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INFORMATION CIRCULAR  
(As at August 23, 2011, except as indicated)

Hudson Resources Inc. (the "Company") is providing this information circular and a form of proxy in connection with management's solicitation of proxies for use at the annual general meeting (the "Meeting") of the Company to be held on September 27, 2011 and at any adjournments. The Company will conduct its solicitation by mail and officers and employees of the Company may, without receiving special compensation, also telephone or make other personal contact. The Company will pay the cost of solicitation.

APPOINTMENT OF PROXYHOLDER

The purpose of a proxy is to designate persons who will vote the proxy on a shareholder's behalf in accordance with the instructions given by the shareholder in the proxy. The persons whose names are printed in the enclosed form of proxy are officers or Directors of the Company (the "Management Proxyholders").

A shareholder has the right to appoint a person other than a Management Proxyholder, to represent the shareholder at the Meeting by striking out the names of the Management Proxyholders and by inserting the desired person's name in the blank space provided or by executing a proxy in a form similar to the enclosed form. A proxyholder need not be a shareholder.

VOTING BY PROXY

Only registered shareholders or duly appointed proxyholders are permitted to vote at the Meeting. Shares represented by a properly executed proxy will be voted or be withheld from voting on each matter referred to in the Notice of Meeting in accordance with the instructions of the shareholder on any ballot that may be called for and if the shareholder specifies a choice with respect to any matter to be acted upon, the shares will be voted accordingly.

If a shareholder does not specify a choice and the shareholder has appointed one of the Management Proxyholders as proxyholder, the Management Proxyholder will vote in favour of the matters specified in the Notice of Meeting and in favour of all other matters proposed by management at the Meeting.

The enclosed form of proxy also gives discretionary authority to the person named therein as proxyholder with respect to amendments or variations to matters identified in the Notice of the Meeting and with respect to other matters which may properly come before the Meeting. At the date of this information circular, management of the Company knows of no such amendments, variations or other matters to come before the Meeting.

COMPLETION AND RETURN OF PROXY

Completed forms of proxy must be deposited at the office of the Company's registrar and transfer agent, Computershare Trust Company of Canada, 100 University Avenue, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, Toronto, Ontario,

M5J 2Y1, not later than forty-eight (48) hours, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, prior to the time of the Meeting, unless the chairman of the Meeting elects to exercise his discretion to accept proxies received subsequently.

## NON-REGISTERED HOLDERS

Only shareholders whose names appear on the records of the Company as the registered holders of shares or duly appointed proxyholders are permitted to vote at the Meeting. Most shareholders of the Company are “non-registered” shareholders because the shares they own are not registered in their names but instead registered in the name of a nominee such as a brokerage firm through which they purchased the shares; bank, trust company, trustee or administrator of self-administered RRSP’s, RRIF’s, RESP’s and similar plans; or clearing agency such as The Canadian Depository for Securities Limited (a “Nominee”). If you purchased your shares through a broker, you are likely an unregistered holder.

In accordance with securities regulatory policy, the Company has distributed copies of the Meeting materials, being the Notice of Meeting, this information circular and the Proxy, to the Nominees for distribution to non-registered holders.

Nominees are required to forward the Meeting materials to non-registered holders to seek their voting instructions in advance of the Meeting. Shares held by Nominees can only be voted in accordance with the instructions of the non-registered holder. The Nominees often have their own form of proxy, mailing procedures and provide their own return instructions. If you wish to vote by proxy, you should carefully follow the instructions from the Nominee in order that your Shares are voted at the Meeting.

If you, as a non-registered holder, wish to vote at the Meeting in person, you should appoint yourself as proxyholder by writing your name in the space provided on the request for voting instructions or proxy provided by the Nominee and return the form to the Nominee in the envelope provided. Do not complete the voting section of the form as your vote will be taken at the Meeting.

In addition, Canadian securities legislation now permits the Company to forward meeting materials directly to “non objecting beneficial owners”. If the Company or its agent has sent these materials directly to you (instead of through a Nominee), your name and address and information about your holdings of securities have been obtained in accordance with applicable securities regulatory requirements from the Nominee holding on your behalf. By choosing to send these materials to you directly, the Company (and not the Nominee holding on your behalf) has assumed responsibility for (i) delivering these materials to you and (ii) executing your proper voting instructions.

## REVOCABILITY OF PROXY

Any registered shareholder who has returned a proxy may revoke it at any time before it has been exercised. In addition to revocation in any other manner permitted by law, a registered shareholder, his attorney authorized in writing or, if the registered shareholder is a corporation, a corporation under its corporate seal or by an officer or attorney thereof duly authorized, may revoke a proxy by instrument in writing, including a proxy bearing a later date. The instrument revoking the proxy must be deposited at the registered office of the Company, at any time up to and including the last business day preceding the date of the Meeting, or any adjournment thereof, or with the chairman of the Meeting on the day of the Meeting. Only registered shareholders have the right to revoke a proxy. Non-Registered Holders who wish to change their vote must, at least 7 days before the Meeting, arrange for their Nominees to revoke the proxy on their behalf.

## VOTING SHARES AND PRINCIPAL HOLDERS THEREOF

The Company is authorized to issue an unlimited number of common shares without par value (the “shares”), of which 80,186,766 shares are issued and outstanding. Persons who are registered shareholders at the close of business on August 23, 2011 will be entitled to receive notice of and vote at the Meeting and will be entitled to one vote for each share held. The Company has only one class of shares.

To the knowledge of the Directors and executive officers of the Company, no person beneficially owns, controls or directs, directly or indirectly, shares carrying 10% or more of the voting rights attached to all shares of the Company.

## ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The Directors of the Company are elected at each annual general meeting and hold office until the next annual general meeting or until their successors are appointed. In the absence of instructions to the contrary, the enclosed proxy will be voted for the nominees herein listed.

Shareholder approval will be sought to fix the number of Directors of the Company at five.

The Company is required to have an Audit Committee. Members of this committee are as set out below.

Management of the Company proposes to nominate each of the following persons for election as a Director. Information concerning such persons, as furnished by the individual nominees, is as follows:

<i>Name, Jurisdiction of Residence and Position</i>	<i>Principal Occupation or Employment and, if not a Previously Elected Director, Occupation During the Past 5 Years</i>	<i>Previous Service as a Director</i>	<i>Number of Common Shares Beneficially Owned, Controlled or Directed, Directly or Indirectly ②</i>
JAMES R. TUER <sup>①</sup> Vancouver, B.C., Canada. <i>Chief Executive Officer, President and Director</i>	President, Hudson Resources Inc.	Since March 7, 2000	1,409,583
JOHN W.W. HICK <sup>①③④</sup> Toronto, Ontario, Canada <i>Director</i>	Independent corporate Director	Since September 30, 2002	233,167
JOHN McCONNELL <sup>①③④</sup> West Vancouver, B.C., Canada <i>Director</i>	Executive Vice President and Director, Victoria Gold Corp.	Since January 25, 2010	25,000
FLEMMING KNUDSEN Skoerping, Denmark <i>Director</i>	Independent corporate Director	Since April 29, 2010	6,000
JOHN McDONALD Vancouver, B.C., Canada <i>Director</i>	Independent corporate Director	Since April 29, 2010	100,000

① Member of the Audit Committee.

② Shares beneficially owned, directly or indirectly, or over which control or direction is exercised, as at August 23, 2011, based upon information furnished to the Company by individual Directors. Unless otherwise indicated, such shares are held directly.

③ Member of the Compensation Committee.

④ Member of the Corporate Governance and Nominating Committee.

No proposed Director is to be elected under any arrangement or understanding between the proposed Director and any other person or company, except the Directors and executive officers of the Company acting solely in such capacity.

Except as set out below, to the knowledge of the Company, no proposed Director:

- (a) is, as at the date of the Information Circular, or has been, within 10 years before the date of the Information Circular, a Director, chief executive officer (“CEO”) or chief financial officer (“CFO”) of any company (including the Company) that:
  - (i) was the subject, while the proposed Director was acting in the capacity as Director, CEO or CFO of such company, of a cease trade or similar order or an order that denied the relevant company access to any exemption under securities legislation, that was in effect for a period of more than 30 consecutive days; or
  - (ii) was subject to a cease trade or similar order or an order that denied the relevant company access to any exemption under securities legislation, that was in effect for a period of more than 30 consecutive days, that was issued after the proposed Director ceased to be a Director, CEO or CFO but which resulted from an event that occurred while the proposed Director was acting in the capacity as Director, CEO or CFO of such company; or
- (b) is, as at the date of this Information Circular, or has been within 10 years before the date of the Information Circular, a Director or executive officer of any company (including the Company) that, while that person was acting in that capacity, or within a year of that person ceasing to act in that capacity, became bankrupt, made a proposal under any legislation relating to bankruptcy or insolvency or was subject to or instituted any proceedings, arrangement or compromise with creditors or had a receiver, receiver manager or trustee appointed to hold its assets; or
- (c) has, within the 10 years before the date of this Information Circular, become bankrupt, made a proposal under any legislation relating to bankruptcy or insolvency, or become subject to or instituted any proceedings, arrangement or compromise with creditors, or had a receiver, receiver manager or trustee appointed to hold the assets of the proposed Director; or
- (d) has been subject to any penalties or sanctions imposed by a court relating to securities legislation or by a securities regulatory authority or has entered into a settlement agreement with a securities regulatory authority; or
- (e) has been subject to any penalties or sanctions imposed by a court or regulatory body that would likely be considered important to a reasonable securityholder in deciding whether to vote for a proposed Director.

Between September 21, 1998 and January 14, 2002, James Tuer was an independent Director of Traceability Solutions Inc., a publicly traded company listed on the CDNX. After Mr. Tuer resigned, the company was issued a cease trade order by the British Columbia Securities Commission and the Alberta Securities Commission on March 14, 2002 and March 15, 2002, respectively. The orders were filed on the basis of failing to file audited annual financial statements for the period ended September 30, 2001 and the interim statements for the period ended December 31, 2001. Subsequently, on May 1, 2002, the company went into receivership and filed for bankruptcy.

In 2008, John Hick was a Director and non-executive Chairman of the Board of Tamaya Resources Limited (“Tamaya”), an Australian incorporated and Australian Stock Exchange (“ASX”) listed company, which made a Voluntary Appointment of an Administrator, Ernst & Young (Australia), as a result of becoming insolvent. The reasons for the insolvency are summarized in the Questionnaire and

Report to the Administrators dated November 14, 2008, as filed with the ASX. As a result of the Voluntary Administration, effective upon the appointment of the Administrators on October 26, 2008, the appointed Administrators immediately assumed all legal powers, rights and obligations of the Directors of Tamaya and the Directors had no legal rights with respect to the administration or management of Tamaya or its assets.

John McConnell, who was Chief Operating Officer of Strategic Resource Acquisition Corp. (“SRA”), a company that, on January 15, 2009, announced that it had filed for protection from its creditors under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code (United States) (on January 2, 2009, Mr. McConnell resigned from his position with SRA effective January 15, 2009).

The following Directors of the Company hold Directorships in other reporting issuers as set out below:

Name of Director	Name of Other Reporting Issuers
James R. Tuer	N/A
John W.W. Hick	Aeroquest International Ltd. Carpathian Gold Inc. Eurotin Inc. First Uranium Corporation Marengo Mining Limited (TSX and ASX listed company) Timminco Ltd.
John McConnell	Takara Resources Inc. Victoria Gold Corp. Ironbark Zinc Limited (ASX listed company)
Flemming Knudsen	N/A
John McDonald	Canterra Minerals Corp. First Point Minerals Corp. Silver Quest Resources Ltd.

## Compensation Discussion and Analysis

### *Compensation Program Objectives*

The Company’s compensation policies and programs are designed to be competitive with similar junior mineral exploration companies and to recognize and reward executive performance consistent with the success of the Company. These policies and programs are intended to attract and retain capable and experienced people. The Compensation Committee’s role and philosophy is to ensure that the Company’s goals and objectives, as applied to the actual compensation paid to the Company’s executive officers are aligned with the Company’s overall business objectives and with shareholders’ interests. The Company’s Compensation Committee is comprised of two Directors, John Hick and John McConnell. Each of the members of the Compensation Committee is independent of management of the Company. In addition to informal industry comparables from publicly available information, the Compensation Committee considers a variety of factors when determining both compensation policies and programs and individual compensation levels. These factors include the long-range interests of the Company and its stockholders, overall financial and operating performance of the Company, and the Compensation Committee’s assessment of each executive’s individual performance and contribution toward meeting corporate objectives. Superior performance is recognized through the Company’s incentive policy and programs. The executive compensation program is comprised of the following

principal components: (a) base salary; (b) short-term incentive compensation comprised of discretionary cash bonuses; and (c) long-term incentive compensation comprised of share options. Together, these components support the Company's long-term growth strategy and are designed to address the following key objectives of our compensation program:

- align executive compensation with shareholders' interests;
- attract and retain highly qualified management; and
- focus performance by linking incentive compensation to the achievement of business objectives and financial and operational results.

The Company's compensation program is primarily designed to reward performance and, accordingly, the performance of both the Company, as well as the individual performance of executive officers during the year in question, are examined by the Board in conjunction with setting executive compensation packages. The Board does not set specific performance objectives in assessing the performance of the CEO and other executive officers; rather the Board uses its experience and judgment in determining an overall compensation package for the CEO and other executive officers. Some of the factors looked at by the Board in assessing the performance of the Company and its executive officers are as follows: (a) exploration successes; (b) additions to mineral resources; (c) ability to raise capital as required; (d) compliance with legal and regulatory requirements; and (e) ability to raise the profile of the Company within the investment community. The Company weighs and reviews its performance for all of the above relative to its goals and objectives and in relation to the performance of its industry peer group.

#### *Elements of the Executive Compensation Program*

##### Base Salaries

The base salary component is intended to provide a fixed level of competitive pay that reflects each executive officer's primary duties and responsibilities. It also provides a foundation upon which performance based incentive compensation elements are assessed and established. The Company intends to pay base salaries to its executive officers, including the CEO, that are in the range of those for similar positions within the industry peer group. The Company does not benchmark its executive compensation program. Salaries of the executive officers, including that of the CEO are reviewed annually.

##### Short-Term Incentive Compensation - Cash Bonuses

In addition to base salaries, the Company has a discretionary bonus plan pursuant to which the Board, upon recommendation to the Board, may award annual cash bonuses to executive officers. The annual cash bonus element of the executive compensation program is designed to reward both corporate and individual performance during the Company's last completed financial year. It is the Board's philosophy that an individual bonus should be tied primarily to that individual's contribution to corporate performance. The amount of the bonus paid is not set in relation to any formula or specific criteria but is the result of a subjective determination of the Company's and the individual's performance. The Board has not established strict predetermined quantitative performance criteria linked to the payment of bonuses. Regardless of merit, no cash bonuses were paid in 2011 due to the lack of financial resources available.

##### Long Term Incentive Compensation – Stock Options

Executive officers, along with all of the Company's officers, Directors, employees, contractors and other service providers, are eligible to participate in the Company's share option plan (the "Option Plan"). The Option Plan and the Common Shares reserved thereunder have been approved by the Company's

shareholders on an annual basis. The Option Plan promotes an ownership perspective among executives, encourages the retention of key executives and provides an incentive to enhance shareholder value by furthering the Company's success. As with most companies in the Company's peer group, options form an integral component of the total compensation package provided to the Company's executive officers. Participation in the Option Plan rewards overall corporate performance, as measured through the price of the Company's Common Shares. In addition, the Option Plan enables executives to develop and maintain a significant ownership position in the Company. Option grants may be made periodically, typically annually, to ensure that the number of Options granted to any particular individual is commensurate with the individual's level of ongoing responsibility within the Company. In considering option grants, the Compensation Committee evaluate the number of Options an individual has been granted, the exercise price and value of the Options and the term remaining on those Options.

### Summary Compensation Table

The following table (presented in accordance with National Instrument Form 51-102F6 ("Statement of Executive Compensation") which came into force on December 31, 2008 (the "Form 51-102F6")) sets forth all annual and long term compensation for services in all capacities to the Company for the last three most recently completed financial years of the Company ending on or after December 31, 2008 (to the extent required by Form 51-102F6) in respect of each of the individuals comprised of each CEO and the CFO who acted in such capacity for all or any portion of the most recently completed financial year, and each of the three most highly compensated executive officers, or the three most highly compensated individuals acting in a similar capacity, (other than the CEO and the CFO), as at March 31, 2011 whose total compensation was, individually, more than \$150,000 for the financial year and any individual who would have satisfied these criteria but for the fact that individual was neither an executive officer of the Company, nor acting in a similar capacity, at the end of the most recently completed financial year (collectively the "Named Executive Officers" or "NEOs").

<i>NEO Name and Principal Position</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Salary (\$)</i>	<i>Share-Based Awards (\$)</i>	<i>Option-Based Awards (\$)</i>	<i>Non-Equity Incentive Plan Compensation (\$)</i>		<i>Pension Value (\$)</i>	<i>All Other Compensation (\$)</i>	<i>Total Compensation (\$)</i>
					<i>Annual Incentive Plans</i>	<i>Long-term Incentive Plans</i>			
James R. Tuer <sup>(1)</sup> <i>CEO &amp; CFO</i>	2011	175,200	-	718,852 <sup>(2)</sup>	-	-	-	-	894,052
	2010	175,200	-	40,739	-	-	-	-	215,939
	2009	175,200	-	45,040	-	-	-	-	220,240
Alnesh Mohan <sup>(1)</sup> <i>CFO</i>	2011	70,611	-	53,914 <sup>(2)</sup>	-	-	-	-	124,525
	2010	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	2009	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Jim Cambon <i>VP Corporate Development</i>	2011	150,000	-	539,139 <sup>(2)</sup>	-	-	-	-	689,139
	2010	150,000	-	40,739	-	-	-	-	190,739
	2009	150,000	-	67,560	-	-	-	-	217,560

(1) James R. Tuer resigned as CFO on April 29, 2010 and Alnesh Mohan was appointed CFO on April 29, 2010.

(2) The Company used the Black-Scholes-Merton model as the methodology to calculate the grant date fair value, and relied on the following the key assumptions and estimates for the 2011 calculation: (a) risk-free interest rate: 2.71%; (b) life of option: 5 years; (c) expected volatility: 144%; and dividend yield: 0%.

## Incentive Plan Awards

Name	Option-Based Awards				Share-Based Awards	
	Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#)	Option Exercise Price (\$)	Option Expiration Date	Value of Unexercised In-The-Money Options (\$)	Number of Shares Or Units Of Shares That Have Not Vested (#)	Market or Payout Value Of Share-Based Awards That Have Not Vested (\$)
James R. Tuer CEO	1,750,000	\$0.10 - \$1.00	June 15, 2012 – April 30, 2015	\$651,000 <sup>(1)</sup>	Nil	Nil
Alnesh Mohan CFO	75,000	\$0.80	April 30, 2015	\$12,750 <sup>(1)</sup>	Nil	Nil
Jim Cambon VP Corporate Development	1,500,000	\$0.10 - \$1.00	June 15, 2012 – April 30, 2015	\$631,500 <sup>(1)</sup>	Nil	Nil

<sup>(1)</sup> The Company used the Black-Scholes-Merton model as the methodology to calculate the grant date fair value, and relied on the following the key assumptions and estimates for the 2011 calculation: (a) risk-free interest rate: 2.71%; (b) life of option: 5 years; (c) expected volatility: 144%; and dividend yield: 0%.

## Value Vested Or Earned During The Year

The value vested or earned during the most recently completed financial year of incentive plan awards granted to Named Executive Officers are as follows:

NEO Name	Option-Based Awards - Value Vested During The Year <sup>(1)</sup> (\$)	Share-Based Awards - Value Vested During The Year <sup>(2)</sup> (\$)	Non-Equity Incentive Plan Compensation - Value Earned During The Year (\$)
James R. Tuer, CEO	\$143,750	N/A	N/A
Alnesh Mohan, CFO	\$10,781	N/A	N/A
Jim Cambon	\$107,813	N/A	N/A

(1) This amount is the dollar value that would have been realized computed by obtaining the difference between the market price of the underlying securities at exercise and the exercise or base price of the options under the option-based award on the vesting date.

(2) This amount is the dollar value realized computed by multiplying the number of shares or units by the market value of the underlying shares on the vesting date.

## Outstanding Share-Based Awards and Option-Based Awards

The Company does not have any incentive plans, pursuant to which compensation that depends on achieving certain performance goals or similar conditions within a specified period is awarded, earned, paid or payable to the Named Executive Officers.

## Pension Plan Benefits

The Company does not have a pension plan that provides for payments or benefits to the Named Executive Officers at, following, or in connection with retirement.



## Termination and Change of Control Benefits

The Company has no employment contracts with any Named Executive Officers.

The Company has no compensatory plan, contract or arrangement where a Named Executive Officer is entitled to receive any payment in connection with any termination (whether voluntary, involuntary or constructive), resignation, retirement, a change of control of the Company or its subsidiaries, or a change in responsibilities of the Named Executive Officer following a change of control.

## Director Compensation

The following table sets forth all amounts of compensation provided to the Directors, who are each not also a Named Executive Officer, for the Company's most recently completed financial year:

<i>Director Name<sup>(1)</sup></i>	<i>Fees Earned (\$)</i>	<i>Share-Based Awards (\$)</i>	<i>Option-Based Awards<sup>(2)</sup> (\$)</i>	<i>Non-Equity Incentive Plan Compensation (\$)</i>	<i>Pension Value (\$)</i>	<i>All Other Compensation (\$)</i>	<i>Total (\$)</i>
John W.W. Hick	Nil	Nil	\$71,885 <sup>(2)</sup>	Nil	Nil	Nil	\$71,885
John McConnell	Nil	Nil	\$17,971 <sup>(2)</sup>	Nil	Nil	Nil	\$17,971
Flemming Knudsen	Nil	Nil	\$71,885 <sup>(2)</sup>	Nil	Nil	Nil	\$71,885
John McDonald	Nil	Nil	\$71,885 <sup>(2)</sup>	Nil	Nil	Nil	\$71,885

<sup>(1)</sup> Relevant disclosure has been provided in the Summary Compensation Table for financial year(s) ending on or after December 31, 2008 above, for Directors who receive compensation for their services as a Director who are also Named Executive Officers.

<sup>(2)</sup> The Company used the Black-Scholes-Merton model as the methodology to calculate the grant date fair value, and relied on the following the key assumptions and estimates for the 2011 calculation: (a) risk-free interest rate: 2.71%; (b) life of option: 5 years; (c) expected volatility: 144%; and dividend yield: 0%.

The Company has no arrangements, standard or otherwise, pursuant to which Directors are compensated by the Company or its subsidiary for their services in their capacity as Directors, or for committee participation, involvement in special assignments or for services as consultant or expert during the most recently completed financial year or subsequently, up to and including the date of this Information Circular.

The Company has a Stock Option Plan for the granting of incentive stock options to the officers, employees and Directors. The purpose of granting such options is to assist the Company in compensating, attracting, retaining and motivating the Directors of the Company and to closely align the personal interests of such persons to that of the shareholders.

## Incentive Plan Awards - Outstanding Share-Based Awards and Option-Based Awards

<i>Director Name</i>	<i>Option-Based Awards</i>				<i>Share-Based Awards</i>	
	<i>Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#)</i>	<i>Option Exercise Price (\$)</i>	<i>Option Expiration Date</i>	<i>Value of Unexercised In-The-Money Options<sup>(1)</sup> (\$)</i>	<i>Number of Shares Or Units Of Shares That Have Not Vested (#)</i>	<i>Market or Payout Value Of Share-Based Awards That Have Not Vested (\$)</i>
John W.W. Hick	340,000	\$0.10 - \$1.00	June 15, 2012 – April 30, 2015	\$165,900	Nil	Nil
John McConnell	125,000	\$0.80 -	January 25,	\$62,500	Nil	Nil

<i>Director Name</i>	<i>Option-Based Awards</i>				<i>Share-Based Awards</i>	
	<i>Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#)</i>	<i>Option Exercise Price (\$)</i>	<i>Option Expiration Date</i>	<i>Value of Unexercised In-The-Money Options<sup>(1)</sup> (\$)</i>	<i>Number of Shares Or Units Of Shares That Have Not Vested (#)</i>	<i>Market or Payout Value Of Share-Based Awards That Have Not Vested (\$)</i>
		\$0.95	2015 – April 30, 2015			
Flemming Knudsen	100,000	\$0.80	April 30, 2015	\$17,000	Nil	Nil
John McDonald	150,000	\$0.80 - \$1.00	June 15, 2012 – April 30, 2015	\$17,000	Nil	Nil

<sup>(1)</sup> The Company used the Black-Scholes-Merton model as the methodology to calculate the grant date fair value, and relied on the following the key assumptions and estimates for the 2011 calculation: (a) risk-free interest rate: 2.71%; (b) life of option: 5 years; (c) expected volatility: 144%; and dividend yield: 0%. ●

<i>Director Name</i>	<i>Option-Based Awards - Value Vested During The Year (\$)<sup>(1)</sup></i>	<i>Share-Based Awards - Value Vested During The Year (\$)</i>	<i>Non-Equity Incentive Plan Compensation - Value Earned During The Year (\$)</i>
John W.W. Hick	\$14,375	Nil	Nil
John McConnell	\$19,469	Nil	Nil
Flemming Knudsen	\$14,375	Nil	Nil
John McDonald	\$14,375	Nil	Nil

<sup>(1)</sup> The Company used the Black-Scholes-Merton model as the methodology to calculate the grant date fair value, and relied on the following the key assumptions and estimates for the 2011 calculation: (a) risk-free interest rate: 2.71%; (b) life of option: 5 years; (c) expected volatility: 144%; and dividend yield: 0%.

The Company does not have any incentive plans pursuant to which compensation that depends on achieving certain performance goals or similar conditions within a specified period is awarded, paid or payable to the Directors.

#### Securities Authorized for Issuance Under Equity Compensation Plans

The following table sets forth the Company's compensation plans under which equity securities are authorized for issuance as at the end of the most recently completed financial year.

<i>Plan Category</i>	<i>Number of securities to be issued upon exercise of outstanding options, warrants and rights</i> <i>(a)</i>	<i>Weighted-average exercise price of outstanding options, warrants and rights</i> <i>(b)</i>	<i>Number of securities remaining available for future issuance under equity compensation plans (excluding securities reflected in column (a))</i> <i>(c)</i>
<i>Equity compensation plans approved by securityholders</i>	4,445,000	\$0.60	1,756,676
<i>Equity compensation plans not approved by securityholders</i>	N/A	N/A	N/A
<i>Total</i>	4,445,000	\$0.60	1,756,676

#### INDEBTEDNESS OF DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

As at August 23, 2011, there was no indebtedness outstanding of any current or former Director, executive officer or employee of the Company or its subsidiary which is owing to the Company or its subsidiary or to another entity which is the subject of a guarantee, support agreement, letter of credit or other similar arrangement or understanding provided by the Company or its subsidiary, entered into in connection with a purchase of securities or otherwise.

No individual who is, or at any time during the most recently completed financial year was, a Director or executive officer of the Company, no proposed nominee for election as a Director of the Company and no associate of such persons:

- (i) is or at any time since the beginning of the most recently completed financial year has been, indebted to the Company or its subsidiary; or
- (ii) whose indebtedness to another entity is, or at any time since the beginning of the most recently completed financial year has been, the subject of a guarantee, support agreement, letter of credit or other similar arrangement or understanding provided by the Company or its subsidiary,

in relation to a securities purchase program or other program.

#### INTEREST OF CERTAIN PERSONS IN MATTERS TO BE ACTED UPON

Except as set out herein, no person who has been a Director or executive officer of the Company at any time since the beginning of the Company's last financial year, no proposed nominee of management of the Company for election as a Director of the Company and no associate or affiliate of the foregoing persons, has any material interest, direct or indirect, by way of beneficial ownership or otherwise, in matters to be acted upon at the Meeting other than the election of Directors or the appointment of auditors.

#### INTEREST OF INFORMED PERSONS IN MATERIAL TRANSACTIONS

No informed person or proposed Director of the Company and no associate or affiliate of the foregoing persons has or has had any material interest, direct or indirect, in any transaction since the commencement of the Company's most recently completed financial year or in any proposed transaction which in either such case has materially affected or would materially affect the Company or its subsidiary.

## APPOINTMENT OF AUDITORS

BDO Canada LLP, Chartered Accountants, of Vancouver, British Columbia, is the auditor of the Company. Unless otherwise instructed, the proxies given pursuant to this solicitation will be voted for the re-appointment of BDO Canada LLP as the auditor of the Company to hold office for the ensuing year at a remuneration to be fixed by the Directors.

Amisano Hanson, Chartered Accountants were appointed as auditors of the Company on April 26, 1999. Effective January 1, 2008, Amisano Hanson merged with BDO Dunwoody LLP.

## MANAGEMENT CONTRACTS

No management functions of the Company are performed to any substantial degree by a person other than the Directors or executive officers of the Company.

## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE DISCLOSURE

A summary of the responsibilities and activities and the membership of each of the Committees is set out below.

National Policy 58-201 establishes corporate governance guidelines which apply to all public companies. The Company has reviewed its own corporate governance practices in light of these guidelines. In certain cases, the Company's practices comply with the guidelines, however, the Board considers that some of the guidelines are not suitable for the Company at its current stage of development and therefore these guidelines have not been adopted. National Instrument 58-101 mandates disclosure of corporate governance practices which disclosure is set out below.

### Independence of Members of Board

The Company's Board consists of five Directors, four of whom are independent based upon the tests for independence set forth in NI 52-110. John W.W. Hick, John McConnell, Flemming Knudsen and John McDonald are independent. James Tuer is not independent as he is the President and CEO of the Company.

### Management Supervision by Board

The operations of the Company do not support a large Board of Directors and the Board has determined that the current constitution of the Board is appropriate for the Company's current stage of development. Independent supervision of management is accomplished through choosing management who demonstrate a high level of integrity and ability and having strong independent Board members. The independent Directors are, however, able to meet at any time without any members of management including the non-independent Directors being present. Further supervision is performed through the Audit Committee which is composed of a majority of independent Directors who meet with the Company's auditors without management being in attendance.

### Risk Management

The Board of Directors is responsible for adoption of a strategic planning process, identification of principal risks and implementing risk management systems, succession planning and the continuous disclosure requirements of the Company under applicable securities laws and regulations.

The audit committee is responsible for the risk management items set out in the audit committee charter.

## Participation of Directors in Other Reporting Issuers

The participation of the Directors in other reporting issuers is described in the table provided under “Election of Directors” in this information circular.

## Orientation and Continuing Education

While the Company does not have formal orientation and training programs, new Board members are provided with:

1. access to recent publicly filed documents of the Company, technical reports and the Company’s internal financial information;
2. access to management and technical experts and consultants; and
3. a summary of significant corporate and securities responsibilities.

Board members are encouraged to communicate with management, auditors and technical consultants; to keep themselves current with industry trends and developments and changes in legislation with management’s assistance; and to attend related industry seminars and visit the Company’s operations. Board members have full access to the Company’s records.

## Ethical Business Conduct

The Board views good corporate governance as an integral component to the success of the Company and to meet responsibilities to shareholders. The Board has adopted a Code of Conduct that is posted on its website at [www.hudsonresources.ca](http://www.hudsonresources.ca) and has instructed its management and employees to abide by the Code.

## Nomination of Directors

The Board has responsibility for identifying potential Board candidates. The Board assesses potential Board candidates to fill perceived needs on the Board for required skills, expertise, independence and other factors. Members of the Board and representatives of the mineral exploration industry are consulted for possible candidates. John W.W. Hicks and John McConnell comprise the Nominating Committee.

## Compensation of Directors and the CEO

The independent Directors are John W.W. Hick, John McConnell, Flemming Knudsen and John McDonald. John W.W. Hick and John McConnell comprise the Compensation Committee of the Board, which has the responsibility for determining compensation for the Directors and senior management.

To determine compensation payable, the independent Directors review compensation paid for Directors and CEOs of companies of similar size and stage of development in the mineral exploration industry and determine an appropriate compensation reflecting the need to provide incentive and compensation for the time and effort expended by the Directors and senior management while taking into account the financial and other resources of the Company. In setting the compensation, the independent Directors annually review the performance of the CEO in light of the Company’s objectives and consider other factors that may have impacted the success of the Company in achieving its objectives.

## Board Committees

As the Directors are actively involved in the operations of the Company and the size of the Company's operations does not warrant a larger Board of Directors, the Board has determined that additional committees are not necessary at this stage of the Company's development.

### Assessments

The Board does not consider that formal assessments would be useful at this stage of the Company's development. The Board conducts informal annual assessments of the Board's effectiveness, the individual Directors and each of its committees. To assist in its review, the Board conducts informal surveys of its Directors, receives an annual report from the Corporate Governance and Nominating Committee on its assessment of the functioning of the Board and reports from each committee respecting its own effectiveness. As part of the assessments, the Board or the individual committee may review their respective mandate or charter and conduct reviews of applicable corporate policies.

### *Audit Committee*

#### The Audit Committee's Charter

##### *Mandate*

The primary function of the Audit Committee (the "Committee") is to assist the Board of Directors in fulfilling its financial oversight responsibilities by reviewing the financial reports and other financial information provided by the Company to regulatory authorities and shareholders, the Company's systems of internal controls regarding finance and accounting and the Company's auditing, accounting and financial reporting processes. Consistent with this function, the Committee will encourage continuous improvement of, and should foster adherence to, the Company's policies, procedures and practices at all levels. The Committee's primary duties and responsibilities are to:

- Serve as an independent and objective party to monitor the Company's financial reporting and internal control system and review the Company's financial statements.
- Review and appraise the performance of the Company's external auditors.
- Provide an open avenue of communication among the Company's auditors, financial and senior management and the Board of Directors.

##### *Composition*

The Committee shall be comprised of three Directors as determined by the Board of Directors, the majority of whom shall be free from any relationship that, in the opinion of the Board of Directors, would interfere with the exercise of his or her independent judgment as a member of the Committee.

At least one member of the Committee shall have accounting or related financial management expertise. All members of the Committee that are not financially literate will work towards becoming financially literate to obtain a working familiarity with basic finance and accounting practices. For the purposes of the Company's Charter, the definition of "financially literate" is the ability to read and understand a set of financial statements that present a breadth and level of complexity of accounting issues that are generally comparable to the breadth and complexity of the issues that can presumably be expected to be raised by the Company's financial statements.

The members of the Committee shall be elected by the Board of Directors at its first meeting following the annual shareholders' meeting. Unless a Chair is elected by the full Board of Directors, the members of the Committee may designate a Chair by a majority vote of the full Committee membership.

### *Meetings*

The Committee shall meet at least twice annually, or more frequently as circumstances dictate. As part of its job to foster open communication, the Committee will meet at least annually with the CFO and the external auditors in separate sessions.

### *Responsibilities and Duties*

To fulfill its responsibilities and duties, the Committee shall:

#### Documents/Reports Review

- (a) Review and update this Charter annually.
- (b) Review the Company's financial statements, MD&A and any annual and interim earnings, press releases before the Company publicly discloses this information and any reports or other financial information (including quarterly financial statements), which are submitted to any governmental body, or to the public, including any certification, report, opinion, or review rendered by the external auditors.

#### External Auditors

- (a) Review annually, the performance of the external auditors who shall be ultimately accountable to the Board of Directors and the Committee as representatives of the shareholders of the Company.
- (b) Obtain annually, a formal written statement of external auditors setting forth all relationships between the external auditors and the Company, consistent with Independence Standards Board Standard 1.
- (c) Review and discuss with the external auditors any disclosed relationships or services that may impact the objectivity and independence of the external auditors.
- (d) Take, or recommend that the full Board of Directors take, appropriate action to oversee the independence of the external auditors.
- (e) Recommend to the Board of Directors the selection and, where applicable, the replacement of the external auditors nominated annually for shareholder approval.
- (f) At each meeting, consult with the external auditors, without the presence of management, about the quality of the Company's accounting principles, internal controls and the completeness and accuracy of the Company's financial statements.
- (g) Review and approve the Company's hiring policies regarding partners, employees and former partners and employees of the present and former external auditors of the Company.
- (h) Review with management and the external auditors the audit plan for the year-end financial statements and intended template for such statements.
- (i) Review and pre-approve all audit and audit-related services and the fees and other compensation related thereto, and any non-audit services, provided by the Company's external auditors. The pre-approval requirement is waived with respect to the provision of non-audit services if:

- i. the aggregate amount of all such non-audit services provided to the Company constitutes not more than five percent of the total amount of revenues paid by the Company to its external auditors during the fiscal year in which the non-audit services are provided;
- ii. such services were not recognized by the Company at the time of the engagement to be non-audit services; and
- iii. such services are promptly brought to the attention of the Committee by the Company and approved prior to the completion of the audit by the Committee or by one or more members of the Committee who are members of the Board of Directors to whom authority to grant such approvals has been delegated by the Committee.

Provided the pre-approval of the non-audit services is presented to the Committee's first scheduled meeting following such approval such authority may be delegated by the Committee to one or more independent members of the Committee.

### *Financial Reporting Processes*

- (a) In consultation with the external auditors, review with management the integrity of the Company's financial reporting process, both internal and external.
- (b) Consider the external auditors' judgments about the quality and appropriateness of the Company's accounting principles as applied in its financial reporting.
- (c) Consider and approve, if appropriate, changes to the Company's auditing and accounting principles and practices as suggested by the external auditors and management.
- (d) Review significant judgments made by management in the preparation of the financial statements and the view of the external auditors as to appropriateness of such judgments.
- (e) Following completion of the annual audit, review separately with management and the external auditors any significant difficulties encountered during the course of the audit, including any restrictions on the scope of work or access to required information.
- (f) Review any significant disagreement among management and the external auditors in connection with the preparation of the financial statements.
- (g) Review with the external auditors and management the extent to which changes and improvements in financial or accounting practices have been implemented.
- (h) Review any complaints or concerns about any questionable accounting, internal accounting controls or auditing matters.
- (i) Review certification process.
- (j) Establish a procedure for the confidential, anonymous submission by employees of the Company of concerns regarding questionable accounting or auditing matters.

### Risk Management

1. To review, at least annually, and more frequently if necessary, the Company's policies for risk assessment and risk management (the identification, monitoring, and mitigation of risks).
2. To inquire of management and the independent auditor about significant business, political, financial and control risks or exposure to such risk.
3. To request the external auditor's opinion of management's assessment of significant risks facing the Company and how effectively they are being managed or controlled.



4. To assess the effectiveness of the over-all process for identifying principal business risks and report thereon to the Board.

*Other*

Review any related-party transactions.

**Composition of the Audit Committee**

The following are the members of the Committee:

James Tuer	Not independent ①	Financially literate ①
John W.W. Hick	Independent ①	Financially literate ①
John McConnell	Independent ①	Financially literate ①

① As defined by NI 52-110.

**Audit Committee Member Education and Experience**

**James Tuer** – Mr. Tuer graduated from Queen’s University, Kingston, Ontario, with a B.Sc. (Engineering) in 1984 and an MBA in 1987. He worked for Toronto Dominion Securities Inc. in corporate finance until 1993, when he relocated to Vancouver. Since that time, he has been responsible for creating and managing (both operationally and financially) three public companies, including the Company.

**John W.W. Hick** – Mr. Hick has considerable experience in both senior management and Director capacities with a number of public companies over the last 30 years, prior to which he was actively engaged in the practice of law in Ontario. During his career, he has been the President and/or CEO of the following public companies where he had direct involvement in and responsibilities for the financial results and reporting of such companies: Grafton Group Limited, TVX Gold Inc., Geomanque Explorations Ltd., Defiance Mining Corporation, Rio Narcea Gold Mines Ltd. and Medoro Resources Ltd. In addition to serving as a Director, he has served or is currently serving on the Audit Committees of the following public companies: Rayrock Yellowknife Gold Mines Ltd., Cambior Inc., Rio Narcea Gold Mines Ltd., Southern Cross Resources Inc., Queenstake Resources Ltd., First Uranium Corporation, Aeroquest International Ltd., Carpathian Gold Inc. Timminco Ltd. and Eurotin Inc.

**John McConnell** – Mr. McConnell is a graduate of Colorado School of Mines, with a B.Sc. in Mining Engineering. He has more than 30 years of mining experience, including exploration, engineering, environmental assessment and permitting, construction and operations. He has worked in a senior management capacity with the following public companies: Victoria Gold Corporation (currently the President and a Director), Strategic Resource Acquisition Corporation, Western Keltic Mines Inc. and Breakwater Resources Ltd.

**Audit Committee Oversight**

At no time since the commencement of the Company’s most recently completed financial year was a recommendation of the Committee to nominate or compensate an external auditor not adopted by the Board of Directors.

### Reliance on Certain Exemptions

At no time since the commencement of the Company's most recently completed financial year has the Company relied on the exemption in Section 2.4 of NI 52-110 (*De Minimis Non-audit Services*), or an exemption from NI 52-110, in whole or in part, granted under Part 8 of NI 52-110.

### Pre-Approval Policies and Procedures

The Committee has adopted specific policies and procedures for the engagement of non-audit services as described above under the heading "External Auditors".

### External Auditors Service Fees (By Category)

The aggregate fees billed by the Company's external auditors in each of the last two fiscal years for audit fees are as follows:

<i>Financial Year Ending</i>	<i>Audit Fees</i>	<i>Audit Related Fees</i>	<i>Tax Fees</i>	<i>All Other Fees</i>
March 31, 2011	\$28,355	N/A	N/A	\$23,585 <sup>(1)</sup>
March 31, 2010	\$26,160	N/A	N/A	N/A

<sup>(1)</sup> Fees associated with prospectus filing assistance and financial statements review.

### Exemption in Section 6.1 of NI 52-110

The Company is relying on the exemption in Section 6.1 of NI 52-110 from the requirement of Parts 3 (Composition of the Audit Committee) and 5 (Reporting Obligations).

### *Compensation Committee*

The Compensation Committee is responsible for reviewing all overall compensation strategy, objectives and policies; annually reviewing and assessing the performance of the executive officers; recommending to the Board the compensation of the executive officers; reviewing executive appointments; and recommending the adequacy and form of Directors' compensation.

For information relating to the Compensation Committee's report on executive compensation, see "Report on Executive Compensation" above. This Committee meets at least once annually. Currently, the members are John McConnell and John W.W. Hick, both of whom are unrelated Directors.

### *Corporate Governance Committee*

The Company's Board and management are committed to the highest standards of corporate governance. The Company's corporate governance practices are in accordance with the guidelines. The Company is also cognizant of and compliant with various corporate governance requirements in Canada.

The Company's prime objective in directing and managing its business and affairs is to enhance shareholder value. The Company views effective corporate governance as a means of improving corporate performance and accordingly of benefit to the Company and all shareholders.

The Corporate Governance Committee meets at least once annually. Currently, the members are John McConnell and John W.W. Hick, both of whom are independent Directors.

### Nomination and Assessment

The Board determines new nominees to the Board, although a formal process has not been adopted. The nominees are generally the result of recruitment efforts by the Board members, including both formal and informal discussions among Board members and the President and CEO. The Board monitors but does not formally assess the performance of individual Board members or committee members or their contributions.

### Expectations of Management

The Board expects management to operate the business of the Company in a manner that enhances shareholder value and is consistent with the highest level of integrity. Management is expected to execute the Company's business plan and to meet performance goals and objectives.

## PARTICULARS OF OTHER MATTERS TO BE ACTED UPON

### A. Adoption of a New Stock Option Plan

The Board of Directors of the Company implemented a stock option plan (the "Plan") effective July 15, 2006.

On August 10, 2011, the Board of Directors amended the Plan to provide that the Company may take such steps as are considered necessary or appropriate for the withholding and/or remittance of any taxes which the Company or any subsidiary of the Company is required by any law or regulation of any governmental authority whatsoever to withhold and/or remit in connection with any option or option exercise under the Plan, including the withholding and/or remitting of all or any portion of any payment or the withholding of the issue of shares to be issued upon the exercise of any option until such time as the optionee has paid the Company or any subsidiary of the Company for any amount which the Company or subsidiary of the Company is required to withhold and/or remit with respect to such taxes. This amendment to the Plan was made as a result of certain amendments made to provisions of the *Income Tax Act* (Canada) relating to withholding and remittance of taxes in connection with an exercise of stock options.

The purpose of the Plan is to allow the Company to grant options to Directors, officers, employees and consultants, as additional compensation, and as an opportunity to participate in the success of the Company. The granting of such options is intended to align the interests of such persons with that of the shareholders. Options will be exercisable over periods of up to 10 years as determined by the Board of Directors of the Company and are required to have an exercise price no less than the closing market price of the Company's shares prevailing on the day that the option is granted less a discount of up to 25%, the amount of the discount varying with market price in accordance with the policies of the Exchange. Pursuant to the Plan, the Board of Directors may from time to time authorize the issue of options to Directors, officers, employees and consultants of the Company and its subsidiaries or employees of companies providing management or consulting services to the Company or its subsidiaries. The maximum number of common shares which may be issued pursuant to options previously granted and those granted under the Plan will be a maximum of 10% of the issued and outstanding common shares at the time of the grant. In addition, the number of shares which may be reserved for issuance to any one individual may not exceed 5% of the issued shares on a yearly basis or 2% if the optionee is engaged in

investor relations activities or is a consultant. The Plan contains no vesting requirements, but permits the Board of Directors to specify a vesting schedule in its discretion.

The Plan provides that if a change of control, as defined therein, occurs, all shares subject to option shall immediately become vested and may thereupon be exercised in whole or in part by the option holder.

The full text of the Plan is available for viewing up to the date of the Meeting at the Company's offices at Suite 1460, 1066 West Hastings Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V6E 3X1.

Unless such authority is withheld, the persons named in the enclosed Proxy will vote for all of the resolutions in respect of the proposed Plan.

At the Meeting shareholders will be asked to pass a resolution in the following form:

“UPON MOTION IT WAS RESOLVED that the Company do approve, subject to regulatory approval, the adoption of a stock option plan pursuant to which the Directors may, from time to time, authorize the issuance of options to Directors, officers, employees and consultants of the Company and its subsidiaries to a maximum of 10% of the issued and outstanding common shares at the time of the grant, with a maximum of 5% of the Company's issued and outstanding shares being reserved to any one person on a yearly basis.”

#### B. Shareholder Rights Plan Agreement

*The following is only a summary of certain provisions of the Shareholder Rights Plan and is qualified in its entirety by the provisions of the Shareholder Rights Plan. Defined terms used in this section and not defined herein have the meaning ascribed to them in the Shareholder Rights Plan. A shareholder or other interested party may obtain a copy of the Rights Plan Agreement by contacting the Chief Executive Officer of the Company, at Suite 1460, 1066 West Hastings Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V6E 3X1.*

Effective August 11, 2011, the Board of Directors of the Company (the “Board”) adopted a Shareholder Rights Plan (the “Rights Plan”). The Rights Plan has been implemented by way of a shareholder rights plan agreement (the “Rights Plan Agreement”) dated as of August 11, 2011 between the Company and Computershare Investor Services Inc., as rights agent. The Board adopted the Rights Plan to ensure, to the extent possible, that all shareholders of the Company are treated equally and fairly in connection with any take-over bid or similar offer for all or a portion of the outstanding common shares of the Company.

At the Meeting, shareholders of the Company will be asked to consider and, if thought advisable, to ratify, confirm and approve by means of an ordinary resolution, the Rights Plan Agreement. Approval of the Rights Plan Agreement by the shareholders of the Company is required by the terms of the Rights Plan Agreement and by the TSX Venture Exchange.

#### Recommendation of the Board

The Board has determined that the Rights Plan Agreement continues to be in the best interests of the Company and its shareholders. The Board recommends that shareholders vote for the resolution approving, confirming and ratifying the Rights Plan Agreement and authorizing the issuance of Rights pursuant thereto. Unless otherwise specified, the persons named in the enclosed form of proxy will vote FOR such resolution.

## Background to the Rights Plan Agreement

The Rights Plan Agreement has been designed to protect shareholders from unfair, abusive or coercive take-over strategies including the acquisition of control of the Company by a bidder in a transaction or series of transactions that may not treat all shareholders fairly nor afford all shareholders an equal opportunity to share in the premium paid upon an acquisition of control. The Rights Plan Agreement was adopted to provide the Board with sufficient time, in the event of a public take-over bid or tender offer for the common shares of the Company, to pursue alternatives which could enhance shareholder value. These alternatives could involve the review of other take-over bids or offers from other interested parties to provide shareholders desiring to sell the Company's common shares with the best opportunity to realize the maximum sale price for their common shares. In addition, with sufficient time, the Board would be able to explore and, if feasible, advance alternatives to maximize share value through possible corporate reorganizations or restructuring. The Directors need time in order to have any real ability to consider these alternatives.

## Potential Advantages of the Rights Plan Agreement

The Board believes that under the current rules relating to take-over bids and tender offers in Canada there is not sufficient time for the Directors to explore and develop alternatives for the shareholders such as possible higher offers or corporate reorganizations or restructurings that could maximize shareholder value. Under current rules, a take-over bid must remain open in Canada for a minimum of 35 days. Accordingly, the Directors believe the Rights Plan Agreement continues to be an appropriate mechanism to ensure that they will be able to discharge their responsibility to assist shareholders in responding to a take-over bid or tender offer.

In addition, the Board believes that the Rights Plan Agreement will encourage persons seeking to acquire control of the Company to do so by means of a public take-over bid or offer available to all shareholders. The Rights Plan Agreement will deter acquisitions by means that deny some shareholders the opportunity to share in the premium that an acquirer is likely to pay upon an acquisition of control. By motivating would-be acquirers to make a public take-over bid or offer or to negotiate with the Board, shareholders will have the best opportunity of being assured that they will participate on an equal basis, regardless of the size of their holding, in any acquisition of control of the Company.

The Rights Plan Agreement is not intended to prevent a take-over or deter fair offers for securities of the Company. The Board believes that the Rights Plan Agreement will not adversely limit the opportunity for shareholders to dispose of their common shares through a take-over bid or tender offer which provides fair value to all shareholders. The Directors will continue to be bound to consider fully and fairly any bona fide take-over bid or offer for common shares of the Company and to discharge that responsibility with a view to the best interests of the shareholders.

## Potential Disadvantages of the Rights Plan Agreement

Because the Rights Plan Agreement may increase the price to be paid by an acquirer to obtain control of the Company and may discourage certain transactions, confirmation of the Rights Plan Agreement may reduce the likelihood of a take-over bid being made for the outstanding common shares of the Company. Accordingly, the Rights Plan Agreement may deter some take-over bids that shareholders might wish to receive.

## Term

Provided the Rights Plan Agreement is confirmed at the Meeting, the Rights Plan will remain in effect until termination of the annual meeting of shareholders of the Company in 2014 unless the term of the Rights Plan Agreement is terminated earlier. The Rights Plan may be extended beyond 2014 by resolution of shareholders at such meeting. If the Rights Plan Agreement is not confirmed at the Meeting, the Rights Plan will terminate at the conclusion of the Meeting.

## Issue of Rights

One right (a "Right") has been issued by the Company pursuant to the Rights Plan Agreement in respect of each Common Share outstanding at 4:00 p.m. (Vancouver time) on August 11, 2011 (the "Record Time"). One Right will also be issued for each additional Common Share issued after the Record Time and prior to the earlier of the Separation Time (as defined below) and the Expiration Time (as defined in the Rights Plan Agreement).

## Rights Exercise Privilege

The Rights will separate from the common shares to which they are attached and become exercisable at the time (the "Separation Time") which is 10 trading days following the date a person becomes an Acquiring Person (as defined below) or announces an intention to make a take-over bid that is not an acquisition pursuant to a take-over bid permitted by the Rights Plan (a "Permitted Bid").

Any transaction or event in which a person (an "Acquiring Person"), including associates and affiliates and others acting in concert, acquires (other than pursuant to an exemption available under the Rights Plan or a Permitted Bid) Beneficial Ownership (as defined in the Rights Plan Agreement) of 20% or more of the voting shares of the Company is referred to as a "Flip-in Event". Any Rights held by an Acquiring Person on or after the earlier of the Separation Time or the first date of public announcement by the Company or an Acquiring Person that an Acquiring Person has become such, will become void and the Rights (other than those held by the Acquiring Person) will permit the holder to purchase common shares at a 50% discount to their market price. A person, or a group acting in concert, who is the beneficial owner of 20% or more of the outstanding common shares as of the Record Time is exempt from the dilutive effects of the Rights Plan.

The issuance of the Rights is not dilutive until the Rights separate from the underlying common shares and become exercisable or until the exercise of the Rights. The issuance of the Rights will not change the manner in which shareholders currently trade their common shares.

## Certificates and Transferability

Prior to the close of business on the earlier of the Separation Time and the Expiration Time, the Rights will be evidenced by a legend imprinted on certificates for common shares issued after the Record Time. Rights are also attached to common shares outstanding at the Record Time, although share certificates issued prior to the Record Time will not bear such a legend. Shareholders are not required to return their certificates in order to have the benefit of the Rights. Prior to the Separation Time, Rights will trade together with the common shares and will not be exercisable or transferable separately from the common shares. From and after the Separation Time and prior to the Expiration Time, the Rights will become exercisable, will be evidenced by Rights certificates and will be transferable separately from the common shares.

## Permitted Bid Requirements

The requirements of a “Permitted Bid” include the following:

- (a) the take-over bid must be made by means of a take-over bid circular;
- (b) the take-over bid is made to all holders of voting shares as registered on the books of the Company, other than the offeror for all of the voting shares held by them;
- (c) the take-over bid contains, and the take-up and payment for securities tendered or deposited is subject to, an irrevocable and unqualified provision that no voting shares will be taken up or paid for pursuant to the take-over bid prior to the close of business on the date which is not less than 60 days following the date of the take-over bid and only if at such date more than 50% of the voting shares held by independent shareholders shall have been deposited or tendered pursuant to the take-over bid and not withdrawn;
- (d) the take-over bid contains an irrevocable and unqualified provision that, unless the take-over bid is withdrawn, voting shares may be deposited pursuant to such take-over bid at any time during the period of time between the date of the take-over bid and the date on which voting shares may be taken up and paid for and that any voting shares deposited pursuant to the take-over bid may be withdrawn until taken up and paid for; and
- (e) the take-over bid contains an irrevocable and unqualified provision that if, on the date on which voting shares may be taken up and paid for, more than 50% of the voting shares held by independent shareholders shall have been deposited pursuant to the take-over bid and not withdrawn, the offeror will make a public announcement of that fact and the take-over bid will remain open for deposits and tenders of voting shares for not less than ten business days from the date of such public announcement.

The Rights Plan allows for a competing Permitted Bid (a “Competing Permitted Bid”) to be made while a Permitted Bid is in existence. A Competing Permitted Bid must satisfy all of the requirements of a Permitted Bid except that it must expire prior to the expiry of that Permitted Bid, subject to the requirement that it be outstanding for a minimum period of 35 days in accordance with applicable securities legislation.

## Waiver and Redemption

If a potential offeror does not desire to make a Permitted Bid, it can negotiate with, and obtain the prior approval of, the Board to make a take-over bid by way of a take-over bid circular sent to all holders of voting shares on terms which the Board considers fair to all shareholders. In such circumstances, the Board may waive the application of the Rights Plan thereby allowing such bid to proceed without dilution to the offeror. Any waiver of the application of the Rights Plan in respect of a particular take-over bid shall also constitute a waiver of any other take-over bid which is made by means of a take-over bid circular to all holders of voting shares while the initial take-over bid is outstanding. The Board may also waive the application of the Rights Plan in respect of a particular Flip-in Event that has occurred through inadvertence, provided that the Acquiring Person that inadvertently triggered such Flip-in Event reduces its beneficial holdings to less than 20% of the outstanding voting shares of the Company at the time of the granting of the waiver by the Board. With the prior consent of the holders of voting shares, the Board may, prior to the occurrence of a Flip-in Event that would occur by reason of an acquisition of voting shares otherwise than pursuant to a take-over made by means of a take-over bid circular to holders of voting shares, waive the application of the Rights Plan to such Flip-in Event.

The Board may, at any time prior to the occurrence of a Flip-in Event, elect to redeem all but not less than all of the then outstanding Rights at a redemption price of \$0.00001 per Right. Rights are deemed to be redeemed following completion of a Permitted Bid, a Competing Permitted Bid or a take-over bid in respect of which the Board has waived the application of the Rights Plan.

### Board of Directors

The adoption of the Rights Plan will not in any way lessen or affect the duty of the Board to act honestly and in good faith with a view to the best interests of the Company. The Board, when a take-over bid or similar offer is made, will continue to have the duty and power to take such actions and make such recommendations to shareholders as are considered appropriate. It is not the intention of the Board to secure the continuance of existing Directors or officers to avoid an acquisition of control of the Company in a transaction that is fair and in the best interests of the Company and its shareholders, or to avoid the fiduciary duties of the Board or of any Director. The proxy mechanism of the *Business Corporations Act* (British Columbia) is not affected by the Rights Plan Agreement, and a shareholder may use his, her or its statutory rights to promote a change in the management or direction of the Company, including the right of shareholders holding not less than 5% of the outstanding common shares to requisition the Board to call a meeting of shareholders.

### Amendment

The Company may, prior to the date of the Meeting, without the approval of the holders of Rights or common shares, supplement or amend the Rights Plan Agreement and may, after the date of the Meeting (provided the Rights Plan Agreement is ratified, confirmed and approved by shareholders at the Meeting) with the prior approval of shareholders (or the holders of Rights if the Separation Time has occurred), supplement, amend, vary or delete any of the provisions of the Rights Plan Agreement. The Company may make amendments to the Rights Plan Agreement at any time to correct any clerical or typographical error or, subject to confirmation at the next meeting of shareholders, make amendments which are required to maintain the validity of the Rights Plan Agreement due to changes in any applicable legislation, rules or regulations.

### Existing Charter Provisions

The Notice of Articles and Articles of the Company do not contain any provisions intended by the Company to have, or, to the knowledge of the Board having, an anti-takeover effect. However, the power of the Board to issue additional common shares could be used to dilute the share ownership of person seeking to obtain control of the Company.

### Voting Requirements

The Rights Plan Agreement provides that it must be ratified by shareholders of the Company not later than February 11, 2012. The TSX Venture Exchange also requires that such ratification be obtained. The Rights Plan Agreement must be ratified by a majority of the votes cast at the Meeting by holders of common shares, without giving effect to any votes cast by (i) any shareholder that, directly or indirectly, on its own or in concert with others holds or exercises control over more than 20% of the outstanding common shares, and (ii) the associates, affiliates and insiders of such shareholders. Management of the Company is not aware of any shareholder who will be ineligible to vote on the confirmation of the Rights Plan Agreement at the Meeting.



## Text of Ordinary Resolution to Approve of Rights Plan

The ordinary resolution shareholders will be asked to approve at the Meeting is as follows:

“UPON MOTION IT WAS RESOLVED that:

1. the Shareholder Rights Plan Agreement dated as of August 11, 2011 between the Company and Computershare Investor Services Inc. be and is hereby ratified, confirmed and approved, and the Company is authorized to issue rights pursuant thereto;
2. the actions of the Directors and officers of the Company in executing and delivering the Shareholders Rights Plan Agreement be and the same are hereby ratified, confirmed, approved and authorized; and
3. any one Director or officer of the Company be and is hereby authorized to execute and deliver on behalf of the Company all such documents and instruments and to do all such other acts and things as in his opinion may be necessary or desirable in connection with the said agreement.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Additional information relating to the Company is on SEDAR at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com). Shareholders may contact the Company at Suite 1460, 1066 West Hastings Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V6E 3X1, to request copies of the Company’s financial statements and MD&A.

Financial information is provided in the Company’s comparative financial statements and MD&A for its most recently completed financial year which are filed on SEDAR.

## OTHER MATTERS

Management of the Company is not aware of any other matter to come before the Meeting other than as set forth in the notice of Meeting. If any other matter properly comes before the Meeting, it is the intention of the persons named in the enclosed form of proxy to vote the shares represented thereby in accordance with their best judgment on such matter.

DATED this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2011.

APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

“James Tuer”

James Tuer  
Chief Executive Officer