Appendix 3B

New issue announcement, application for quotation of additional securities and agreement

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

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Name of entity	
Ausdrill Limited	
ADM	
ABN	
95 009 211 474	

We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

Part 1 - All issues

You must complete the relevant sections (attach sheets if there is not enough space).

⁺Class of ⁺securities issued or to be issued

Fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of Ausdrill Limited (**Ordinary Shares**).

Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued 52,451,100 Ordinary Shares will be issued on 12 September 2018 pursuant to the retail component of the fully underwritten pro rata accelerated non-renounceable entitlement offer announced by Ausdrill Limited on 15 August 2018 (Entitlement Offer).

This follows the issue of 117,597,678 Ordinary Shares on 27 August 2018 pursuant to the institutional component Entitlement Offer.

Principal terms of the *securities (e.g. if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid *securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if *convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)

The same as the terms of existing Ordinary Shares.

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4	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the *issue date with an existing *class of quoted *securities? If the additional *securities do not rank equally, please state: • the date from which they do • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment	Yes.
5	Issue price or consideration	\$1.47 per Ordinary Share.
6	Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	The net proceeds of the Entitlement Offer are intended to be used to partially fund the repayment of Ausdrill Limited's Senior Unsecured Notes due November 2019 (balance is to be repaid from existing cash and revolving credit facility drawdown.) This represents a statement of current intentions. Ausdrill Limited will make final decisions on which debt instruments are repaid, and when, after consultation with lenders. If the acquisition of Barminco Holdings Pty Ltd does not complete, the net proceeds will be used to pay down Ausdrill Limited debt or may be returned to shareholders (subject to any approvals required), or a combination of both.
6a	Is the entity an *eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A?	No.
	If Yes, complete sections 6b – 6h in relation to the +securities the subject of this Appendix 3B, and comply with section 6i	
6b	The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed	N/A

6c	Number of *securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	N/A
6d	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	N/A
6e	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	N/A
c C		NT/A
6f	Number of *securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	N/A
6g	If *securities issued under rule	N/A
og	7.1A, was issue price at least 75% of 15 day VWAP as calculated under rule 7.1A.3? Include the +issue date and both values. Include the source of the VWAP calculation.	IN/A
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6h	If *securities were issued under rule 7.1A for non-cash consideration, state date on which valuation of consideration was released to ASX Market Announcements	N/A
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6i	Calculate the entity's remaining issue capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A – complete Annexure 1 and release to ASX Market Announcements	N/A
7	*Issue dates Note: The issue date may be prescribed by ASX (refer to the definition of issue date in rule 19.12). For example, the issue date for a pro rata entitlement issue must comply with the applicable timetable in Appendix 7A.	The issue date for Ordinary Shares to be issued under the retail component of the Entitlement Offer is Wednesday, 12 September 2018.
	Cross reference: item 33 of Appendix 3B.	Ordinary Shares were issued under the institutional component of the Entitlement Offer on Monday, 27 August 2018.

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8 Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the *securities in section 2 if applicable)

	Number	+Class
	532,246,270	Ordinary Shares.
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9 Number and *class of all *securities not quoted on ASX (*including* the *securities in section 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
800,000	Executive Options
	(exercisable at
	exercise prices of
	between \$1.262* and
	\$1.622*, with expiry
	dates ranging from
	21 November 2021 to
	12 June 2022)
166,668	Executive Options
	(exercisable at an
	exercise price of
	\$1.7025*, with an
	expiry date of
	7 October 2018)
6,600,013	Executive Options
	(exercisable at an
	exercise price of
	\$0.248*, with an
	expiry date of
	23 December 2020)

^{*} to be adjusted in accordance with the formula in Listing Rule 6.22.2

Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)

As per existing Ordinary Shares.

Part 2 - Pro rata issue

11	Is security holder approval required?	No.
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	Non-renounceable.
13	Ratio in which the *securities will be offered	1 new Ordinary Share for every 2.13 Ordinary Shares held as at the record date.
14	⁺ Class of ⁺ securities to which the offer relates	Ordinary Shares.
15	⁺ Record date to determine entitlements	7:00pm (Sydney time) on Friday, 17 August 2018.
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	No.
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	Any fractions arising in the calculation of entitlements were rounded up to the nearest whole number of Ordinary Shares.

Names of countries in which the entity has security holders who will not be sent new offer documents

Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.

Cross reference: rule 7.7.

For the institutional component of the Entitlement Offer, all countries other than Australia, New Zealand, Canada (Provinces of British Columbia, Ontario and Quebec only), Belgium, Denmark, Germany, Luxembourg, Netherlands, France, Hong Kong, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Norway, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Arab Emirates (excluding the Dubai International Financial Centre), the United Kingdom and the United States.

For the retail component of the Entitlement Offer, all countries other than Australia and New Zealand.

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19 Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations

The institutional component of the Entitlement Offer closed on Thursday, 16 August 2018.

The retail component of the Entitlement Offer closed on Wednesday, 5 September 2018.

20 Names of any underwriters

Deutsche Bank AG, Sydney Branch (**Deutsche**) and UBS AG, Australia Branch (together, the **Underwriters**).

21 Amount of any underwriting fee or commission

Deutsche will be paid a management fee of 1.00% of the proceeds raised under the institutional component of the Entitlement Offer and the retail component of the Entitlement Offer.

Each of the Underwriters will be paid its respective proportions of:

- an underwriting fee of 1.75%; and
- a selling fee of 0.25%,

of the proceeds raised under the institutional component of the Entitlement Offer and the retail component of the Entitlement Offer.

Names of any brokers to the issue

Not applicable.

23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	Not applicable.
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of security holders	Not applicable.
25	If the issue is contingent on security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	Not applicable.
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and offer documents will be sent to persons entitled	A retail entitlement offer booklet and entitlement and acceptance form were sent to eligible retail shareholders on Tuesday, 21 August 2018.
		No prospectus was prepared for the Entitlement Offer. An Investor Presentation was provided to ASX on Wednesday, 15 August 2018.
27	If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders	Not applicable.
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	Not applicable.
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	Not applicable.
30	How do security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?	Not applicable.
31	How do security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	Not applicable.
32	How do security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?	Not applicable.

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33 *Issue date

The issue date under the institutional component of the Entitlement Offer was Monday, 27 August 2018.

The issue date under the retail component of the Entitlement Offer is Wednesday, 12 September 2018.

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Part 3 - Quotation of securities

You need only complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities

34	Type (of *securities one)
(a)		⁺ Securities described in Part 1
(b)		All other *securities Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities
Entitie	s that	have ticked box 34(a)
Additi	onal s	ecurities forming a new class of securities
Tick to docume		e you are providing the information or
35		If the $^+$ securities are $^+$ equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional $^+$ securities, and the number and percentage of additional $^+$ securities held by those holders
36		If the +securities are +equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional +securities setting out the number of holders in the categories 1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over

A copy of any trust deed for the additional *securities

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⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Entities that have ticked box 34(b)

38	Number of *securities for which *quotation is sought		
39	⁺ Class of ⁺ securities for which quotation is sought		
40	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the *issue date with an existing *class of quoted *securities?		
	If the additional *securities do not rank equally, please state: • the date from which they do • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment		
41	Reason for request for quotation now Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period		
	(if issued upon conversion of another *security, clearly identify that other *security)		
42	Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (including the +securities in clause 38)	Number	⁺ Class

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Quotation agreement

- ⁺Quotation of our additional ⁺securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the ⁺securities on any conditions it decides.
- 2 We warrant the following to ASX.
 - The issue of the +securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
 - There is no reason why those *securities should not be granted *quotation.
 - An offer of the *securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty

- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any *securities to be quoted and that no-one has any right to return any *securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the ⁺securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the ⁺securities be quoted.
- We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.
- We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document is not available now, we will give it to ASX before †quotation of the †securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

Sign here: Date: 12 September 2018

(Director/Company secretary)

Print name: Strati Gregoriadis

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Appendix 3B – Annexure 1

Calculation of placement capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A for eligible entities

Introduced 01/08/12 Amended 04/03/13

Part 1

Rule 7.1 – Issues exceeding 15% of capital	
Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated	
Insert number of fully paid +ordinary securities on issue 12 months before the +issue date or date of agreement to issue	
 Number of fully paid ⁺ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2 Number of fully paid ⁺ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval Number of partly paid ⁺ordinary securities that became fully paid in that 12 month period Note: Include only ordinary securities here – other classes of equity securities cannot be added Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items 	
Subtract the number of fully paid +ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period	
"A"	

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Step 2: Calculate 15% of "A"		
"B"	0.15	
	[Note: this value cannot be changed]	
Multiply "A" by 0.15		
Step 3: Calculate "C", the amount 7.1 that has already been used	of placement capacity under rule	
Insert number of *equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period not counting those issued:		
Under an exception in rule 7.2		
Under rule 7.1A		
With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4		
 Note: This applies to equity securities, unless specifically excluded – not just ordinary securities Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items 		
"C"		
Step 4: Subtract "C" from ["A" x " placement capacity under rule 7.1	-	
"A" x 0.15		
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2		
Subtract "C"		
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3		
Total ["A" x 0.15] – "C"		
	[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]	

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Part 2

Rule 7.1A – Additional placement capacity for eligible entities Step 1: Calculate "A", the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 1 of Part 1	
Step 2: Calculate 10% of "A"	
"D"	0.10
	Note: this value cannot be changed
Multiply "A" by 0.10	
Step 3: Calculate "E", the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1A that has already been used	
Insert number of ⁺ equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A	
 Notes: This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities Include here – if applicable – the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed Do not include equity securities issued under rule 7.1 (they must be dealt with in Part 1), or for which specific security holder approval has been obtained It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items 	
"E"	

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Step 4: Subtract "E" from ["A" x "D"] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A	
"A" x 0.10	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2	
Subtract "E"	
Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3	
Total ["A" x 0.10] – "E"	
	Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A

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