

10 June 2022

Nicola Mullen
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Dear Ms Mullen

RESPONSE TO FINAL DIRECTOR'S INTEREST NOTICE QUERY

In relation to your request for information dated 10 June 2022, we provide the following responses to each of your queries numbered the same:

1. The late lodgment was due to an internal administrative oversight. Upon becoming aware of the oversight, Matador Mining Limited (ASX: MZZ) (**Company**), lodged an Appendix 3Z immediately, meaning the Appendix 3Z was lodged outside the timeframe specified by the Listing Rules.
2. The Company and its directors are aware of their obligations under the ASX Listing Rules 3.19A and 3.19B to provide the necessary information for the Company to meet its disclosure requirements. It has systems in place to monitor changes in director's interests in a timely manner. It should be noted that this error was not a result of being unaware of the cessation of the director's interests, rather an oversight on lodging the 3Z in a timely manner. The market was kept fully informed via an ASX release notifying the cessation of the Director via a media release on Monday, 2 May 2022 and ASIC were notified of the cessation of the Director.
3. The Company has reviewed its processes and believe that the Company's disclosure arrangements are adequate and are being enforced. The Company considers this late lodgment to be an isolated incident.

Yours sincerely



Carol Marinkovich
Company Secretary
Matador Mining Ltd



10 June 2022

Reference: 53818

Ms Carol Marinkovich
Company Secretary
Matador Mining Limited

By Email: cmarinkovich@matadormining.com.au

Dear Ms Marinkovich

Matador Mining Limited ('MZZ'): Appendix 3Z – Final Director's Interest Notice Query

ASX refers to the following:

1. MZZ's Appendix 3Z lodged on ASX Market Announcements Platform ('MAP') on 8 June 2022 for Mr Michael Wilkes (the 'Notice');
2. Listing Rule 3.19A which requires an entity to tell ASX the following:

3.19A.1 *'The notifiable interests of a director of the entity (or in the case of a trust, a director of the responsible entity of the trust) at the following times.*

- *On the date that the entity is admitted to the official list.*
- *On the date that a director is appointed.*

The entity must complete Appendix 3X and give it to ASX no more than 5 business days after the entity's admission or a director's appointment.

3.19A.2 *A change to a notifiable interest of a director of the entity (or in the case of a trust, a director of the responsible entity of the trust) including whether the change occurred during a closed period where prior written clearance was required and, if so, whether prior written clearance was provided. The entity must complete Appendix 3Y and give it to ASX no more than 5 business days after the change occurs.*

3.19A.3 *The notifiable interests of a director of the entity (or in the case of a trust, a director of the responsible entity of the trust) at the date that the director ceases to be a director. The entity must complete Appendix 3Z and give it to ASX no more than 5 business days after the director ceases to be a director.'*

3. Listing rule 3.19B which states that:

'An entity must make such arrangements as are necessary with a director of the entity (or in the case of a trust, a director of the responsible entity of the trust) to ensure that the director discloses to the entity all the information required by the entity to give ASX completed Appendices 3X, 3Y and 3Z within the time period allowed by listing rule 3.19.A. The entity must enforce the arrangements with the director.'

As the Appendix 3Z indicated that the director ceased to be a director on 1 May 2022 it appears the Appendix 3Z should have been lodged with ASX by 6 May 2022. As it was lodged on 8 June 2022, it appears that MZZ may have breached Listing Rules 3.19A and/or 3.19B.

Request for Information

Under Listing Rule 18.7, we ask that you answer each of the following questions having regard to Listing Rules 3.19A and 3.19B and *Guidance Note 22: Director Disclosure of Interests and Transactions in Securities - Obligations of Listed Entities*.

1. Please explain why the Appendix 3Z was lodged late.
2. What arrangements does MZZ have in place under Listing Rule 3.19B with its directors to ensure that it is able to meet its disclosure obligations under Listing Rule 3.19A?
3. If the current arrangements are inadequate or not being enforced, what additional steps does MZZ intend to take to ensure compliance with Listing Rule 3.19B?

When and where to send your response

This request is made under Listing Rule 18.7. Your response is required as soon as reasonably possible and, in any event, by no later than **12:00 PM AWST Wednesday, 15 June 2022**. You should note that if the information requested by this letter is information required to be given to ASX under Listing Rule 3.1 and it does not fall within the exceptions mentioned in Listing Rule 3.1A, MZZ's obligation is to disclose the information 'immediately'. This may require the information to be disclosed before the deadline set out in the previous paragraph and may require MZZ to request a trading halt immediately.

Your response should be sent to me by e-mail at ListingsCompliancePerth@asx.com.au. It should not be sent directly to the ASX Market Announcements Office. This is to allow me to review your response to confirm that it is in a form appropriate for release to the market, before it is published on the ASX Market Announcements Platform.

Trading halt

If you are unable to respond to this letter by the time specified above, you should discuss with us whether it is appropriate to request a trading halt in MZZ's securities under Listing Rule 17.1. If you wish a trading halt, you must tell us:

- the reasons for the trading halt;
- how long you want the trading halt to last;
- the event you expect to happen that will end the trading halt;
- that you are not aware of any reason why the trading halt should not be granted; and
- any other information necessary to inform the market about the trading halt, or that we ask for.

We require the request for a trading halt to be in writing. The trading halt cannot extend past the commencement of normal trading on the second day after the day on which it is granted. You can find further information about trading halts in *Guidance Note 16 Trading Halts & Voluntary Suspensions*.

Suspension

If you are unable to respond to this letter by the time specified above, ASX will likely suspend trading in MZZ's securities under Listing Rule 17.3.

Listing Rules 3.1 and 3.1A

In responding to this letter, you should have regard to MZZ's obligations under Listing Rules 3.1 and 3.1A and also to *Guidance Note 8 Continuous Disclosure: Listing Rules 3.1 – 3.1B*. It should be noted that MZZ's

obligation to disclose information under Listing Rule 3.1 is not confined to, nor is it necessarily satisfied by, answering the questions set out in this letter.

Release of correspondence between ASX and entity

We reserve the right to release a copy of this letter, your reply and any other related correspondence between us to the market under Listing Rule 18.7A.

Questions

If you have any questions in relation to the above, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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