their exposure to options granted as part of their remuneration package.

## Performance and shareholder wealth

Below is a table summarising key performance and shareholder wealth statistics for the Consolidated Entity over the last five financial years.

Financial year	Profit / (Loss) after tax '000s	Loss per share (Cents)	Share Price (Cents)
30 September 2007	(3,692)	(6.40)	33.00
30 September 2008	(7,459)	(12.49)	7.00
30 September 2009	(1,766)	(2.47)	7.00
30 September 2010	(1,064)	(1.17)	14.50
30 September 2011	(4,605)	(3.99)	8.50

## Executive Directors' Remuneration

The Board seeks to set remuneration of the executive directors at a level which provides the Company with the ability to attract and retain directors of the highest calibre, whilst incurring a cost which is acceptable to shareholders.

The engagement conditions of Mr Bischoff, managing director, were approved by the Board on commencement of appointment in March 2011 with a fee of \$1,200 per day plus GST.

Executive Director Mr Gwynne is entitled to receive \$175,000 per annum. In addition he is entitled to reimbursement of reasonable expenses for attendance at meetings. There is no employment contract between the Company and Mr Gwynne.

Details of remuneration paid to executive directors are provided in the table below.

## Non-Executive Director Remuneration

The Board seeks to set remuneration of non-executive directors at a level which provides the Company with the ability to attract and retain directors of the highest calibre, whilst incurring a cost which is acceptable to shareholders.

Mr Kelly is entitled to receive \$60,000 per annum. There is currently no employment contract between the Company and Mr Kelly.

Mr McDonald was not entitled to a director's fee but provided corporate advice and was compensated for that advice. Mr McDonald resigned 3 December 2010.

Total remuneration paid to non-executive directors is capped at \$350,000.

Summary details of remuneration for non-executive directors are given in the table below.

## Chairman's Remuneration

The Company aims to reward the Chairman with a level and mix of remuneration commensurate with his position and responsibilities within the Company to:

- align the interests of the Chairman with those of shareholders;
- ensure that total remuneration is competitive by market standards.

Mr Sage is entitled to receive \$120,000 per annum. There is currently no employment contract between the Company and Mr Sage.

## Compensation of Key Management Personnel

Consolidated	Short-Term Salary & Fees	Post-Employment Superannuation	Share-based Payment Share Options	Total	% Performance Based	% Comprising Options
30 September 2011	\$	\$	\$	\$		
<b>Directors</b>						
A Sage (i)	120,000	-	-	120,000	-	-
K Bischoff (ii) (vi)	32,400	-	-	32,400	-	-
M Gwynne (iii)	174,997	-	-	174,997	-	-
P Kelly (iv)	60,000	-	-	60,000	-	-
S McDonald (v)	-	-	-	-	-	-
	<b>387,397</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>387,397</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Executives</b>						
E von Puttkammer (vii)	-	-	-	-	-	-
	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

For the year ended 30 September 2011:

- (i) \$120,000 was paid or payable to Okewood Pty Ltd a company that Mr Sage is a director of.
- (ii) \$32,400 was paid or payable to Paniki Services Pty Ltd a company that Mr Bischoff is a director of.
- (iii) \$174,997 was paid or payable to Silverwest Corporation Pty Ltd a company that Mr Gwynne is a director of.
- (iv) \$60,000 was paid to PAFK Enterprises Pty Ltd a company which Mr Kelly is a director of.
- (v) Mr McDonald resigned on 3 December 2010.
- (vi) Mr Bischoff was appointed on 21 March 2011, and resigned on 28 November 2011.
- (vii) Ms von Puttkammer provides company secretarial services on a part-time basis. In the year ended 30 September 2010, Ms von Puttkammer was awarded 250,000 unlisted options in lieu of a fee for her ongoing services.



<b>Consolidated</b>	<b>Short-Term Salary &amp; Fees \$</b>	<b>Post-Employment Superannuation \$</b>	<b>Share-based Payment Share Options \$</b>	<b>Total \$</b>	<b>% Performance Based</b>	<b>% Comprising Options</b>
30 September 2010						
<b>Directors</b>						
A Sage (i)	70,000	-	207,500	277,500	-	74.8
S McDonald (ii)	51,896	-	83,000	134,896	-	61.5
M Gwynne (iii)	172,078	-	124,500	296,578	-	42.0
P Kelly (iv)	30,000	-	-	30,000	-	-
D Hillier (v)	106,814	3,645	-	110,459	-	-
	<b>430,788</b>	<b>3,645</b>	<b>415,000</b>	<b>849,433</b>		
<b>Executives</b>						
E von Puttkammer	-	-	20,750	20,750	-	100
	<b>430,788</b>	<b>3,645</b>	<b>435,750</b>	<b>870,183</b>		

For the year ended 30 September 2010:

- (i) \$70,000 was paid or payable to Okewood Pty Ltd a company that Mr Sage is a director of.
- (ii) \$51,896 was paid or payable to Mr McDonald or to Torres investments Pty Ltd a company that Mr McDonald is a director of.
- (iii) \$172,078 was paid or payable to Silverwest Corporation Pty Ltd a company that Mr Gwynne is a director of.
- (iv) \$30,000 was paid to PAFK Enterprises Pty Ltd a company which Mr Kelly is a director of.
- (v) Mr Hillier Resigned on the 31 December 2009.

### Options Granted as Part of Remuneration

Options are granted to certain executives, employees and consultants of the Consolidated Entity in the form of share-based payments. There is currently no formal employee share plan, however selected employees of the Consolidated Entity were granted options during the year. The purpose of the grant of options to selected employees was to:

- recognise the ongoing ability of the employees of the Consolidated Entity and their expected efforts and contribution in the long term to the performance and success of the Company; and
- provide an incentive to the employees of the Consolidated Entity to remain in their employment in the long term.

There were no vesting conditions attached to these options. These options were granted in addition to the employee's salary entitlement and were granted to satisfy the conditions of his employment contract.

### Director and Executive Options Awarded and Vested

There were no options granted, vested exercised or lapsed during the year ended 30 September 2011 to directors and executives.

For details on the valuation of the options, including models and assumptions used, refer to note 26.

There were no shares issued on exercise of options during the year.

**Auditors' Independence Declaration**

Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) requires the Company's auditors, Ernst & Young, to provide the directors of the Company with an Independence Declaration in relation to the audit of the financial report. This Independence Declaration for the year is set out on page 14 and forms part of this Directors' Report. The Directors are satisfied with the independence of the auditors.

**Non-Audit Services**

No non-audit services were provided to the Consolidated Entity by the auditor, Ernst & Young, during the year.

This report is signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Mark Gwynne', is located on the left side of the page.

Mark Gwynne  
Executive Director

16 December 2011



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## Auditor's Independence Declaration to the Directors of Fe Limited

In relation to our audit of the financial report of Fe Limited for the financial year ended 30 September 2011, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* or any applicable code of professional conduct.

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Ernst & Young

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G H Meyerowitz  
Partner  
16 December 2011



## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT

The Board of Directors of Fe Limited (**FEL**) is responsible for establishing the corporate governance framework of the Company having regard to the ASX Corporate Governance Council's (**CGC**) Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations (**Recommendations**) and CGC published guidelines.

In accordance with ASX Listing Rule 4.10.3, this corporate governance statement discloses the extent to which the Company has followed the Recommendations by detailing the Recommendations that have not been adopted by the Company and the reasons why they have not been adopted. The Company is pleased to advise that the Company's practices are largely consistent with CGC guidelines, however, in areas where they do not correlate, the Company is working toward compliance or do not consider that the practices are appropriate for the current size and scale of operations.

FEL corporate governance practices were in place throughout the year ended 30 September 2011. The current corporate governance policy is posted in a dedicated corporate governance information section of the Company's website at [www.felimited.com.au](http://www.felimited.com.au).

Recommendation	Comply Yes / No
<b>Principal 1 – Lay solid foundations for management and oversight</b>	
1.1 Formalise and disclose the functions reserved to the Board and those delegated to management.	Yes
1.2 Disclose the process for evaluating the performance of senior executives.	Yes
1.3 Provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 1.	Yes
<b>Principal 2 – Structure the Board to add value</b>	
2.1 A majority of the Board should be independent directors.	No
2.2 The chairperson should be an independent director.	No
2.3 The roles of chairperson and chief executive officer should not be exercised by the same individual.	Yes
2.4 The Board should establish a nomination committee.	No
2.5 Disclose the process for evaluating the performance of the Board, its committees and individual directors.	Yes
2.6 Provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 2.	Yes
<b>Principal 3 – Promote ethical and responsible decision-making</b>	
3.1 Companies should establish a code of conduct and disclose the code or a summary of the code as to:	Yes
3.1.1 The practices necessary to maintain confidence in the Company's integrity.	
3.1.2 The practices necessary to take into account their legal obligations and the reasonable expectations of their stakeholders.	
3.1.3 The responsibility and accountability of individuals for reporting and investigating reports of unethical practices.	
3.2 Establish and disclose the policy concerning trading in Company securities by directors, senior executives and employees.	Yes
3.3 Provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 3.	Yes
<b>Principal 4 – Safeguard integrity in financial reporting</b>	
4.1 The Board should establish an audit committee.	Yes
4.2 The audit committee should be structured so that it:	No
• consists only of non-executive directors;	
• consists of a majority of independent directors;	
• is chaired by an independent chairperson, who is not chairperson of the Board; and	
• has at least three members.	
4.3 The audit committee should have a formal charter	Yes
4.4 Provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 4.	Yes

**Principal 5 – Make timely and balanced disclosure**

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| 5.1 | Companies should established written policies designed to ensure compliance with ASX Listing Rule disclosure requirements and to ensure accountability at a senior executive level for that compliance and disclose those policies or a summary of those policies. | Yes |
| 5.2 | Provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 5.  | Yes |

**Principal 6 – Respect the rights of shareholders**

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| 6.1 | Companies should design a communication policy for promoting effective communication with shareholders and encourage their participation at general meetings and disclose their policy or a summary of that policy. | Yes |
| 6.2 | Provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 6.   | Yes |

**Principal 7 – Recognise and manage risk**

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| 7.1 | Companies should establish policies for the oversight and management of material business risks and disclose a summary of those policies.  | Yes |
| 7.2 | The Board should require management to design and implement the risk management and internal control system to manage the Company's material business risks and report to it on whether those risks are being managed effectively. The Board should disclose that management has reported to it as to the effectiveness of the Company's management of its material business risks.  | Yes |
| 7.3 | The Board should disclose whether it has received assurances from the chief executive officer (or equivalent) and the chief financial officer (or equivalent) that the declaration provided in accordance with section 295A of the Corporations Act is founded on a sound system of risk management and internal control and that the system is operating effectively in all material respects in relation to financial reporting risks. | Yes |
| 7.4 | Provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 7.  | Yes |

**Principal 8 – Remunerate fairly and responsibly**

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| 8.1 | The Board should establish a remuneration committee.  | No  |
| 8.2 | Companies should clearly distinguish the structure of non-executive directors' remuneration from that of executive directors and senior executives. | Yes |
| 8.3 | Provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 8.   | Yes |

**Functions of the Board**

The Board is responsible for the corporate governance of the Company. The Board's primary responsibility is to Shareholders but it must also have regard for the interests of other stakeholders and the broader community.

It is the role management to manage the Company in accordance with the direction and delegations of the Board and the responsibility of the Board to oversee the activities of management in carrying out these delegated duties. The Board ensures that management is appropriately qualified and experienced to discharge their responsibilities. The Board has the final responsibility for the successful operations of the Company.

The Board has adopted a formal charter that details the functions and responsibilities of the Board. The Board Charter can be viewed on the Company's website. The Board of FEL is responsible for:

- oversight of the Company, including its control and accountability systems;
- appointment or removal of the Company Secretary;
- input into and final approval of management's development of corporate strategy and performance objectives;
- identification of significant areas of potential business and legal risk;
- monitoring senior management's performance and implementation of strategy and ensuring appropriate resources are available;

- approving and monitoring the progress of major capital expenditure, capital management, and acquisitions and divestitures; and
- approving and monitoring financial and other reporting.

To assist the Board carry out its functions, it has developed a Code of Conduct to guide the Directors, key executives and employees in the performance of their roles. The Code of Conduct addresses the minimum standard expected by the Company to maintain the Company's integrity, legal obligations and expectations of shareholders, responsibility and accountability of individuals for reporting and investigating reports of unethical behaviour.

### **Structure of the Board**

The names, term of office, skills, experience and expertise of the Directors in office at the date of this Annual Report are set out at the beginning of the Directors' Report. Directors are appointed based on the specific skills required by the Company and on their decision-making and judgement skills.

The Board has been formed so that it has effective composition, size and commitment to adequately discharge its responsibilities and duties given its current size and scale of operations.

Directors of FEL are considered to be independent when they are a non-executive director who is not a member of management and who is free of any business or other relationship that could materially interfere with, or could reasonably be perceived to materially interfere with, the independent exercise of their judgement. In accordance with this definition, Mr A.W.P. Sage is not considered to be independent when applying the definition of independence by virtue of the fact that he is an executive officer of a major shareholder of the Company. The Board believes his experience and knowledge of the Company makes him the most appropriate person to lead the Board.

Mr K. Bischoff was Managing Director during the year (resigned November 2011) and Mr M. Gwynne is currently the Executive Director of the Company and by virtue of their roles are not considered independent. The Board considers relevant industry experience and specific expertise important in providing strategic guidance and oversight of the Company, and it believes, Mr M. Gwynne remains the most appropriate person to fulfil this role.

Mr P. Kelly is considered an independent Non-Executive Director.

The Board is conscious of the need for independence and ensures that Directors who have interests in specific transactions or potential transactions do not receive Board papers related to those transactions or potential transactions, do not participate in any part of a Board meeting which considers those transactions or potential transactions and do not discuss those transactions or potential transactions with other Directors.

The retirement by rotation of Directors is governed by the Company's constitution, the Corporations Act and the ASX Listing Rules. According to clause 5.1 of the Company's constitution, at each annual general meeting of the Company one third of the Directors or, if their number is not three or a multiple of three, then the number nearest to but not exceeding one third, retire from office but no Director may retain office for more than three years without submitting himself or herself for re-election even though the submission results in more than one third of the directors retiring from office. The Directors to retire by rotation at an annual general meeting are those who have been longest in office since their election. According to clause 5.7 of the Company's constitution a Managing Director is not subject to retirement by rotation and is not taken into account in determining the rotation of retirement of directors.

For the purposes of the proper performance of their duties, Directors are entitled to seek independent professional advice at FEL expense in certain circumstances.

The Company's constitution states that subject to the Corporations Act and the ASX Listing Rules, the Directors may, with the approval of the Company in general meeting, pay a director of the Company who has ceased to hold office a lump sum in respect of his or her past services as a director.

### **Review of Performance**

The performance of the Non-Executive Chairman is monitored by the Non-Executive Directors. A formal performance review of the Non-Executive Chairman did not occur during the year. The performance of the

Executive Director of the Company is monitored by the remainder of the Board, no formal performance appraisal of the Executive Director occurred during the year.

The performance of senior management is monitored by the Executive Director.

There is currently no formal process for performance evaluation of the Board or individual Directors. No formal performance evaluation of the Board, the Audit Committee or individual Directors took place during the year.

In order to achieve continuing improvement in Board performance, all Directors are encouraged to undergo continued professional development.

### **Audit Committee**

The Audit Committee of FEL consists of the independent Non-Executive Director of the Company and the Non-Executive Chairman of the Company. The qualifications of these Directors are set out at the beginning of the Directors' Report. The current Audit Committee chair is independent of the Board chair.

The Company has a formal Audit Committee Charter that forms part of the Corporate Governance Charter. The charter states that where the Board comprises only three members the Audit Committee will consist of two non-executive Directors.

The Audit Committee's primary responsibilities are to:

- oversee the existence and maintenance of internal controls and accounting systems;
- oversee the management of risk within the Company;
- oversee the financial reporting process to ensure compliance with statutory and accounting standards;
- review the annual and half-year financial reports and recommend them for approval by the Board;
- review and make recommendations to the Board regarding the appointment or dismissal of external auditors;
- review the performance of the external auditors and existing audit arrangements;
- oversee the processes used by management to ensure compliance with laws, regulations and other statutory or professional requirements; and
- review annually the requirement for an internal audit function.

The Audit Committee did not hold a full meeting during the year.

### **Risk Management**

The Board is ultimately responsible for identifying and managing areas of significant business risk and ensuring that arrangements are in place to adequately manage these risks.

Recognised areas of risk include financial, legal, reputation, operation and strategic risks.

Management has reported to the Board as to the effectiveness of the Company's management of its material business risks.

Controls for the management of risk have been determined and the following are some examples of these controls. i) Use of independent accountants for the monitoring and preparation of financial reports, ii) open access for all directors to senior management, and iii) regular mine site attendance and review of operating and exploration plans by the Board.

The Board has received assurance from the Executive Director that the declaration provided in accordance with section 295A of the Corporations Act is founded on a sound system of risk management and internal control and that the system is operating effectively in all material respects in relation to financial reporting risks.

Recommendation 7.1 states that the Company should establish policies for the oversight and management of material business risks and disclose a summary of those policies. The Board have established a formal risk management program further details regarding the program can be found in the Corporate Governance Statement available on the Company's website.

## **Remuneration and Nomination Committee**

During the year FEL did not have a separately established remuneration and nomination committee. The collective Board serves as a remuneration and nomination committee to undertake the duties and responsibilities typically delegated to such a committee. The Board have in place formal procedures for the selection and appointment of directors. It is the Company's objective to retain high quality Board and senior management by remunerating fairly and appropriately with reference to relevant employment market conditions. For full disclosure of Director and executive remuneration for the period, please refer to the Remuneration Report, which is contained within the Directors' Report. Given the Company's size the Board does not believe that any marked efficiencies or benefit would be achieved by the creation of a separate remuneration and nomination committee.

## **Remuneration Policy**

Directors' remuneration is approved by resolution of the Board when a Director is appointed to the Company, and a resolution of Shareholders when the remuneration of Non-Executive Directors increases.

Non-Executive Directors are to be paid their fees out of the maximum aggregate amount approved by Shareholders for the remuneration of Non-Executive Directors.

Full details regarding the remuneration of Directors is included in the Directors' Report.

## **Criteria for selection of Directors**

Directors are appointed based on the specific governance skills required by the Company. Given the size of the Company and the business that it operates, the Company aims at all times to have at least one Director with relevant industry experience. In addition, Directors should have the relevant blend of personal experience in accounting and financial management and Director-level business experience.

## **Securities Dealing Policy**

Under the Company's Securities Dealing Policy, a Director, executive or other employee must not trade in any securities of the Company at any time when they are in possession of unpublished, price-sensitive information in relation to those securities.

As a matter of course trading in securities of the Company are restricted in the following periods:

- within the period of 1 month prior to the release of the Company's annual and half yearly results to ASX; and
- there is in existence price sensitive information that has not been disclosed because of an ASX Listing Rule exception.

Before commencing to trade, a Director, executive or other employee must notify the Chairman or Company Secretary of their intention to do so.

As is required by the ASX Listing Rules, the Company notifies the ASX of any transaction conducted by a Director in the securities of the Company.

## **Continuous Disclosure**

The Board has adopted a continuous disclosure policy to ensure that the Company complies with the disclosure requirements of the ASX Listing Rules which is available on the Company's website. The Board has designated the Company Secretary as the person responsible for overseeing and coordinating disclosure of information to the ASX as well as communicating with the ASX. In accordance with the ASX Listing Rules the Company immediately notifies the ASX of information:

- concerning the Company that a reasonable person would expect to have a material effect on the price or value of the Company's securities; and
- that would, or would be likely to, influence persons who commonly invest in securities in deciding whether to acquire or dispose of the Company's securities.

The Company's Continuous Disclosure Policy is located on its website: [www.felimited.com.au](http://www.felimited.com.au).

### **Shareholder Communication**

The Company respects the rights of its shareholders and to facilitate the effective exercise of those rights the Company is committed to:

- communicating effectively with shareholders through releases to the market via ASX, information mailed to shareholders and the general meetings of the Company;
- giving shareholders ready access to balanced and understandable information about the Company and corporate proposals;
- making it easy for shareholders to participate in general meetings of the Company; and
- requesting the external auditor to attend the annual general meeting and be available to answer shareholder questions about the conduct of the audit and the preparation and content of the auditor's report.

The Company also makes available a telephone number and email address for shareholders to make enquiries of the Company and encourages shareholders to visit the Company's website for information. The Company's Shareholder Communication Policy is available on the Company's website: [www.felimited.com.au](http://www.felimited.com.au).

## Statement of Comprehensive Income FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2011

	Notes	2011 \$	Consolidated 2010 \$
<b>Revenue from continuing operations</b>			
Interest income	3(a)	89,923	92,404
Other income	3(b)	128,804	-
		218,727	92,404
Employee benefits expense and directors fees	3(c)	(591,919)	(487,375)
Share-based payment expense		(18,272)	(467,080)
Impairment of exploration assets		(3,889,624)	(149,168)
Impairment of available for sale financial asset		(114,550)	-
Accounting and audit fees		(108,474)	(177,084)
Legal fees		(62,624)	(69,287)
Consultants costs		(90,707)	(197,536)
Compliance costs		(52,899)	(83,922)
Travel costs		(44,813)	(70,691)
Finance costs		(5,652)	-
Other expenses	3(d)	(303,923)	(254,103)
<b>Loss from continuing operations before income tax</b>		(5,064,730)	(1,863,842)
Income tax expense	5	-	-
<b>Loss from continuing operations after income tax</b>		(5,064,730)	(1,863,842)
<b>Profit from discontinued operations after tax</b>	4	459,860	799,024
<b>Net loss for the year</b>		(4,604,870)	(1,064,818)
<b>Other comprehensive income</b>			
Net fair value gain on available-for-sale financial asset		7,501	-
Transfer realised gain on sale of available-for-sale financial asset to other income		(122,051)	-
Transfer of impairment loss to other expenses		114,550	-
<b>Total comprehensive loss for the year</b>		(4,604,870)	(1,064,818)
Loss per share (cents per share) from continuing operations attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company			
- basic loss per share	6	(4.39)	(2.04)
- diluted loss per share	6	(4.39)	(2.04)
Loss per share (cents per share) attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company			
- basic loss per share	6	(3.99)	(1.17)
- diluted loss per share	6	(3.99)	(1.17)

## Statement of Financial Position

### AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2011

	Notes	Consolidated	
		2011 \$	2010 \$
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Current Assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	7	65,727	1,294,114
Trade and other receivables	8	40,845	563,570
Other assets		22,670	9,101
		<u>129,242</u>	<u>1,866,785</u>
Non-current assets held for sale	4(c)	428,454	428,454
<b>Total Current Assets</b>		<u>557,696</u>	<u>2,295,239</u>
<b>Non-Current Assets</b>			
Exploration and evaluation expenditure	9	2,422,568	5,450,597
Plant and equipment	10	57,577	74,577
Available-for-sale financial assets	11	158,757	-
Other receivables	12	2,265,784	1,461,800
		<u>4,904,686</u>	<u>6,986,974</u>
<b>Total Non-Current Assets</b>		<u>5,462,382</u>	<u>9,282,213</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>			
		<u>5,462,382</u>	<u>9,282,213</u>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>Current Liabilities</b>			
Trade and other payables	13	235,404	814,992
Provisions	14	10,092	5,001
		<u>245,496</u>	<u>819,993</u>
Liabilities associated with non-current assets held for sale	14	2,248,984	1,606,000
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>		<u>2,494,480</u>	<u>2,425,993</u>
<b>Non-Current Liabilities</b>			
Provisions	14	16,000	16,000
Interest-bearing loans and borrowings	15	515,652	-
		<u>531,652</u>	<u>16,000</u>
<b>Total Non-Current Liabilities</b>		<u>531,652</u>	<u>16,000</u>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>		<u>3,026,132</u>	<u>2,441,993</u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		<u>2,436,250</u>	<u>6,840,220</u>
<b>EQUITY</b>			
Contributed equity	16	33,957,000	33,774,372
Accumulated losses	17	(33,239,531)	(28,634,661)
Reserves	18	1,718,781	1,700,509
		<u>2,436,250</u>	<u>6,840,220</u>
<b>TOTAL EQUITY</b>		<u>2,436,250</u>	<u>6,840,220</u>



## Statement of Changes in Equity FOR THE YEAR ENDED TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2011

	Fully paid ordinary shares	Share based payments reserve	Net unrealised gains reserve	Accumulated losses	Total equity
<b>Consolidated</b>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Balance at 1 October 2010</b>	33,774,372	1,700,509	-	(28,634,661)	6,840,220
Loss for the year	-	-	-	(4,604,870)	(4,604,870)
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive loss for the year	-	-	-	(4,604,870)	(4,604,870)
<i>Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners</i>					
Shares issued during the period	182,628	-	-	-	182,628
Recognition of share based payments	-	18,272	-	-	18,272
Share issue costs	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Balance at 30 September 2011</b>	<b>33,957,000</b>	<b>1,718,781</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(33,239,531)</b>	<b>2,436,250</b>
 <b>Balance at 1 October 2009</b>	 28,884,383	 195,654	 -	 (27,569,843)	 1,510,194
Loss for the year	-	-	-	(1,064,818)	(1,064,818)
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive loss for the year	-	-	-	(1,064,818)	(1,064,818)
<i>Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners</i>					
Shares issued during the period	4,961,989	-	-	-	4,961,989
Recognition of share based payments	-	1,504,855	-	-	1,504,855
Share issue costs	(72,000)	-	-	-	(72,000)
<b>Balance at 30 September 2010</b>	<b>33,774,372</b>	<b>1,700,509</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(28,634,661)</b>	<b>6,840,220</b>

**Statement of Cash Flows**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2011**

	Notes	Consolidated
	2011 \$	2010 \$
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>		
Receipts from customers	25,189	700,572
Payments to suppliers and employees	(2,127,772)	(2,119,442)
Interest received	89,484	93,479
Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	(808)
<b>Net cash flows used in operating activities</b>	7(a) (2,013,099)	(1,326,199)
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>		
Proceeds from sale of plant & equipment	2,000,526	1,057,556
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(6,772)	(78,295)
Payments for exploration and evaluation costs	(1,196,430)	(1,210,914)
Payments for available-for-sale financial assets	(294,145)	-
Proceeds from sale of available-for-sale financial assets	325,517	-
Payments for exploration assets	(250,000)	-
Proceeds from sale of exploration assets	500,000	-
Proceeds from repayment of loans from BK Exploration Pty Ltd	-	500,000
Payments for environmental performance bonds	(803,984)	(14,570)
<b>Net cash flows from investing activities</b>	274,712	253,777
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>		
Proceeds from loans	510,000	-
Proceeds from issue of shares	-	1,400,000
Costs on issue of shares	-	(72,000)
Payment of finance lease liabilities	-	(18,917)
<b>Net cash flows from financing activities</b>	510,000	1,309,083
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(1,228,387)	236,661
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	1,294,114	1,057,453
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at end of year</b>	7 65,727	1,294,114

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### 1 CORPORATE INFORMATION

The financial report of Fe Limited ("FEL" or "the Company") and the financial statements comprising FEL and its controlled entities (together the "Consolidated Entity") for the year ended 30 September 2011 was authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the directors on 16 December 2011.

FEL is a company limited by shares incorporated in Australia whose shares are publicly traded on the Australian Stock Exchange.

### 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### (a) Basis of preparation

The financial report is a general-purpose financial report, which has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Corporations Act 2001, Australian Accounting Standards and other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board.

The financial report has been prepared on a historical cost basis, except assets held for sale which are carried at the lower of cost and fair value less costs to sell, and available-for-sale financial assets at fair value.

The financial report is presented in Australian dollars unless otherwise stated.

#### (b) Statement of compliance

The financial report complies with Australian Accounting Standards as issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

#### (c) Going concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis which contemplates the continuity of normal business activities and the realisation of assets and the settlement of liabilities in the ordinary course of business.

The ability of the Consolidated Entity to continue its planned exploration and evaluation activities is dependent on the Consolidated Entity completing the sale of its 100% interest in Gympie Eldorado Mining Pty Ltd ("GEM") as detailed in note 4. At the date of this report, the directors are satisfied there are reasonable grounds to believe that the sale will complete. In the event that the sale does not complete, the directors are confident that the Consolidated Entity will be able to raise additional capital, to enable it to meet its obligations as and when they fall due.

Should the Consolidated Entity not achieve the matters set out above, there is uncertainty whether it would continue as a going concern and therefore whether it would realise its assets and extinguish its liabilities in the normal course of business and at the amounts stated in the financial statements. The financial statements do not include any adjustment relating to the recoverability or classification of recorded asset amounts or to the amounts or classifications of liabilities that might be necessary should the Consolidated Entity not be able to continue as a going concern.

**(d) Adoption of new and revised standards***Changes in accounting policies on initial application of Accounting Standards*

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year. From 1 October 2010, the Consolidated Entity has adopted all the standards and interpretations mandatory for annual periods beginning on or after 1 October 2010. Adoption of these standards and interpretations did not have any effect on the statements of financial position or performance of the Consolidated Entity. The Consolidated Entity has not elected to early adopt any new standards or amendments.

*New accounting standards and interpretations issued but yet effective*

The following applicable accounting standards and interpretations have been issued or amended but are not yet effective. These standards have not been adopted by the Consolidated Entity for the year ended 30 September 2011.

Reference	Title	Summary	Application date for Consolidated Entity
AASB 9	Financial Instruments	<p>AASB 9 includes requirements for the classification and measurement of financial assets resulting from the first part of Phase 1 of the IASB's project to replace IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement (AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement). These requirements improve and simplify the approach for classification and measurement of financial assets compared with the requirements of AASB 139. The main changes from AASB 139 are described below.</p> <p>(a) Financial assets are classified based on (1) the objective of the entity's business model for managing the financial assets; (2) the characteristics of the contractual cash flows. This replaces the numerous categories of financial assets in AASB 139, each of which had its own classification criteria.</p> <p>(b) AASB 9 allows an irrevocable election on initial recognition to present gains and losses on investments in equity instruments that are not held for trading in other comprehensive income. Dividends in respect of these investments that are a return on investment can be recognised in profit or loss and there is no impairment or recycling on disposal of the instrument.</p> <p>(c) Financial assets can be designated and measured at fair value through profit or loss at initial recognition if doing so eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency that would arise from measuring assets or liabilities, or recognising the gains and losses on them, on different bases.</p>	1 October 2013
AASB 2009-11	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 9 [AASB 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 101, 102, 108, 112, 118, 121, 127, 128, 131, 132, 136, 139, 1023 & 1038 and Interpretations 10 & 12]	<p>► These amendments arise from the issuance of AASB 9 <i>Financial Instruments</i> that sets out requirements for the classification and measurement of financial assets. The requirements in AASB 9 form part of the first phase of the International Accounting Standards Board's project to replace IAS 39 <i>Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement</i>.</p> <p>► This Standard shall be applied when AASB 9 is applied.</p>	1 October 2013

Reference	Title	Summary	Application date for Consolidated Entity
AASB 124 (Revised)	Related Party Disclosures (December 2009)	<p>The revised AASB 124 simplifies the definition of a related party, clarifying its intended meaning and eliminating inconsistencies from the definition, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) The definition now identifies a subsidiary and an associate with the same investor as related parties of each other</li> <li>(b) Entities significantly influenced by one person and entities significantly influenced by a close member of the family of that person are no longer related parties of each other</li> <li>(c) The definition now identifies that, whenever a person or entity has both joint control over a second entity and joint control or significant influence over a third party, the second and third entities are related to each other</li> </ul> <p>A partial exemption is also provided from the disclosure requirements for government-related entities. Entities that are related by virtue of being controlled by the same government can provide reduced related party disclosures.</p>	1 October 2011
AASB 2009-12	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards [AASBs 5, 8, 108, 110, 112, 119, 133, 137, 139, 1023 & 1031 and Interpretations 2, 4, 16, 1039 & 1052]	<p>This amendment makes numerous editorial changes to a range of Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations.</p> <p>In particular, it amends AASB 8 <i>Operating Segments</i> to require an entity to exercise judgement in assessing whether a government and entities known to be under the control of that government are considered a single customer for the purposes of certain operating segment disclosures. It also makes numerous editorial amendments to a range of Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations, including amendments to reflect changes made to the text of IFRS by the IASB.</p>	1 October 2011
AASB 2010-5	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards [AASB 1, 3, 4, 5, 101, 107, 112, 118, 119, 121, 132, 133, 134, 137, 139, 140, 1023 & 1038 and Interpretations 112, 115, 127, 132 & 1042]	<p>This Standard makes numerous editorial amendments to a range of Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations, including amendments to reflect changes made to the text of IFRS by the IASB. These amendments have no major impact on the requirements of the amended pronouncements.</p>	1 October 2011
AASB 2010-7	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 9 (December 2010) [AASB 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 101, 102, 108, 112, 118, 120, 121, 127, 128, 131, 132, 136, 137, 139, 1023, & 1038 and interpretations 2, 5, 10, 12, 19 & 127]	<p>The requirements for classifying and measuring financial liabilities were added to AASB 9. The existing requirements for the classification of financial liabilities and the ability to use the fair value option have been retained. However, where the fair value option is used for financial liabilities the change in fair value is accounted for as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>► The change attributable to changes in credit risk are presented in other comprehensive income (OCI)</li> <li>► The remaining change is presented in profit or loss</li> </ul> <p>If this approach creates or enlarges an accounting mismatch in the profit or loss, the effect of the changes in credit risk are also presented in profit or loss.</p>	1 October 2013
AASB 10	Consolidated Financial	AASB 10 establishes a new control model that applies to all entities. It replaces parts of AASB 127	1 October 2013

Reference	Title	Summary	Application date for Consolidated Entity
	Statements	<p><i>Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements</i> dealing with the accounting for consolidated financial statements and Interpretation 112 <i>Consolidation – Special Purpose Entities</i>.</p> <p>The new control model broadens the situations when an entity is considered to be controlled by another entity and includes new guidance for applying the model to specific situations, including when acting as a manager may give control, the impact of potential voting rights and when holding less than a majority voting rights may give control. This is likely to lead to more entities being consolidated into the group.</p>	
AASB 11	Joint Arrangements	AASB 11 replaces AASB 131 <i>Interests in Joint Ventures</i> and Interpretation 113 <i>Jointly-controlled Entities – Non-monetary Contributions by Ventures</i> . AASB 11 uses the principle of control in AASB 10 to define joint control, and therefore the determination of whether joint control exists may change. In addition AASB 11 removes the option to account for jointly controlled entities (JCEs) using proportionate consolidation. Instead, accounting for a joint arrangement is dependent on the nature of the rights and obligations arising from the arrangement. Joint operations that give the venturers a right to the underlying assets and obligations themselves is accounted for by recognising the share of those assets and obligations. Joint ventures that give the venturers a right to the net assets is accounted for using the equity method. This may result in a change in the accounting for the joint arrangements held by the group.	1 October 2013
AASB 12	Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities	AASB 12 includes all disclosures relating to an entity's interests in subsidiaries, joint arrangements, associates and structured entities. New disclosures have been introduced about the judgements made by management to determine whether control exists, and to require summarised information about joint arrangements, associates and structured entities and subsidiaries with non-controlling interests.	1 October 2013
AASB 2011-7	<i>Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Consolidation and Joint Arrangement Standards</i>	Consequential amendments to AASB 127 <i>Separate Financial Statements</i> and AASB 128 <i>Investments in Associates</i> as a result of the adoption of AASB 10 <i>Consolidated Financial Statements</i> , AASB 11 <i>Joint Arrangements</i> and AASB 12 <i>Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities</i> .	1 October 2013
AASB 13	Fair Value Measurement	<p>AASB 13 establishes a single source of guidance under Australian Accounting Standards for determining the fair value of assets and liabilities. AASB 13 does not change when an entity is required to use fair value, but rather, provides guidance on how to determine fair value under Australian Accounting Standards when fair value is required or permitted by Australian Accounting Standards. Application of this definition may result in different fair values being determined for the relevant assets.</p> <p>AASB 13 also expands the disclosure requirements for all assets or liabilities carried at fair value. This includes information about the assumptions made and the qualitative impact of those assumptions on the fair value determined.</p>	1 October 2013

Reference	Title	Summary	Application date for Consolidated Entity
AASB 1054	Australian Additional Disclosures	<p>This standard is as a consequence of phase 1 of the joint Trans-Tasman Convergence project of the AASB and FRSB.</p> <p>This standard relocates all Australian specific disclosures from other standards to one place and revises disclosures in the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Compliance with Australian Accounting Standards</li> <li>(b) The statutory basis or reporting framework for financial statements</li> <li>(c) Whether the financial statements are general purpose or special purpose</li> <li>(d) Audit fees</li> <li>(e) Imputation credits</li> </ul>	1 October 2011
AASB 2011-1	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Trans-Tasman Convergence project [AASB 1, AASB 5, AASB 101, AASB 107, AASB 108, AASB 121, AASB 128, AASB 132, AASB 134, Interpretation 2, Interpretation 112, Interpretation 113]	This Standard amends many Australian Accounting Standards, removing the disclosures which have been relocated to AASB 1054.	1 October 2011
AASB 2011-8	<i>Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Fair Value Measurement Standard</i>	Consequential amendments to existing Australian Accounting Standards as a result of the adoption of AASB 13 <i>Fair Value Measurement</i> .	1 October 2013
AASB 2011-9	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - <i>Presentation of Items of Other Comprehensive Income</i>  [AASB 1, 5, 7, 101, 112, 120, 121, 132, 133, 134, 1039 & 1049]	<p>The main change resulting from the amendments relates to the 'Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income' and the requirement for entities to group items presented in other comprehensive income on the basis of whether they are potentially reclassifiable to profit or loss subsequently (reclassification adjustments). The amendments do not remove the option to present profit or loss and other comprehensive income in two statements.</p> <p>The amendments do not change the option to present items of OCI either before tax or net of tax. However, if the items are presented before tax then the tax related to each of the two groups of OCI items (those that might be reclassified to profit or loss and those that will not be reclassified) must be shown separately.</p>	1 October 2012
AASB 119 (Revised)	Employee Benefits	<p>The main changes to accounting for defined benefit plans are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Elimination of the option to defer the recognition of actuarial gains and losses (the 'corridor method');</li> <li>• Remeasurements (essentially actuarial gains and losses) to be presented in other</li> </ul>	1 October 2013

Reference	Title	Summary	Application date for Consolidated Entity
		<p>comprehensive income;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Past service cost will be expensed when the plan amendments occur regardless of whether or not they are vested; and</li> <li>• Enhanced disclosures for Tier 1 entities.</li> </ul> <p>The distinction between short-term and other long-term employee benefits under the revised standard is now based on expected timing of settlement rather than employee entitlement.</p> <p>The revised standard also requires termination benefits (outside of a wider restructuring) to be recognised only when the offer becomes legally binding and cannot be withdrawn.</p>	
AASB 2011-4	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards to Remove Individual Key Management Personnel Disclosure Requirements [AASB 124]	This Statement makes amendments to remove individual key management personnel disclosure requirements from AASB 124	1 October 2013

The Consolidated Entity is in the process of determining the impact of the above on its financial statements. The Consolidated Entity has not elected to early adopt any new Standards or Interpretations.

### (e) Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of Fe Limited and its subsidiaries as at and for the year ended 30 September 2011.

Subsidiaries are all those entities over which Fe Limited has the power to govern the financial operating policies so as to obtain benefits from their activities.

The financial statements of the Company's subsidiaries are prepared for the same reporting period as the Company, using consistent accounting policies. In preparing the consolidated financial statements, all intercompany balances and transactions, income and expenses and profit and losses resulting from intra-group transactions, have been eliminated in full.

Subsidiaries are consolidated from the date on which control is transferred to the Consolidated Entity and cease to be consolidated from the date on which control is transferred out of the Consolidated Entity.

The acquisition of subsidiaries is accounted for using the acquisition method of accounting. The acquisition method of accounting involves recognising at acquisition date, separately from goodwill, the identifiable assets acquired, the liabilities assumed and any non-controlling interest in the acquiree. The identifiable assets acquired and the liabilities assumed are measured at their fair values at the date of acquisition. Any difference between the fair value of the consideration and the fair values of the identifiable net assets acquired is recognised as goodwill or a gain on bargain purchase.

A change in the ownership interest of a subsidiary that does not result in a loss of control, is accounted for as an equity transaction.



**(f) Cash and cash equivalents**

Cash and short-term deposits in the statement of financial position comprise cash at bank and in hand and short-term deposits with an original maturity of three months or less.

For the purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and cash equivalents as defined above, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

**(g) Trade and other receivables**

Trade receivables, which generally have 5-day term for gold sales and 14-day term for others, are recognised and carried at original invoice amount less an allowance for any uncollectible amounts.

Collectability of trade receivables is reviewed on an ongoing basis. Individual debts that are known to be uncollectible are written off when identified. An impairment provision is recognised when there is objective evidence that the Consolidated Entity will not be able to collect the receivable. Financial difficulties of the debtor, default payments or debts more than 60 days overdue are considered objective evidence of impairment. The amount of the impairment loss is the receivable carrying amount compared to the present value of the estimated future cash flows, discounted at the original effective interest rate.

**(h) Exploration and evaluation**

Exploration and evaluation expenditure incurred by or on behalf of the Consolidated Entity is accumulated separately for each area of interest. Such expenditure comprises net direct costs and an appropriate portion of related overhead expenditure, but does not include general overheads or administrative expenditure not having a specific connection with a particular area of interest.

Exploration and evaluation costs in relation to separate areas of interest for which rights of tenure are current are brought to account in the year in which they are incurred and carried forward provided that:

- a) such costs are expected to be recouped through successful development and exploitation of the area, or alternatively through its sale; or
- b) exploration and/or evaluation activities in the area have not yet reached a stage which permits a reasonable assessment of the existence or otherwise of economically recoverable reserves.

Accumulated costs in respect of areas of interest are written off in the statement of comprehensive income when the above criteria do not apply or when the directors assess that the carrying value may exceed the recoverable amount.

**(i) Property, plant and equipment**

Plant and equipment is stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any impairment in value.

Land is measured at cost.

Depreciation is calculated on a combination of a straight-line and reducing balance basis over the estimated useful life of the asset as follows:

Plant and equipment – 3 to 15 years

*Impairment*

The carrying values of plant and equipment are reviewed for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate the carrying value may not be recoverable.

For an asset that does not generate largely independent cash inflows, the recoverable amount is determined for the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

If any such indication exists and where the carrying values exceed the estimated recoverable amount, the assets are written down to their recoverable amount.

The recoverable amount of plant and equipment is the greater of fair value less costs to sell and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset.

**(j) Impairment of assets**

At each reporting date, the Consolidated Entity assesses whether there is any indication that an asset may be impaired. Where an indicator of impairment exists, the Consolidated Entity makes a formal estimate of recoverable amount. Where the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.

Recoverable amount is the greater of fair value less costs to sell and value in use. It is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset's value in use cannot be estimated to be close to its fair value less costs to sell and it does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or groups of assets, in which case, the recoverable amount is determined for the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset.

**(k) Trade and other payables**

Trade payables and other payables are carried at cost and represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Consolidated Entity prior to the end of the financial year that are unpaid and arise when the Consolidated Entity becomes obliged to make future payments in respect of the purchase of these goods and services.

**(l) Interest-bearing loans and borrowings**

All loans and borrowings are initially recognised at the fair value of the consideration received less directly attributable transaction costs.

After initial recognition, interest-bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Fees paid on the establishment of loan facilities that are yield related are included as part of the carrying amount of loans and borrowings.

Borrowings are classified as current liabilities unless the Consolidated Entity has an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting date.

*Borrowing costs*

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset are capitalised as part of the cost of that asset. All other borrowing costs are expensed in the period they occur. Borrowing costs consist of interest and other costs that an entity incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds.

**(m) Provisions and employee leave benefits**

Provisions are recognised when the Consolidated Entity has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

Where the Consolidated Entity expects some or all of a provision to be reimbursed, for example under an insurance contract, the reimbursement is recognised as a separate asset but only when the reimbursement is virtually certain. The expense relating to any provision is presented in the statement of comprehensive income net of any reimbursement.

If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability.

Where discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

#### *Employee benefits*

Provision is made for benefits accruing to employees in respect of wages and salaries, annual leave and long service leave when it is probable that settlement will be required and they are capable of being measured reliably.

Provisions made in respect of employee benefits expected to be settled within 12 months are measured at their nominal values using the remuneration rate expected to apply at the time of settlement. Provisions made in respect of employee benefits which are not expected to be settled within 12 months are measured as the present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be made by the Consolidated Entity in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date.

The liability for long service leave is recognised in the provision for employee benefits and measured as the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date.

### **(n) Share-based payments**

The Consolidated Entity provides benefits to certain executives, consultants and employees of the Consolidated Entity in the form of share-based payments, usually through the award of options.

Options are measured at fair value at the date of grant. Fair value is measured by use of the Black-Scholes option pricing model. The expected life used in the model has been adjusted based on management's best estimate, for the effects of non-transferability and exercise restrictions.

The fair value is determined at the grant date of the equity-settled share-based payments is expensed on a straight-line basis over the vesting period, based on the Consolidated Entity's estimate of shares that will eventually vest.

The dilutive effect, if any, of outstanding options is reflected as additional share dilution in the computation of earnings per share (see Note 6), unless a loss result has been reported.

### **(o) Contributed equity**

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

### **(p) Revenue recognition**

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Consolidated Entity and the revenue can be reliably measured. The following specific recognition criteria must also be met before revenue is recognised:

#### *Sale of goods*

Revenue is recognised when the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods have passed to the buyer and can be measured reliably. Risks and rewards are considered passed to the buyer at the time the goods are passed to the buyer.

*Interest*

Revenue is recognised as the interest accrues (using the effective interest method, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial instrument to the net carrying amount of the financial asset).

**(q) Income tax and other taxes**

Deferred income tax is provided on all temporary differences at the reporting date between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes.

Deferred income tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences:

- except where the deferred income tax liability arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; and
- in respect of taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and interests in joint ventures, except where the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred income tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences, carry-forward of unused tax assets and unused tax losses, to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, and the carry-forward of unused tax assets and unused tax losses can be utilised:

- except where the deferred income tax asset relating to the deductible temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; and
- in respect of deductible temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and interests in joint ventures, deferred tax assets are only recognised to the extent that it is probable that the temporary differences will reverse in the foreseeable future and taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised.

The carrying amount of deferred income tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred income tax asset to be utilised.

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the year when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

Income taxes relating to items recognised directly in equity are recognised in equity and not in the statement of comprehensive income.

*Other taxes*

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST except:

- where the GST incurred on a purchase of goods and services is not recoverable from the taxation authority, in which case the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense item as applicable; and
- receivables and payables are stated with the amount of GST included.

The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included as part of receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are included in the Statement of Cash Flows on a gross basis and the GST component of cash flows arising from investing and financing activities, which is recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority, are classified as operating cash flows.

Commitments and contingencies are disclosed net of the amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority.

#### **(r) Available-for-sale financial assets**

All available-for-sale investments are initially recognised at fair value plus directly attributable transaction costs.

Available-for-sale investments are those non-derivative financial assets, principally equity securities that are designated as available-for-sale. Investments are designated as available for sale if they do not have fixed maturities and fixed and determinable payments and management intends to hold them for the medium to long term.

After initial recognition, available-for-sale investments are measured at fair value. Gains or losses are recognised as a separate component of equity until the investment is sold, collected or otherwise disposed of, or until the investment is determined to be impaired, at which time the cumulative gain or loss previously reported in equity is included in the statement of comprehensive income.

#### **(s) Earnings per share**

Basic earnings per share is calculated as net profit/loss attributable to members of the Company, adjusted to exclude any costs of servicing equity (other than dividends) and preference share dividends, divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares, adjusted for any bonus element.

Diluted earnings per share is calculated as net profit/loss attributable to members of the Company, adjusted for:

- Costs of servicing equity (other than dividends) and preference share dividends;
- The after tax effect of dividends and interest associated with the dilutive potential ordinary shares that have been recognised as expenses; and
- Other non-discretionary changes in revenues or expenses during the year that would result from the dilution of potential ordinary shares;

divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares and dilutive potential ordinary shares, adjusted for any bonus element.

Where a loss has been reported the dilutive effects of options are not adjusted for, in accordance with AASB 133 *Earnings per share*.

#### **(t) Rehabilitation**

Rehabilitation costs are provided for when exploration and evaluation activities give rise to the need for rehabilitation. The estimate of the rehabilitation obligations are based on anticipated technology and legal requirements and future costs. Any changes in the estimates are adjusted on a prospective basis. In determining the rehabilitation obligations, the entity has assumed no significant changes will occur in the relevant Federal and State legislation in relation to rehabilitation of such mines in the future.

If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are determined by discounting the expected cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability.

When discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

**(u) Operating segments**

An operating segment is a component of an entity that engages in business activities from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses (including revenues and expenses relating to transactions with other components of the same entity), whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the entity's chief operating decision maker to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and assess their performance and for which discrete financial information is available. This includes start-up operations which are yet to earn revenues.

Operating segments have been identified based on the information provided to the chief operating decision makers – being the board of directors.

**(v) Non-current assets and disposal groups held for sale and discontinued operations**

Non-current assets and disposal groups are classified as held for sale and measured at the lower of their carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell if their carrying amount will be recovered principally through a sale transaction instead of use. They are not depreciated or amortised. For an asset or disposal group to be classified as held for sale, it must be available for immediate sale in its present condition and its sale must be highly probable.

An impairment loss is recognised for any initial or subsequent write-down of the asset (or disposal group) to fair value less costs to sell. A gain is recognised for any subsequent increases in fair value less costs to sell of an asset (or disposal group), but not in excess of any cumulative impairment loss previously recognised. A gain or loss not previously recognised by the date of the sale of the non-current asset (or disposal group) is recognised at the date of derecognition.

A discontinued operation is a component of the entity that has been disposed of or is classified as held for sale and that represents a separate major line of business or geographical area of operations, is part of a single coordinated plan to dispose of such a line of business or area of operations, or is a subsidiary acquired exclusively with a view to resale. The results of discontinued operations are presented separately on the face of the statement of comprehensive income and the assets and liabilities are presented separately on the face of the statement of financial position.

**(w) Significant accounting estimates and assumptions**

The carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities are often determined based on estimates and assumptions of future events. The key estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities within the next annual reporting year are:

*Capitalised Exploration and evaluation expenditure*

The future recoverability of capitalised exploration and evaluation expenditure is dependent on a number of factors, including whether the group decides to exploit the related lease itself or, if not whether it successfully recovers the related exploration and evaluation asset through sale.

Factors which could impact the future recoverability include the level of proved probable and inferred mineral resources, future technological changes which could impact the cost of mining, future legal changes (including changes to environmental restoration obligations) and changes to commodity prices.

To the extent that capitalised exploration and evaluation expenditure is determined not to be recoverable in the future, this will reduce profits and net assets in the period in which this determination is made.

In addition exploration and evaluation expenditure is capitalised if activities in the area of interest have not yet reached a stage which permits a reasonable assessment of the existence or otherwise of economically recoverable reserves. To the extent that it is determined in the future that this capitalised expenditure should be written off, this will reduce profits and net assets in the period in which this determination is made.

### 3 REVENUE, INCOME AND EXPENSES

	Consolidated	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
<b>(a) Revenue</b>		
Interest	89,923	92,404
<b>(b) Other income</b>		
Gain on sale of available-for-sale financial assets	122,051	-
Other	6,753	-
	128,804	-
<b>(c) Employment benefits and directors remuneration</b>		
Directors fees	(387,397)	(430,788)
Wages and salaries	(187,162)	(50,680)
Other employee benefits expenses	(17,360)	(5,907)
	(591,919)	(487,375)
<b>(d) Other expenses</b>		
Tenement administration fees	(131,945)	(85,503)
Media and printing expenses	(67,616)	(39,442)
Depreciation expense	(23,772)	(8,310)
Other expenses	(80,590)	(120,848)
	(303,923)	(254,103)

### 4 Discontinued operations

#### (a) Details of operations held for sale

*Year ended 30 September 2011*

In April 2011, FEL entered into a conditional agreement to sell Gympie Eldorado Mining Pty Ltd ("GEM"), a wholly owned subsidiary of FEL, to BRI Microfine Pty Ltd ("BRI"). On completion, FEL will receive \$50,000 in cash. Consideration for the sale also includes a net smelter return of 6.5% on gold recovered from tailings treatment and 25% of any profits on sale of freehold land. In addition, FEL will be reimbursed \$2,264,984 in respect of environmental performance bonds.

*Year ended 30 September 2010*

In late 2008, the Board resolved to cease mining at GEM's Monkland mine and sell the GEM operations, related assets and the surrounding exploration tenements. Although the final gold pour from FEL's GEM operations took place in December 2008, the subsequent gold scavenges from the tailings dam and surrounding areas resulted in substantial gold receipts being recognised in the year ended 30 September 2010.

On 10 November 2009, FEL reached an agreement with a private consortium to sell its 80% interest in the Maryborough Basin Exploration Tenements, through the sale of its 100% owned subsidiary BK Exploration Pty Ltd. This transaction was approved by shareholders at the Company's annual general meeting on 26 February 2010. The sale of BK Exploration Pty Ltd was completed and a gain on disposal of \$190,500 recognised in the year ended 30 September 2010.



**(b) Financial performance of operations disposed and held for sale**

	2011 Gympie Eldorado Mining Pty Ltd \$	2010 Gympie Eldorado Mining Pty Ltd \$	2010 BK Exploration Pty Ltd \$	2010 Total \$
Revenue from gold sales	-	700,572	-	700,572
Other income from sale of property, plant and equipment	2,000,526	1,057,556	-	1,057,556
Gain on sale of subsidiary	-	-	190,500	190,500
Rehabilitation expense	(642,984)	-	-	-
Employee benefits expense	(347,564)	(332,648)	-	(332,648)
Site operation costs	(449,488)	(554,418)	-	(554,418)
Administration and other expenses	(119,066)	(119,549)	-	(119,549)
Impairment of exploration assets	-	(142,989)	-	(142,989)
Other income	18,436	-	-	-
Profit from discontinued operations before tax	459,860	608,524	190,500	799,024
Income tax	-	-	-	-
Profit from discontinued operations after tax	459,860	608,524	190,500	799,024

**(c) Assets and liabilities of held for sale operations**

The major classes of assets and liabilities of Gympie Eldorado Mining Pty Ltd as are follows:

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Assets		
Property Plant and Equipment (Land)	428,454	428,454
Liabilities		
Provision for rehabilitation	(2,248,984)	(1,606,000)
Net liabilities attributable to discontinued operations	(1,820,530)	(1,177,546)

**(d) Assets and liabilities and cash flow information of disposed entity**

Details of the disposal of BK Exploration Pty Ltd are as follows:

	2010 \$
Assets	
Cash	10
Exploration and evaluation expenditure	809,492
	809,502
Liabilities	
Loan payable to Gympie Eldorado Mining Pty Ltd	(2,175,069)
Net assets attributable to discontinued operations	(1,365,567)



The net cash flows of BK Exploration Pty Ltd were as follows:

Operating activities	
Net cash flows	-
Consideration received or receivable:	
Cash	10
Total disposal consideration	10
Less net assets disposed of	1,365,567
Impairment of exploration assets	(1,175,077)
Gain on disposal before income tax	190,500
Income tax expense	-
Gain on disposal after income tax	190,500
Net cash flow on disposal	
Cash and cash equivalents consideration	10
Less cash and cash equivalents disposed of	(10)
Reflected in the consolidated statement of cash flows	-

**(e) Earnings per share of discontinued operations**

	2011 Cents	2010 Cents
EPS (cents per share)		
- Basic	0.40	0.87
- Diluted	0.34	0.72

**5 INCOME TAX**

**Consolidated**

2011	2010
\$	\$

(a) Income tax expense

The major components of income tax expense are:

Current tax	-	-
Deferred tax	-	-
Income tax expense reported in the statement of comprehensive income	-	-

(b) Reconciliation between aggregate tax expense recognised in the statement of comprehensive income and tax expense calculated per the statutory tax rate

Loss from continuing operations	(5,064,730)	(1,863,842)
Profit from discontinued operations	459,860	799,024
Accounting loss before tax	(4,604,870)	(1,064,818)
Tax at the statutory income tax rate of 30%	(1,381,461)	(319,445)
Tax effect of permanent differences	1,174,012	(268,192)
Unrecognised tax losses and temporary differences	557,823	587,637
Utilised tax losses	(350,374)	-
Income tax expense reported in statement of comprehensive income	-	-

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
(c) Deferred Tax Liabilities		
Exploration Expenditure	726,770	255,600
Accrued income	541	408
	<u>727,331</u>	<u>256,008</u>
Less offset by Deferred Tax Asset	(727,331)	(256,008)
Deferred Tax Liabilities	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
(d) Deferred Tax Assets		
Provisions	682,523	488,100
Accrued expenditure	20,216	-
Loss on financial assets	34,365	-
Other revenue items	-	86,667
Tax losses (revenue)	7,450,934	6,979,078
Tax losses (capital)	-	10,044
Unrealised capital tax losses	<u>392,439</u>	<u>392,439</u>
	<u>8,580,477</u>	<u>7,956,328</u>
Less offset against deferred tax liabilities	(727,311)	(256,008)
Deferred tax assets not recognised	<u>7,853,166</u>	<u>7,700,320</u>

The Consolidated Entity has not formed a tax consolidated group.

## 6 EARNINGS PER SHARE

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	Cents	Cents
Basic earnings/(loss) per share (cents)		
Continuing operations	(4.39)	(2.04)
Discontinued operations	<u>0.40</u>	<u>0.87</u>
	<u>(3.99)</u>	<u>(1.17)</u>

Basic earnings/(loss) per share amounts are calculated by dividing net profit/(loss) for the year attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company by the weighted average number of shares on issue during the year.

Diluted earnings per share amounts are calculated by dividing the net profit/(loss) attributable to shareholders by the weighted average number of shares on issue during the year (adjusted for the effects of dilutive options). Where a loss has been reported the dilutive effects of options are not adjusted for, in accordance with AASB 133 *Earnings per share*.

The following reflects the income and share data used in the basic and diluted earnings/(loss) per share computations:

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
<i>For basic earnings/(loss) per share</i>		
Net loss from continuing operations attributable to equity holders of the parent	(5,064,730)	(1,863,842)
Profit attributable to discontinued continuing operations	<u>459,860</u>	<u>799,024</u>
Net loss attributable to ordinary equity holders of the parent	<u>(4,604,870)</u>	<u>(1,064,818)</u>
<i>For diluted earnings/(loss) per share</i>		
Net loss attributable to Shareholders for diluted earnings per Share	(5,064,730)	(1,863,842)
Profit attributable to discontinued operations	<u>459,860</u>	<u>799,024</u>
Net loss attributable to ordinary equity holders of the parent	<u>(4,604,870)</u>	<u>(1,064,818)</u>

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011 No.	2010 No.
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for basic earnings per share	115,297,940	91,344,477
Effect of dilution:		
- Share options	-	-
Adjusted weighted average number of ordinary shares for diluted earnings per share	<u>115,297,940</u>	<u>91,344,477</u>

There are 18,875,000 (2010: 19,925,000) share options excluded from the calculation of diluted earnings per share (that could potentially dilute basic earnings per share in the future) because they are anti-dilutive for each of the periods presented.

## 7 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011 \$	2010 \$
Cash at bank and on hand	<u>65,727</u>	<u>1,294,114</u>

Cash at bank and on hand earns interest at the floating rates based on daily bank deposit rates.

### (a) Reconciliation of net loss after tax to net cash flows from operations

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011 \$	2010 \$
Net loss for the year	(4,604,870)	(1,064,818)
<i>Adjustments for:</i>		
Depreciation	23,772	8,310
Profit on disposal of non-current assets	(2,000,526)	(1,057,556)
Carrying amount of fixed assets sold	-	946
Profit on sale of available-for-sale financial assets	(122,051)	-
Impairment of exploration assets	3,889,624	292,157
Impairment of available-for-sale financial assets	114,550	-
Share based payments	18,272	467,080
Interest capitalised to loan facility balance	5,652	-
Gain on sale of investment in Joint Venture entity	-	(190,500)
<i>Changes in assets and liabilities</i>		
(Increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables	(22,725)	(40,223)
(Increase)/decrease in prepayments	13,566	30,654
(Decrease)/increase in trade and other payables	23,562	257,391
(Decrease)/increase in provisions	648,075	(29,640)
Net cash from/(used) in operating activities	<u>(2,013,099)</u>	<u>(1,326,199)</u>

**8 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES**

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
<b>Current</b>		
Trade receivables	18,714	3,714
Other receivables	22,131	559,856
	<u>40,845</u>	<u>563,570</u>

Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and are generally on 5-day terms for gold sales and 14 days for other sales. A provision for impairment is recognised when there is objective evidence that an individual trade receivable is impaired. No impairment has been recognised in the current year (2010: nil).

At 30 September the ageing analysis of trade receivables were as follows:

		Total	Current
		\$	\$
2011	Consolidated	18,714	18,714
2010	Consolidated	3,714	3,714

Other receivables are amounts which generally arise from transactions outside the usual operating activities of the Consolidated Entity and are non-interest bearing with no fixed terms. Other receivables do not contain impaired assets, are not past due date and are expected to be received in full.

Due to the short term nature of these receivables, their carrying value is assumed to approximate their fair value.

At 30 September 2010, other receivables included \$500,000 relating to the remaining amount receivable from the sale of 80% of the Maryborough Project to MAuB Pty Ltd. This amount was secured against shares in BK Exploration Pty Ltd and was received in the current year.

The maximum exposure to credit risk is the fair value of receivables. It is not the Consolidated Entity's policy to transfer (on-sell) receivables to special purpose entities.

**9 EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION EXPENDITURE**

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
Exploration and evaluation expenditure	<u>2,422,568</u>	<u>5,450,597</u>
<i>Movements in exploration and evaluation expenditure</i>		
Carrying value at the beginning of the year	5,450,597	491,574
Exploration expenditure incurred	861,595	5,917,683
Disposals during the year (refer note 4(d))	-	(809,492)
Impairment (a)	<u>(3,889,624)</u>	<u>(149,168)</u>
Carrying value at end of year	<u>2,422,568</u>	<u>5,450,597</u>

Exploration and evaluation expenditures are carried forward in accordance with the policy set out in note 2(h).

The ultimate recoupment of the capitalised exploration and evaluation costs relating to areas of interest in the exploration and evaluation phase is dependent upon the successful development and commercial exploitation or, alternatively, sale of the respective areas of interest and the Consolidated Entity's ability to continue to meet its financial obligations to maintain the area of interest.

- a) The Consolidated Entity has assessed the carrying amount of the exploration and evaluation expenditure in accordance with AASB 6 *Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources* and has impaired \$3,889,624 during the current year (2010: \$149,168) following the decision not to continue exploration in certain areas within the mid-west region of Western Australia. The impairment expense is shown as a separate line item in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

## 10 PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
At cost	89,708	82,936
Accumulated depreciation	(32,131)	(8,359)
	<u>57,577</u>	<u>74,577</u>
<i>Movements in plant and equipment</i>		
Carrying value at beginning of year	74,577	4,593
Additions	6,772	78,294
Depreciation charge for the year	(23,772)	(8,310)
Carrying value at end of year	<u>57,577</u>	<u>74,577</u>

## 11 AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE FINANCIAL ASSETS

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
Shares – Australian listed	<u>158,757</u>	-
<i>Movements in available-for-sale financial assets</i>		
Carrying value at beginning of year	-	-
Shares acquired	471,338	-
Shares disposed	(198,031)	-
Impairment expense recognised through profit and loss	(114,550)	-
Carrying value at end of year	<u>158,757</u>	-

## 12 OTHER RECEIVABLES (NON-CURRENT)

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
Term deposits (a)	1,461,400	1,461,400
Cash deposits – deposited with DEEDI (b)	803,584	-
Cash deposits – other	800	400
	<u>2,265,784</u>	<u>1,461,800</u>

(a) Term deposits have been pledged as security for a bank guarantee.

(b) Cash has been deposited directly with the Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation ("DEEDI"), pledged as security for an environmental performance bond.

The term deposit and cash deposit provide security for the Consolidated Entity's rehabilitation obligations in relation to the tenements held by Gympie Eldorado Mining Pty Ltd. During the year ended 30 September 2011, a revised assessment was made in respect of these tenements, requiring further funds of \$803,584 to be deposited.

## 13 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
Trade payables	136,215	543,333
Other payables	99,189	271,659
	<u>235,404</u>	<u>814,992</u>

Trade payables are non-interest bearing and are normally settled on 30-day terms. Other payables are non-interest bearing and have varying terms.

**14 PROVISIONS**

		<b>Consolidated</b>	
		2011	2010
		\$	\$
<b>Current</b>			
Employee benefits		10,092	5,001
		<u>10,092</u>	<u>5,001</u>
<b>Liability associated with assets held for sale</b>			
Provision for rehabilitation (a)		<u>2,248,984</u>	<u>1,606,000</u>
<b>Non-current</b>			
Provision for rehabilitation (b)		<u>16,000</u>	<u>16,000</u>
		<u>16,000</u>	<u>16,000</u>
	Employee benefits	Rehabilitation	Total
	\$	\$	\$
<i>Movements in provisions</i>			
Carrying value at beginning of year	5,001	1,622,000	1,627,001
Arising during the year	5,091	642,984	648,075
Carrying value at end of year	<u>10,092</u>	<u>2,264,984</u>	<u>2,275,076</u>

- (a) Provision for rehabilitation is recognised for the expected costs associated with the rehabilitation of the mine site area, which is expected to be incurred as a result of the Company's decision to cease mining operations at the Monkland Mine in Gympie Queensland. The provision is based on the best estimate of the direct expenditures to be incurred. Refer to note 4(c).
- (b) Provision for rehabilitation is recognised for the expected costs associated with the rehabilitation of the Mt Elvire project in Western Australia. The provision is based on the best estimate of the direct expenditures to be incurred.

The Company has provided a bank guarantee and cash deposit amounting to \$2,264,984 (2010: \$1,461,400) to cover potential rehabilitation costs in respect of the Consolidated Entity's mining operations.

**15 INTEREST-BEARING LOANS AND BORROWINGS (NON-CURRENT)**

		<b>Consolidated</b>	
		2011	2010
		\$	\$
Loan from related party (a)			
- Principal		510,000	-
- Interest		<u>5,652</u>	<u>-</u>
		<u>515,652</u>	<u>-</u>

- (a) In June 2011, the Consolidated Entity entered into a loan facility agreement with Cape Lambert Resources Limited (ASX: CFE). Under the terms of the agreement, the Consolidated Entity has access to \$2,000,000 with any amounts drawn down repayable in full by 31 December 2012. Interest is payable on the amounts drawn down at the cash rate plus 3% per annum.

## 16 CONTRIBUTED EQUITY

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
<i>Ordinary shares</i>		
Issued and fully paid (a)	33,957,000	33,774,372
	2011	2011
	No. of shares	\$
<i>Movements in ordinary shares on issue</i>		
Balance at beginning of year	113,981,448	33,774,372
Issued pursuant to Padbury Limited takeover offer	1,540,127	182,628
Balance at end of year	115,521,575	33,957,000
	2010	2010
	No. of shares	\$
<i>Movements in ordinary shares on issue</i>		
Balance at beginning of year	71,392,898	28,884,383
Share placement	11,666,667	1,400,000
Issued to Cauldron Energy Ltd (refer note 29)	10,458,935	836,714
Issued to shareholders of Mooloogool Ltd (refer note 29)	20,462,948	2,725,275
Costs associated with share issue	-	(72,000)
	113,981,448	33,774,372

- (a) Fully paid ordinary shares have the right to receive dividends as declared and, in the event of winding up the Company, to participate in the proceeds from the sale of all surplus assets in proportion to the number of shares held. Ordinary shares carry one vote per share, either in person or by proxy, at a meeting of the Company.

## 17 ACCUMULATED LOSSES

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
Accumulated losses	(33,239,531)	(28,634,661)
<i>Movements in accumulated losses</i>		
Balance at beginning of year	(28,634,661)	(27,569,843)
Net Loss for the year	(4,604,870)	(1,064,818)
Balance at end of year	(33,239,531)	(28,634,661)

## 18 RESERVES

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
Share based payments reserve (a)	1,718,781	1,700,509
Net unrealised gains reserve (b)	-	-
	1,718,781	1,700,509
<i>Movements in reserve</i>		
Balance at beginning of year	1,700,509	195,654
Share-based payments made during the year	18,272	1,504,855
Balance at end of year	1,718,781	1,700,509

- (a) *Share based payments reserve*

	2011 No. of options	2011 \$
<i>Movements in options on issue</i>		
Balance at beginning of year	19,925,000	1,700,509
Options expired	(1,550,000)	-
Options issued to employees	500,000	18,272
Balance at end of year	<u>18,875,000</u>	<u>1,718,781</u>

	2010 No. of options	2010 \$
<i>Movements in options on issue</i>		
Balance at beginning of year	2,300,000	195,654
Options issued to Directors, employees and consultants	5,625,000	467,080
Options issued to Shareholders of Mooloogool Ltd	12,500,000	1,037,775
Options lapsed	(500,000)	-
Balance at end of year	<u>19,925,000</u>	<u>1,700,509</u>

#### *Nature and purpose of reserve*

This reserve is used to record the value of share based payments made to directors, consultants and employees, as well as share based payments awarded as consideration for the acquisition of assets.

At the reporting date the following options were outstanding:

- i) 375,000 unlisted employee options with an exercise price of 15 cents per option and are exercisable any time up until 23 March 2014.
- ii) 500,000 unlisted consultant options with an exercise price of 12 cents per option and are exercisable any time up until 31 December 2012.
- iii) 5,000,000 unlisted consultant options with an exercise price of 12 cents per option and are exercisable any time up until 31 December 2012.
- iv) 12,500,000 unlisted vendor options issued to existing shareholders of Mooloogool Limited. The options have an exercise price of 12 cents per option and are exercisable any time up until 31 December 2012.
- v) 500,000 unlisted employee options with an exercise price of 12 cents per option and are exercisable any time up until 31 December 2012.

#### *(b) Net unrealised gains reserve*

	2011 \$	2010 \$
<i>Movements in reserve</i>		
Balance at beginning of year	-	-
Net fair value on available-for-sale financial assets	7,501	-
Transfer realised gain on sale of available-for-sale financial asset to profit and loss	(122,051)	-
Transfer of impairment loss to profit and loss	<u>114,550</u>	<u>-</u>
Balance at end of year	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

#### *Nature and purpose of reserve*

This reserve records the movements in the fair value of available-for-sale investments.



## 19 SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Consolidated Entity has identified its operating segments based on the internal reports that are reviewed and used by the board of directors in assessing performance and in determining the allocation of resources. The Consolidated Entity has only one operating segment, being mineral exploration and all of these activities are conducted in Australia.

## 20 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES

The Consolidated Entity's objective with regard to financial risk management is to ensure the effective management of business risks crucial to the financial integrity of the business without affecting the ability of the Consolidated Entity to operate efficiently or execute its business plans and strategies.

The Board has overall responsibility for the determination of the Consolidated Entity's risk management objectives and policies and has the responsibility for designing and operating processes that ensure the effective management of all significant financial risks to the business. The Board may delegate specific responsibilities as appropriate.

### *Capital risk management*

The Consolidated Entity's capital base comprises its ordinary shareholders equity, which was \$2,436,250 at 30 September 2011 (2010: \$6,840,220). The Consolidated Entity manages its capital to ensure that the entities in the group will be able to continue to meet its working capital requirements and operate as a going concern while seeking to maximise the return to stakeholders.

In making its decisions to adjust its capital structure, either through new share issues or consideration of debt, the Consolidated Entity considers not only its short-term working capital needs but also its long-term operational and strategic objectives. The Board continually monitors the capital requirements of the Consolidated Entity.

The Consolidated Entity is not subject to any externally imposed capital requirements.

### *Financial instrument risk exposure and management*

The Consolidated Entity's principal financial instruments comprise cash and short-term deposits, receivables, payables and interest-bearing loans and borrowings. The main risks arising from the Consolidated Entity's financial instruments are interest rate and credit risk. The Board reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks and they are summarised below.

Details of the significant accounting policies and methods adopted, including the criteria for recognition, the basis of measurement and the basis on which income and expenses are recognised, in respect of each class of financial asset, financial liability and equity instrument are disclosed in Note 2 to the financial statements.

### *Interest rate risk*

The Consolidated Entity's exposure to changes in market interest rates relates primarily to the Consolidated Entity's cash and short-term deposits with a floating interest rate. In addition, the Consolidated Entity's interest-bearing liabilities are subject to floating interest rates and are therefore exposed to changes in market interest rates.

At the reporting date, the Consolidated Entity had the following financial assets and liabilities exposed to variable interest rate risk:

		Consolidated	
	Note	2011	2010
		\$	\$
<i>Financial assets</i>			
Cash and cash equivalents	7	65,727	1,294,114
Other receivables (term deposits)	12	1,461,400	1,461,400
		<u>1,527,127</u>	<u>2,755,514</u>
<i>Financial liabilities</i>			
Interest-bearing loans and borrowings	15	<u>(515,652)</u>	-
Net exposure		<u>1,011,475</u>	<u>2,755,514</u>

The following sensitivity analysis is based on the interest rate risk exposures in existence at the reporting date and based on judgements of reasonably possible movements:

	Post Tax Loss Higher/(Lower)		Equity Higher/(Lower)	
	2011 \$	2010 \$	2011 \$	2010 \$
<b>Consolidated</b>				
+1% (100 basis points)	10,115	27,555	-	-
-0.5% (50 basis points)	(5,057)	(13,778)	-	-

A sensitivity analysis is derived from a review of historical movements and management's judgment of future trends. The analysis was performed on the same basis as 2010.

#### *Credit risk*

Credit risk arises from the financial assets of the Consolidated Entity, which comprise cash and cash equivalents and trade and other receivables. The Consolidated Entity's exposure to credit risk arises from potential default of the counter party, with a maximum exposure equal to the carrying amount of these instruments. Exposure at reporting date is addressed in each applicable note.

The Consolidated Entity trades only with recognised and creditworthy third parties.

In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis with the result that the Consolidated Entity's exposure to bad debts is not significant. There are no significant concentrations of credit risk within the Consolidated Entity.

#### *Liquidity risk*

Liquidity risk arises from the Consolidated Entity's management of working capital. It is the risk that the Consolidated Entity will encounter difficulty in meeting its financial obligations as they fall due. The Consolidated Entity's objective is to ensure that it will always have sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities through ensuring it has sufficient cash reserves to meet its ongoing working capital and long-term operational and strategic objectives. The Consolidated Entity manages liquidity risk by maintaining adequate borrowing facilities and monitoring forecast and actual cash flows on an ongoing basis.

The following table summarises the maturity profile of the Consolidated Entity's liabilities. The table has been drawn up based on the undiscounted cash flows of financial liabilities based on the earliest date on which the Company can be required to pay.

	Less than 6 months \$	6 months to 1 year \$	1 year to 5 years \$	Total \$
<b>Consolidated</b>				
<b>2011</b>				
Trade and other payables	235,404	-	-	235,404
Interest-bearing loans and borrowings	-	-	565,058	565,058
	<u>235,404</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>565,058</u>	<u>800,462</u>
<b>2010</b>				
Trade & other payables	814,992	-	-	814,992
	<u>814,992</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>814,992</u>

The Consolidated Entity has determined that the carrying value of financial liabilities is approximately equal to its fair value.

#### *Fair value estimation*

The fair value of financial assets and liabilities must be estimated for recognition and measurement or for disclosure purposes. The Directors consider that the carrying amount of financial assets and financial liabilities recorded in the financial statements approximates their fair values as the carrying value less impairment provision of trade receivables and payables are assumed to approximate their fair values due to their short-term nature.

#### Financial Instruments Measured at Fair Value

The financial instruments recognised at fair value in the statement of financial position have been analysed and classified using a fair value hierarchy reflecting the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. The fair value hierarchy consists of the following levels:

- quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1);
- inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (as prices) or indirectly (derived from prices) (Level 2); and
- inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs) (Level 3)

2011	Level 1 \$	Level 2 \$	Level 3 \$	Total \$
<i>Financial assets</i>				
Available-for-sale financial assets	<u>158,757</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>158,757</u>

## **21 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES**

#### *Capital Commitments*

There are no contracted commitments as at 30 September 2011 (2010: nil). However, the expected expenditure commitments with respect to the exploration grounds in Western Australia are approximately \$659,422 (2010: \$767,000).

#### *Contingencies*

At 30 September 2011 there were no known contingent liabilities or contingent assets.

## **22 CONTROLLED ENTITIES**

The consolidated financial statements include the financial statements of Fe Limited and the subsidiaries listed in the following table.

Subsidiary	Country of Incorporation	Equity interest %		Parent Entity Investment \$	
		2011	2010	2011	2010
Gympie Eldorado Mining Pty Ltd	Australia	100	100	4,341,350	4,341,350
- Impairment allowance				(4,341,350)	(4,341,350)
Jackson Minerals Ltd (*)	Australia	100	100	731,211	731,211
Mooloogool Ltd (*)	Australia	100	100	3,763,050	3,763,050
- Impairment allowance				(3,763,050)	-
				<u>731,211</u>	<u>4,494,261</u>

(\*) Refer to note 29 for details of subsidiaries acquired during the year ended 30 September 2010.

## 23 AUDITORS' REMUNERATION

Consolidated	
2011	2010
\$	\$

Amounts received or due and receivable by Ernst & Young Australia for:

An audit or review of the financial report of the entity and any other entity in the consolidated entity:

Amounts paid relating to prior year audit

- 35,000

Amounts paid or payable relating to current year audit and half year review

65,550	83,840
<u>65,550</u>	<u>118,840</u>

## 24 KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

### (a) Details of Key Management Personnel

#### Directors

A Sage	Director (Non-executive chairman)
K Bischoff	Director (Managing Director) (Appointed 21 March 2011) (Resigned 28 November 2011)
M Gwynne	Director (Executive)
P Kelly	Director (Non-Executive)
S McDonald	Director (Non-executive) (Resigned 3 December 2010)

#### Executives

E V Puttkammer	Company Secretary
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During the year, the Company had in place and paid premiums for insurance policies indemnifying directors and officers of the Company against certain liabilities incurred in the conduct of business or in the discharge of their duties as directors or officers. The contracts of insurance contain confidentiality provisions that preclude disclosure of the premium paid, the nature of the liability covered by the policies, the limit of liability and the name of the insurer.

(b) Compensation of key management personnel

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
Short term employee benefits	387,397	430,788
Post employment benefits	-	3,645
Share based payments	-	435,750
	<u>387,397</u>	<u>870,183</u>

(c) Shareholdings of Key Management Personnel

*Ordinary shares held in Fe Limited*

30 September 2011	Balance at 1 October 2010	Granted as remuneration	Net change other	Balance at 30 September 2011
<i>Directors</i>				
A Sage*	2,071,699	-	-	2,071,699
K Bischoff (i) *	-	-	375,000	375,000
M Gwynne	-	-	-	-
P Kelly	-	-	-	-
S McDonald (ii)	-	-	-	-
<i>Executives</i>				
E Von Puttkammer	83,333	-	-	83,333
30 September 2010	Balance at 1 October 2009	Granted as remuneration	Net change other	Balance at 30 September 2010
<i>Directors</i>				
A Sage*	-	-	2,071,699	2,071,699
S McDonald	-	-	-	-
M Gwynne	-	-	-	-
P Kelly	-	-	-	-
D Hillier* (iii)	4,500,000	-	(500,000)	4,000,000
<i>Executives</i>				
E Von Puttkammer	-	-	83,333	83,333

\*Indirect interest

(i) Resigned 28 November 2011

(ii) Resigned 3 December 2010

(iii) Resigned 31 December 2009

(d) Option holdings of Key Management Personnel

30 September 2011	Balance at 1 October 2010	Acquired /granted during year	Lapsed during Year	Balance at 30 September 2011	Exercisable	Not Exercisable
<i>Directors</i>						
A Sage	2,500,000	-	-	2,500,000	2,500,000	-
K Bischoff	-	-	-	-	-	-
M Gwynne	1,500,000	-	-	1,500,000	1,500,000	-
P Kelly	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Executives</i>						
E Von Puttkammer	250,000	-	-	250,000	250,000	-
				<u>4,250,000</u>	<u>4,250,000</u>	

30 September 2010	Balance at 1 October 2009	Acquired /granted during year	Lapsed during Year	Balance at 30 September 2010	Exercisable	Not Exercisable
<i>Directors</i>						
A Sage	-	2,500,000	-	2,500,000	2,500,000	-
M Gwynne	-	1,500,000	-	1,500,000	1,500,000	-
P Kelly	-	-	-	-	-	-
S McDonald (i)	-	1,000,000	-	1,000,000	1,000,000	-
<i>Executives</i>						
E Von Puttkammer	-	250,000	-	250,000	250,000	-
				<u>5,250,000</u>	<u>5,250,000</u>	<u>-</u>

(i) At the date of his resignation, Mr McDonald had an interest in 1,000,000 options.

(ii) At the date of his resignation (31 December 2009), Mr Hillier had an interest in 1,000,000 options.

(e) Other transactions with Key Management Personnel

For details of other transactions with Key Management Personnel, refer to note 25.

## 25 RELATED PARTY INFORMATION

Transactions with directors, director related entities and other related parties.

(a) Payments to and from director related entities

An aggregate amount of \$54,710 was paid to Cape Lambert Resources Ltd (ASX: CFE) ("Cape Lambert") during 2011 for the reimbursement of consultancy costs. Mr Sage is a director of Cape Lambert.

During the year, the Consolidated Entity received \$14,431 net from Cauldron Energy Limited (ASX: CXU) ("Cauldron Energy") for the reimbursement of employee and corporate costs. Mr Sage is a director of Cauldron Energy.

During the year, the Consolidated Entity received \$9,083 from Eclipse Uranium Limited (ASX: EUL) ("Eclipse") for reimbursement of employee costs. Mr Kelly is a director of Eclipse.

(b) Related party loan

In June 2011, the Consolidated Entity entered into a loan facility agreement with Cape Lambert (refer note 15). At 30 September 2011, the Consolidated Entity had drawn down \$510,000 and has accrued interest on the loan \$5,652. Mr Sage is a director of Cape Lambert.

(c) Financial Assets

At 30 September 2011, the Consolidated Entity held 696,462 shares in African Iron Limited (ASX: AKI) with a market value of \$146,257. Mr Sage is a director of AKI.

At 30 September 2011, the Consolidated Entity held 250,000 shares in Eclipse Uranium Limited (ASX: EUL) with a market value of \$12,500. Mr Kelly was a director of EUL.

(d) Others

On 22 March 2011, FEL entered into an agreement to acquire Mt Ida from Dempsey Resources Pty Ltd, a wholly owned subsidiary of Cape Lambert Resources Ltd. Completion of the acquisition is subject to the execution of split commodity agreements for exploration licences E29/561 and E29/644 ("Core Tenements") with the license holders. These agreements are presently being negotiated.

## 26 SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS

Total costs arising from share based payment transactions recognised during the year were as follows:

	<b>Consolidated</b>	
	2011	2010
	\$	\$
Expense arising from equity-settled, directors, executives, consultant and employee share-based payment transactions (a)	18,272	467,080
Shares and options issued to acquire exploration projects (b)	-	4,599,764
	<u>18,272</u>	<u>5,066,844</u>

### (a) Equity settled directors, executives, consultants and employee share based payment transactions

Options are granted to directors, executives, employees and consultants of the Consolidated Entity in the form of share-based payments. There is currently no formal employee share plan, however selected employees of the Consolidated Entity were granted options during the year. The purpose of the grant of options to selected employees is to:

- recognise the ongoing ability of the employees of the Consolidated Entity and their expected efforts and contribution in the long term to the performance and success of the Consolidated Entity; and
- provide an incentive to the employees of the Consolidated Entity to remain in their employment in the long term.

### (b) Share based payments – exploration expenditure

A total of 10,458,935 ordinary shares were issued during the year ended 30 September 2010 as part of the consideration to acquire Jackson Minerals Limited and other exploration assets from Cauldron Energy Limited. The fair value of the shares at the date of receiving the assets amounted to \$836,714.

A total of 20,462,948 ordinary shares and 12,500,000 unlisted options with an exercise price of \$0.12 to be exercised before 31 December 2012 were issued during the year ended 30 September 2010 as consideration for the acquisition of Mooloogool Limited. These were valued at \$2,725,275 and \$1,037,775 respectively.

### (c) Summaries of options granted

The following table illustrates the number (No.) and weighted average exercise prices (WAEP) of, and movements in, options issued during the year:

	2011 No.	2011 WAEP	2010 No.	2010 WAEP
Outstanding at the beginning of the year	19,925,000	0.14	2,300,000	0.37
Granted during the year to executives and consultants	500,000	0.12	5,500,000	0.12
Granted during the year to executives and consultants	-	-	125,000	0.15
Granted during the year as consideration for the acquisition of Mooloogool Ltd	-	-	12,500,000	0.12
Options expired	<u>(1,550,000)</u>	<u>(0.37)</u>	<u>(500,000)</u>	<u>(0.50)</u>
Outstanding at the end of the year	18,875,000	0.12	19,925,000	0.14
Exercisable at the end of the year	<u>18,875,000</u>	<u>0.12</u>	<u>19,925,000</u>	<u>0.14</u>

The outstanding balance as at 30 September 2011 is represented by:

- 375,000 employee options exercisable at a price of \$0.15 each before 23 March 2014;
- 5,500,000 employee options exercisable at a price of \$0.12 each before 31 December 2012;
- 12,500,000 options issued to shareholders of Mooloogool Ltd exercisable at a price of \$0.12 each before 31 December 2012; and
- 500,000 employee options exercisable at a price of \$0.12 each before 31 December 2012.

(d) Weighted average remaining contractual life

The weighted average remaining contractual life for the options outstanding as at 30 September 2011 is 1.28 years (2010: 2 years).

(e) Range of exercise prices

The range of exercise prices for options outstanding at the end of the year was \$0.12 - \$0.15 (2010: \$0.12 - \$0.42).

(f) Weighted average fair value

The weighted average fair value of options granted during the year was \$0.04 (2010: \$0.08).

(g) Option pricing model

The fair value of the equity-settled Options granted is estimated as at the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option pricing model taking into account the terms and conditions upon which the options were granted.

The following table lists the inputs to the models used for the year ended 30 September 2011 and 30 September 2010:

30 September 2011	Employee Options 500,000			
Dividend yield (%)	Nil			
Expected volatility (%)	100%			
Risk free interest rate (%)	3.78%			
Exercise price (\$)	\$0.12			
Marketability discount (%)	Nil			
Expected life of option (years)	1.33			
Share price at grant date (\$)	\$0.095			
Value Per option (\$)	\$0.04			
30 September 2010	Directors Options 5,000,000	Employee Options 125,000	Consultants Options 500,000	Mooloogool Options 12,500,000
Dividend yield (%)	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Expected volatility (%)	100	100	100	100
Risk free interest rate (%)	4.62	4.62	4.62	5.00
Exercise price (\$)	0.12	0.15	0.12	0.12
Marketability discount (%)	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Expected life of option (years)	2.85	2.85	2.85	2.41-2.77
Share price at grant date (\$)	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.11-0.145
Value Per option (\$)	0.083	0.083	0.083	0.063-0.096



## 27 PARENT ENTITY FINANCIAL INFORMATION

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Current Assets	114,675	1,363,816
Non-Current assets	4,093,433	7,055,126
Total Assets	4,208,108	8,418,942
Current Liabilities	142,261	695,275
Non-current liabilities	2,772,888	2,191,067
Total Liabilities	2,915,149	2,886,342
Net assets	1,292,959	5,532,600
Issued Capital	33,957,000	33,774,372
Accumulated losses	(34,382,822)	(29,942,281)
Share Based Payment reserve	1,718,781	1,700,509
Total Shareholder's Equity	1,292,959	5,532,600
Loss for the year	(4,440,540)	(2,970,756)
Total comprehensive loss for the year	(4,440,540)	(2,970,756)

The parent entity has deposited \$1,461,400 on term deposit which is pledged as security for a bank guarantee in the name of the parent entity in respect of GEM's environmental performance bond. There were no other guarantees entered into by the parent entity in relation to the debts of its subsidiaries.

There were no contingent liabilities in the parent entity.

There were no contractual commitments by the parent entity for the acquisition of property plant and equipment.

## 28 EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING DATE

Kim Bischoff resigned as Managing Director of FEL on 28 November 2011.

There are no other events subsequent to 30 September 2011 and up to the date of this report that would materially affect the operations of the consolidated entity or its state of affairs which have not otherwise been disclosed in this financial report.

## 29 CHANGES IN COMPOSITION OF THE ENTITY

*Year ended 30 September 2010*

On 16 October 2009, the Company announced the acquisition of Jackson Minerals Limited and other non-uranium projects from Cauldron Energy Limited for \$250,000 in cash and 10,458,935 ordinary shares. The cash component was paid in the year ended 30 September 2011.

On 20 January 2010, the Company announced the acquisition of 100% of Mooloogool Limited. The vendors agreed to sell and transfer all of the capital in consideration for the Company issuing 20,462,948 ordinary shares and 12,500,000 unlisted options, with an exercise price of \$0.12, expiring before 31 December 2012.

These acquisitions did not constitute a business combination and the cost of the acquisitions were allocated to individual identifiable assets and liabilities on the basis of their relevant fair values.

**DIRECTORS' DECLARATION**

In accordance with a resolution of the directors of Fe Limited, I state that:

1. In the opinion of the directors:
  - a) the financial statements and notes of Fe Limited for the financial year ended 30 September 2011 are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
    - (i) giving a true and fair view of the Consolidated Entity's financial position as at 30 September 2011 and its performance for the year ended on that date; and
    - (ii) complying with Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Corporations Regulations 2001;
  - b) the financial statements and notes also comply with International Financial Reporting Standards as disclosed in note 2(b);
  - c) subject to the matters described in note 2(c), there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable;
2. This declaration has been made after receiving the declarations required to be made to the Directors in accordance with section 295A of the Corporations Act 2001 for the financial year ended 30 September 2011.

On behalf of the Board



Mark Gwynne  
Executive Director

16 December 2011

## Independent audit report to members of Fe Limited

### Report on the financial report

We have audited the accompanying financial report of Fe Limited, which comprises the consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 September 2011, the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the directors' declaration of the consolidated entity comprising the company and the entities it controlled at the year's end or from time to time during the financial year.

### Directors' responsibility for the financial report

The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal controls as the directors determine are necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. In Note 2(b), the directors also state, in accordance with Accounting Standard AASB 101 *Presentation of Financial Statements*, that the financial statements comply with *International Financial Reporting Standards*.

### Auditor's responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal controls relevant to entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal controls. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### Independence

In conducting our audit we have complied with the independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001*. We have given to the directors of the company a written Auditor's Independence Declaration, a copy of which is included in the directors' report.



## Opinion

In our opinion:

- a. the financial report of Fe Limited is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:
  - i giving a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 30 September 2011 and of its performance for the year ended on that date; and
  - ii complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*; and
- b. the financial report also complies with *International Financial Reporting Standards* as disclosed in Note 2(b).

## Report on the Remuneration Report

We have audited the Remuneration Report included on pages 9 to 12 of the directors' report for the year ended 30 September 2011. The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Remuneration Report in accordance with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Remuneration Report, based on our audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards.

## Opinion

In our opinion, the Remuneration Report of Fe Limited for the year ended 30 September 2011, complies with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

## Inherent Uncertainty Regarding Continuation as a Going Concern

Without qualifying our audit opinion expressed above, attention is drawn to the following matter. As a result of the matters described in Note 2(c) to the financial report, there is significant uncertainty whether the consolidated entity will be able to continue as a going concern and therefore whether it will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable and realise its assets and extinguish its liabilities in the normal course of operations and at the amounts stated in the financial report. The financial report does not include any adjustments relating to the recoverability and classification of recorded asset amounts or to the amounts and classification of liabilities that might be necessary should the consolidated entity not continue as a going concern.

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Ernst & Young

A stylized signature of G H Meyerowitz, written in black ink.

G H Meyerowitz  
Partner  
Perth  
16 December 2011

## SCHEDULE OF TENEMENTS

### Queensland

Tenement	Ownership	Entity	Status
ML 3772	100% GEM	GEM	Granted
ML 6824	100% GEM	GEM	Granted
ML 50114	100% GEM	GEM	Granted
ML 50160	100% GEM	GEM	Granted
ML 50174	100% GEM	GEM	Granted
ML 50188	100% GEM	GEM	Granted
EPM 16074	100% FEL	FEL	Granted
EPM 16655	100% FEL	FEL	Granted
EPMA 16818	20% FEL	FEL	Granted
EPMA 16819	20% FEL	FEL	Granted
EPMA 16820	20% FEL	FEL	Granted
EPM 16821	20% FEL	FEL	Granted
EPM 16822	20% FEL	FEL	Granted
EPMA 16823	20% FEL	FEL	Granted
EPM 16824	20% FEL	FEL	Granted
EPMA 16825	20% FEL	FEL	Granted

### Western Australia

Tenement	Ownership	Entity	Status
E29/0561	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
E29/0640	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
E29/0641	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
E29/0642	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
E29/0643	85% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
E29/0644	85% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
E29/0647	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
E29/0659	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
E29/0660	100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
E29/0806	100% AIP	FEL	Granted
E29/0807	100% AIP	FEL	Granted
E29/0818	100% ownership	FEL	Pending
E29/0847	100% ownership	FEL	Pending
E77/0946	30% (barr Fe)	FEL	Granted
E77/0947	100% (barr Fe)	FEL	Granted
E77/1071	100% (barr Fe)	FEL	Granted
E77/1115	30% (barr Fe)	FEL	Granted
E77/1129	100% (barr Fe)	FEL	Granted
E77/1269	100%	FEL	Granted
E77/1418	30% (barr Fe)	FEL	Granted
E77/1738	100% (barr Fe)	FEL	Granted
E77/1754	100%	FEL	Pending

E77/1841	100%	FEL	Pending
E77/1842	100%	FEL	Pending
E77/1843	100%	FEL	Pending
E77/1881	100%	FEL	Pending
E77/1882	100%	FEL	Pending
L29/0071	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
L29/0072	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
M24/0400	65%	FEL	Granted
M24/0429	65%	FEL	Granted
M29/0002	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
M29/0165	95% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P24/3920	100%	FEL	Granted
P24/3921	100%	FEL	Granted
P24/4159	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4160	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4161	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4162	100%	FEL	Granted
P24/4163	100%	FEL	Granted
P24/4373	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4374	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4375	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4443	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4444	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4445	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4446	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4447	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4448	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4449	65%	FEL	Granted
P24/4504	100%	FEL	Granted
P29/1912	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1913	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1934	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1935	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1936	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1937	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1938	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1939	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1940	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1941	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1942	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1943	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted

P29/1944	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1945	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1946	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1947	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1948	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1949	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1950	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1977	100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P29/1990	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1991	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1992	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1993	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1994	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1995	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1996	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1997	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1998	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/1999	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2000	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
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P29/2002	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2003	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2004	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2005	85% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2006	85% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2007	85% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2008	85% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2009	85% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2010	85% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2011	85% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2015	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2016	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2017	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2018	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2019	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2020	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2021	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2022	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2023	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted
P29/2024	100% Fe Only	FEL	Granted

P30/1012	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P30/1013	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P30/1014	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P30/1015	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P30/1016	70% -100% all minerals except Ni (Sulphide or Laterite), Colbalt and Magnesium	FEL	Granted
P77/3889	30% (barr Fe)	FEL	Granted
E24/0145	100%	JAK	Pending
E24/0151	80%	JAK	Granted
E27/0079	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
E27/0099	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
E27/0191	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
E27/0192	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
E27/0332	100%	JAK	Granted
E27/0343	80%	JAK	Granted
E27/0360	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
E27/0362	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
E27/457	100%	JAK	Pending
E51/1033	20%	JAK	Granted
E51/1060	20%	JAK	Granted
E52/1613	20%	JAK	Granted
E52/1655	20%	JAK	Granted
E52/1659	20%	JAK	Granted
E52/1668	20%	JAK	Granted
E52/1670	20%	JAK	Granted
E52/1671	20%	JAK	Granted
E52/1672	20%	JAK	Granted
E52/1678	20%	JAK	Granted
E52/1722	20%	JAK	Granted
E52/1730	20%	JAK	Granted
EPM 9869	25%	JAK	Granted
EPM 13848	15%	JAK	Granted
M24/0101	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M24/0239	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M24/0240	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M24/0462	90% Ni	JAK	Granted
M24/0497	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M24/0502	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M24/0640	90%	JAK	Granted
M27/0037	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0038	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0053	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted



M27/0092	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0102	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0123	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0127	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0128	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0133	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0149	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0171	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0178	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0182	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0185	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0191	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0202	90%	JAK	Granted
M27/0219	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0228	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0246	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0247	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0272	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0338	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0339	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0340	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0374	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0375	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0376	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0406	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
M27/0435	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0436	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0437	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0441	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0442	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0443	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0444	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0449	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0450	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0451	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0452	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0453	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
M27/0454	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Pending
P24/4017	100%	JAK	Granted
P24/4018	100%	JAK	Granted
P24/4019	100%	JAK	Granted
P24/4146	80%	JAK	Granted
P24/4149	80%	JAK	Granted
P24/4498	100%	JAK	Granted

P24/4499	100%	JAK	Granted
P24/4501	100%	JAK	Granted
P24/4502	100%	JAK	Granted
P24/4503	100%	JAK	Granted
P24/4538	100%	JAK	Granted
P26/3363	100%	JAK	Granted
P26/3364	100%	JAK	Granted
P26/3365	100%	JAK	Granted
P26/3366	100%	JAK	Granted
P26/3367	100%	JAK	Granted
P26/3368	100%	JAK	Granted
P26/3369	90%	JAK	Granted
P26/3591	80%	JAK	Granted
P26/3592	80%	JAK	Granted
P26/3593	80%	JAK	Granted
P26/3594	80%	JAK	Granted
P26/3595	80%	JAK	Granted
P26/3766	80%	JAK	Granted
P26/3767	80%	JAK	Granted
P26/3768	80%	JAK	Granted
P26/3769	100%	JAK	Granted
P26/3770	100%	JAK	Pending
P26/3788	90%	JAK	Granted
P26/3801	80%	JAK	Pending
P26/3802	80%	JAK	Granted
P26/3875	100%	JAK	Pending
P26/3876	100%	JAK	Pending
P27/1126	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
P27/1127	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
P27/1128	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
P27/1132	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
P27/1133	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
P27/1134	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
P27/1682	90%	JAK	Granted
P27/1683	100%	JAK	Granted
P27/1684	100%	JAK	Granted
P27/1685	100%	JAK	Granted
P27/1686	90%	JAK	Granted
P27/1687	90%	JAK	Granted
P27/1688	90%	JAK	Granted
P27/1743	80%	JAK	Granted
P27/1861	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
P27/1864	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
P27/1865	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted
P27/1866	100% Ni (and associated minerals - eg/ Colbalt)	JAK	Granted

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P27/2101	100%	JAK	Pending
P27/2102	100%	JAK	Pending
P52/1167	20%	JAK	Granted
P52/1168	20%	JAK	Granted
P52/1169	20%	JAK	Granted
P52/1170	20%	JAK	Granted
P52/1171	20%	JAK	Granted
P52/1172	20%	JAK	Granted
P52/1194	20%	JAK	Granted
P52/1195	20%	JAK	Granted
P52/1196	20%	JAK	Granted
E51/1185	100% Fe & Mn	MOOL	Granted
E51/1186	100% Fe & Mn	MOOL	Granted
E51/1187	100% Fe & Mn	MOOL	Granted
E51/1213	100% Fe & Mn	MOOL	Granted
E51/1214	100% Fe & Mn	MOOL	Granted
E51/1215	100% Fe & Mn	MOOL	Granted
E51/1325	100% Fe & Mn	MOOL	Granted
E51/1340	100% Fe & Mn	MOOL	Granted
E51/1341	100% Fe & Mn	MOOL	Granted
E51/1342	100% Fe & Mn	MOOL	Granted
E51/1367	100% Fe & Mn	MOOL	Granted

## ADDITIONAL SHAREHOLDER INFORMATION

### Shares

The total number of Shares on issue as at 9 December 2011 was 115,521,575, held by 905 registered Shareholders.

364 shareholders held less than a marketable parcel, based on the market price of a share as at 9 December 2011.

Each Share carries one vote per Share without restriction.

### Quoted Options

The Company does not have any quoted Options on issue.

### Unquoted Options

As at the date of this report the Company had on issue:

- 375,000 unquoted Options exercisable at \$0.15 and expiring on 23 March 2014
- 18,500,000 unquoted Options exercisable at \$0.12 and expiring on 31 December 2012

No voting rights are attached to unquoted Options.

### Twenty Largest Shareholders

As at 9 December 2011, the twenty largest Shareholders were as shown in the following table and held 62.30% of the Shares.

	Legal Holder	Holding	%
1	BUKA MINERALS LIMITED	16,370,358	14.17
2	CAULDRON ENERGY LTD	15,695,835	13.59
3	CAPE LAMBERT RESOURCES LIMITED	6,618,435	5.73
4	HSBC CUSTODY NOMINEES (AUSTRALIA) LIMITED – GSCO ECA	3,257,921	2.82
5	MR RUSSELL NEIL CREAGH	3,000,000	2.60
6	TRIUMPH MINING PTY LTD	2,735,018	2.37
7	MATTHEW PARRISH PTY TLD <PARRISH FAMILY A/C>	2,595,449	2.25
8	GRAND ENTERPRISES PTY LTD <MPM A/C>	2,181,862	1.89
9	MR ANTONY WILLIAM SAGE <EGAS SUPERANNUATION FUND A/C>	2,071,699	1.79
10	PEARL BLISS PTY LTD <PEARL BLISS A/C>	2,000,000	1.73
11	IDRA HOLDINGS PTY LTD <JECAMA>	1,863,991	1.61
12	RED BLUFF NOMINEES PTY LTD	1,682,509	1.46
13	MR GEOFFREY LEVY <B&G LEVY INVESTMENT A/>	1,633,334	1.41
14	CITICORP NOMINEES PTY LIMITED	1,552,220	1.34
15	HSBC CUSTODY NOMINEES (AUSTRALIA) LIMITED - A/C 2	1,500,356	1.30
16	CST CORPORATION	1,364,197	1.18
16	PT RADINKA ARTHAPRIMA	1,364,197	1.18
17	GANBARU PTY LTD <THE PARRISH SUPER FUND A/C>	1,170,000	1.01
18	JAMES BRAE BRODICK TAX AND CORPORATE SERVICES PTY LTD	1,141,768	0.99
19	JAMES BRAE BRODICK IT SERVICES PTY LTD	1,085,342	0.94
20	LAKE MINA HOLDINGS PTY LTD <LAKE MINA A/C>	1,082,778	0.94
	<b>Total</b>	<b>71,967,269</b>	<b>62.30</b>

**Distribution Schedules**

A distribution schedule of the number of Shareholders, by size of holding, as at 9 December 2011 is set out below:

<b>Size of holdings</b>	<b>Number of Shareholders</b>
1 – 1000	58
1,001 – 5,000	207
5,001 – 10,000	181
10,001 – 100,000	340
100,001 and over	114
<b>Total</b>	<b>900</b>





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