

Appendix 5B

Mining exploration entity quarterly report

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Name of entity

BOW ENERGY LIMITED

ACN or ARBN

111 019 857

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

31 December 2009

Consolidated statement of cash flows

Cash flows related to operating activities	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
1.1 Receipts from product sales and related debtors including refunds of Goods and Services Tax	311	757
1.2 Payments for (a) exploration and evaluation	(13,571)	(17,171)
(b) development	-	-
(c) production	-	-
(d) other minesite costs	-	-
(e) administration	(740)	(1,475)
(f) goods and services tax	-	-
1.3 Dividends received	-	-
1.4 Interest and other items of a similar nature received	183	417
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6 Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7 Other	-	-
Net Operating Cash Flows	(13,817)	(17,472)
Cash flows related to investing activities		
1.8 Payment for purchases of: (a) prospects	-	-
(b) investments	-	-
(c) other fixed assets	(25)	(39)
1.9 Proceeds from sale of: (a) prospects	8,000	8,000
(b) investments	-	-
(c) other fixed assets	-	-
1.10 Loans to other entities	-	-
1.11 Loans repaid by other entities	-	-
1.12 Other (security deposits)	(110)	(97)
Net investing cash flows	7,865	7,864
1.13 Total operating and investing cash flows (carried forward)	(5,952)	(9,608)

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1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (brought forward)	(5,952)	(9,608)
Cash flows related to financing activities			
1.14	Proceeds from issues of shares and call payments	76,682	79,455
1.15	Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares	-	-
1.16	Proceeds from borrowings		
	- Convertible Note Subscriptions	-	-
	- Other loans	-	-
1.17	Repayment of borrowings	-	-
1.18	Dividends paid	-	-
1.19	Other		
	- Payment of finance lease principal	-	-
	- Securities issue costs	(2,208)	(2,221)
Net financing cash flows		74,474	77,234
Net increase (decrease) in cash held		68,522	67,626
1.20	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	19,746	20,642
1.21	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	-	-
1.22	Cash at end of quarter	88,268	88,268

Payments to directors of the entity and associates of the directors

Payments to related entities of the entity and associates of the related entities

	Current quarter \$A'000
1.2 Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	75
1.2 Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	-

1.2 Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions

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Non-cash financing and investing activities

2.1 Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows

<p>During the quarter Bow Energy Limited entered into an irrevocable binding agreement to sell its interest in ATP 574P, located in Queensland's Surat Basin, to Victoria Petroleum NL (Vicpet). The consideration for the sale for all of Bow's interests in ATP 574P was \$8 million in cash (see 1.9 above); 13 million fully paid shares in Vicpet; and Vicpet's interests in Surat Basin tenements ATP 608P (including 24% in Stratton Block and 30% in Rookwood Block) and ATP 805P (15%).</p>
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2.2 Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their share in projects in which the reporting entity has an interest

<p>Nil</p>

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Financing facilities available

Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position.

	Amount available \$A'000	Amount used \$A'000
3.1 Loan facilities	-	-
3.2 Credit standby arrangements	-	-

Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

	\$A'000
4.1 Exploration and evaluation	9,770
4.2 Development	8,182
Total	17,952

Reconciliation of cash

Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1 Cash on hand and at bank	11,431	1,664
5.2 Deposits at call	76,837	18,082
5.3 Bank overdraft	-	-
5.4 Other (provide details)	-	-
Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	88,268	19,746

Changes in interests in mining tenements

	Tenement reference	Nature of interest (note (2))	Interest at beginning of quarter	Interest at end of quarter
6.1 Interests in mining tenements relinquished, reduced or lapsed	ATP 574P	Interests sold to Victoria Petroleum NL	3.75% to 63.75%	0%
6.2 Interests in mining tenements acquired or increased	ATP 608P ATP 805P	Interests increased as part consideration for sale ATP 574P	70.6% 85%	94.6% 100%

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Issued and quoted securities at end of current quarter

Description includes rate of interest and any redemption or conversion rights together with prices and dates.

	Number issued	Number quoted	Issue price per security (see note 3) (cents)	Amount paid up per security (see note 3) (cents)
7.1 Preference *securities <i>(description)</i>	Nil			
7.2 Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy-backs, redemptions				
7.3 *Ordinary securities - fully paid - partly paid	277,630,883	277,630,883		
7.4 Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy-backs, consolidation (1 for 25) (c) Increases through acquisition of projects (d) Increases through acquisition of companies (e) Release of ASX restriction (f) Increase through exercise of options	60,680,569 2,576,485	60,680,569 2,576,485	\$1.25 \$0.50	\$1.25 \$0.50
7.5 *Convertible debt securities <i>(description)</i>	Nil			
7.6 Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy-backs, redemptions				
7.7 Options <i>(description and conversion factor)</i>			<i>Exercise price</i>	<i>Expiry date</i>
Unlisted options (\$0.50 @ 20/5/10)	1,316,667	-	\$0.50	20/05/2010
Unlisted options (\$0.50 @ 7/11/11)	13,064,268	-	\$0.50	07/11/2011
Unlisted options (\$0.30 @ 31/3/10)	50,000	-	\$0.30	31/03/2010
Unlisted options (\$0.40 @ 1/7/11)	1,600,000	-	\$0.40	01/07/2011
Unlisted options (\$0.75 @ 1/7/12)	2,100,000	-	\$0.75	01/07/2012
Unlisted options (\$1.00 @ 1/7/13)	2,100,000	-	\$1.00	01/07/2013
Unlisted options (\$1.00 @ 30/6/12)	1,100,000	-	\$1.00	30/06/2012
7.8 Issued during quarter				
7.9 Exercised during quarter			<i>Exercise price</i>	<i>Expiry date</i>
Unlisted options (\$0.50 @ 20/5/10)	100,000	-	\$0.50	20/05/2010
Unlisted options (\$0.50 @ 7/11/11)	2,476,485	-	\$0.50	07/11/2011

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	Number issued	Number quoted	Issue price per security (see note 3) (cents)	Amount paid up per security (see note 3) (cents)
7.10 Expired during quarter				
7.11 Debentures (<i>totals only</i>)	Nil			
7.12 Unsecured notes (<i>totals only</i>)	Nil			

Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Act or other standards acceptable to ASX (see note 4).
- 2 This statement does give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Sign here: D P Cornish
(Company Secretary)

Date: 29 January 2010

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 wanting to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes attached to this report.
- 2 The "Nature of interest" (items 6.1 and 6.2) includes options in respect of interests in mining tenements acquired, exercised or lapsed during the reporting period. If the entity is involved in a joint venture agreement and there are conditions precedent which will change its percentage interest in a mining tenement, it should disclose the change of percentage interest and conditions precedent in the list required for items 6.1 and 6.2.
- 3 **Issued and quoted securities** The issue price and amount paid up is not required in items 7.1 and 7.3 for fully paid securities
- 4 The definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 1022: Accounting for Extractive Industries* and *AASB 1026: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report.
- 5 **Accounting Standards** ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Accounting Standards for foreign entities. If the standards used do not address a topic, the Australian standard on that topic (if any) must be complied with.

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