

31 January 2020

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**QUARTERLY ACTIVITIES REPORT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019**

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Lachlan Star Limited (**Lachlan** or the **Company**) is pleased to present its quarterly activities report for the December quarter.

**HIGHLIGHTS:**

- Ongoing review of Princhester Magnesite resource, with focus on potential opportunities for resource extension and definition.
- Program of verification and extension sampling planned for February.
- Company continues to review a range of mineral exploration opportunities in Australia and overseas.
- Company remains well funded with ~\$1.4 million cash on hand.

**OPERATIONS:**

*Princhester Magnesite Project*

The Princhester Magnesite Project is located 85km north west of Rockhampton, Queensland and comprises two granted Mining Leases (ML), ML5831 and ML5832. The ML's are close to the Bruce Highway and are within 2 kilometres of the main north coast railway line (**Figure 1**).

During the December quarter the Company has been in discussions with the relevant land owners and the Queensland Department of Natural Resources, Mines and Energy (DNRME) regarding proposed work and access requirements, for the planned program of verification sampling and extension sampling. The Company anticipates this sampling program to be undertaken in mid-February. Assaying, multi-element scan and basic metallurgical comparison work will be undertaken by ALS laboratory's in Perth, with results expected in March. This sampling will improve the confidence in the historic exploration and interpretation of the magnesite mineralisation (**Figure 2**).



Figure 1: Location of Princhester Project, Queensland

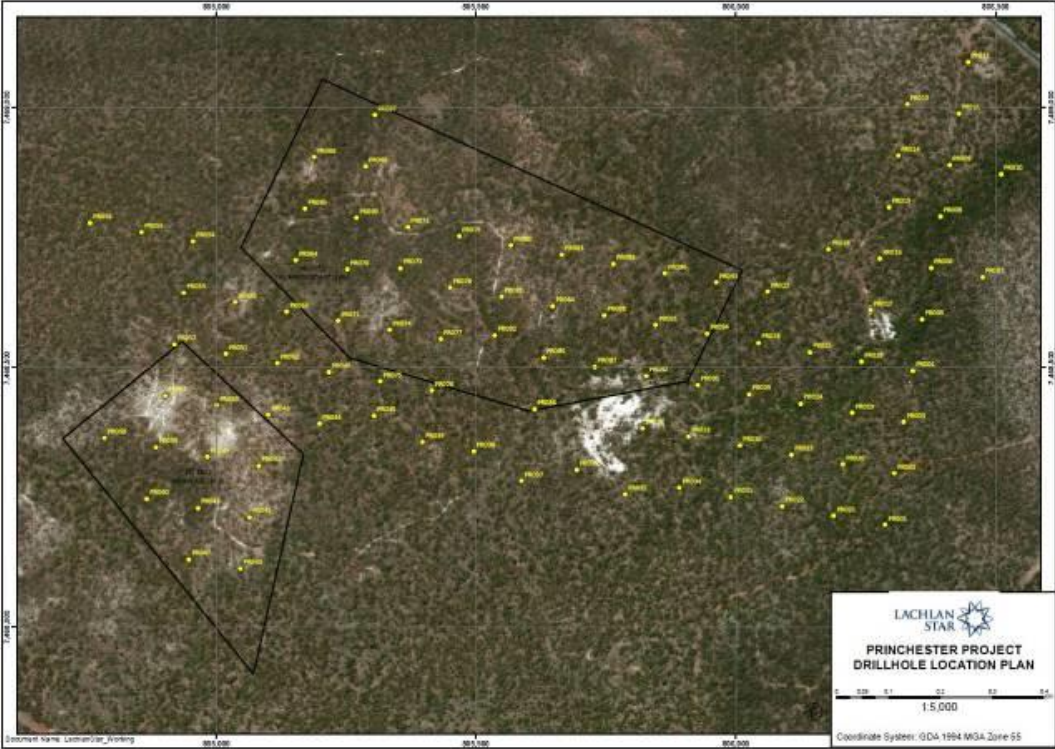


Figure 2: Princhester Project historic drilling on satellite image

*Evaluation of new mineral resource opportunities*

The Company has allocated part of its working capital budget to the identification and evaluation of new mineral resource opportunities in Australia and overseas, undertaking a review of a range of opportunities during the September quarter. No decision to invest in any of the projects currently being reviewed has been made at this stage.

The Company will also consider the acquisition and development of any other investments, both within the mining industry and in market segments unrelated to the mining industry.

This announcement has been authorised for release by Dan Smith, Company Secretary of Lachlan Star.

**Annexure 1: Lachlan Star Limited – tenements held directly by Lachlan Star or subsidiary company**

Tenements	Acquired during quarter	Disposed of during quarter	Held at end of quarter	Country
ML5831 (Princhester)	-	-	100%	Australia
ML5832 (Princhester)	-	-	100%	Australia
EL5574 (Bushranger)	-	-	Nil (Company retains a 2% NSR)	Australia

## Appendix 5B

# Mining exploration entity and oil and gas exploration entity quarterly report

Introduced 01/07/96 Origin Appendix 8 Amended 01/07/97, 01/07/98, 30/09/01, 01/06/10, 17/12/10, 01/05/13, 01/09/16

**Name of entity**

Lachlan Star Limited

**ABN**

88 000 759 535

**Quarter ended ("current quarter")**

31 December 2019

<b>Consolidated statement of cash flows</b>	<b>Current quarter \$A'000</b>	<b>Year to date (6 months) \$A'000</b>
<b>1. Cash flows from operating activities</b>		
1.1 Receipts from customers		
1.2 Payments for		
(a) exploration & evaluation	(29)	(66)
(b) development		
(c) production		
(d) staff costs		
(e) administration and corporate costs	(50)	(118)
1.3 Dividends received		
1.4 Interest received	-	1
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid		
1.6 Income taxes paid		
1.7 Research and development refunds		
1.8 Other (Net GST Activity-BAS)	(6)	(13)
<b>1.9 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities</b>	<b>(85)</b>	<b>(196)</b>

<b>2. Cash flows from investing activities</b>		
2.1 Payments to acquire:		
(a) property, plant and equipment		
(b) tenements (see item 10)		
(c) investments		
(d) other non-current assets		

<b>Consolidated statement of cash flows</b>	<b>Current quarter \$A'000</b>	<b>Year to date (6 months) \$A'000</b>
2.2 Proceeds from the disposal of:		
(a) property, plant and equipment		
(b) tenements (see item 10)		
(c) investments		
(d) other non-current assets		
2.3 Cash flows from loans to other entities		
2.4 Dividends received (see note 3)		
2.5 Other (provide details if material)		
<b>2.6 Net cash from / (used in) investing activities</b>	-	-

<b>3. Cash flows from financing activities</b>		
3.1 Proceeds from issues of shares		
3.2 Proceeds from issue of convertible notes		
3.3 Proceeds from exercise of share options		
3.4 Transaction costs related to issues of shares, convertible notes or options		
3.5 Proceeds from borrowings		
3.6 Repayment of borrowings		
3.7 Transaction costs related to loans and borrowings		
3.8 Dividends paid		
3.9 Other (proceeds from share issues subject to shareholder approval)		
<b>3.10 Net cash from / (used in) financing activities</b>	-	-

<b>4. Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period</b>		
4.1 Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	1,483	1,594
4.2 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9 above)	(85)	(196)
4.3 Net cash from / (used in) investing activities (item 2.6 above)	-	-
4.4 Net cash from / (used in) financing activities (item 3.10 above)	-	-

<b>Consolidated statement of cash flows</b>		<b>Current quarter \$A'000</b>	<b>Year to date (6 months) \$A'000</b>
4.5	Effect of movement in exchange rates on cash held	-	-
<b>4.6</b>	<b>Cash and cash equivalents at end of period</b>	<b>1,398</b>	<b>1,398</b>

<b>5.</b>	<b>Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents</b> at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts	<b>Current quarter \$A'000</b>	<b>Previous quarter \$A'000</b>
5.1	Bank balances	1,398	1,483
5.2	Call deposits	-	-
5.3	Bank overdrafts	-	-
5.4	Other (provide details)	-	-
<b>5.5</b>	<b>Cash and cash equivalents at end of quarter (should equal item 4.6 above)</b>	<b>1,398</b>	<b>1,483</b>

**6. Payments to directors of the entity and their associates**

- 6.1 Aggregate amount of payments to these parties included in item 1.2
- 6.2 Aggregate amount of cash flow from loans to these parties included in item 2.3
- 6.3 Include below any explanation necessary to understand the transactions included in items 6.1 and 6.2

**Current quarter  
\$A'000**

53

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Consulting fees and directors' fees - \$40,500  
Company secretarial and accounting fees - \$12,000

**7. Payments to related entities of the entity and their associates**

- 7.1 Aggregate amount of payments to these parties included in item 1.2
- 7.2 Aggregate amount of cash flow from loans to these parties included in item 2.3
- 7.3 Include below any explanation necessary to understand the transactions included in items 7.1 and 7.2

**Current quarter  
\$A'000**

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<b>8. Financing facilities available</b> <i>Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position</i>	<b>Total facility amount at quarter end \$A'000</b>	<b>Amount drawn at quarter end \$A'000</b>
8.1 Loan facilities	-	-
8.2 Credit standby arrangements	-	-
8.3 Other (please specify)	-	-
8.4 Include below a description of each facility above, including the lender, interest rate and whether it is secured or unsecured. If any additional facilities have been entered into or are proposed to be entered into after quarter end, include details of those facilities as well.		

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<b>9. Estimated cash outflows for next quarter</b>	<b>\$A'000</b>
9.1 Exploration and evaluation	50
9.2 Development	-
9.3 Production	-
9.4 Staff costs	-
9.5 Administration and corporate costs	50
9.6 Other (provide details if material)	-
<b>9.7 Total estimated cash outflows</b>	<b>100</b>

<b>10. Changes in tenements (items 2.1(b) and 2.2(b) above)</b>	<b>Tenement reference and location</b>	<b>Nature of interest</b>	<b>Interest at beginning of quarter</b>	<b>Interest at end of quarter</b>
10.1 Interests in mining tenements and petroleum tenements lapsed, relinquished or reduced	-	-	-	-
10.2 Interests in mining tenements and petroleum tenements acquired or increased	-	-	-	-

**Compliance statement**

- 1 This statement has been prepared in accordance with accounting standards and policies which comply with Listing Rule 19.11A.
- 2 This statement gives a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Sign here:                    *(lodged electronically)*                    Date: 31 January 2020  
                                  (Director/Company secretary)

Print name:     Daniel Smith

**Notes**

1. The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity that wishes to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes included in or attached to this report.
2. If this quarterly report has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the definitions in, and provisions of, AASB 6: Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources and AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows apply to this report. If this quarterly report has been prepared in accordance with other accounting standards agreed by ASX pursuant to Listing Rule 19.11A, the corresponding equivalent standards apply to this report.
3. Dividends received may be classified either as cash flows from operating activities or cash flows from investing activities, depending on the accounting policy of the entity.