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# INSPIRED BY OPPORTUNITY. GUIDED BY EXPERIENCE.

ADX Energy Ltd (ADX) is an Australian Stock Exchange (ASX) listed oil and gas exploration and appraisal company. ADX operates five oil and gas permits in North Africa and Europe, together with gold and base metal interests in Australia held via its stake in ASX listed Riedel Resources (RIE).

ADX strives to achieve exponential growth based on early entry to high impact exploration opportunities in proven oil and gas basins where there is good access to infrastructure, strong demand for energy, stable governments, attractive fiscal terms and above all, where management has had past experience and established firm relationships.

The company is headquartered in Perth, Western Australia with additional offices operating out of Vienna, Austria and Tunis in Tunisia.

**OUR VISION** Striving for superior shareholder returns through better investment choices, by applying state of the art technology and high quality management.

FORECAST
<b>ACTIVITIES</b>
2012-2013

1	Dougga pre-feasibility studies
2	Dougga and exploration well farmout
3	Drill Dougga gas field appraisal well
4	Test Lambouka well and or near field exploration
5	Follow up exploration well (Dougga West)
6	Acquire seismic onshore Romania

*Buy-back of 30% interest in the Lambouka Prospect Area in the Kerkouane Permit* 

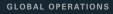
*Successful placement and share purchase plan to raise \$2.184 Million* 

# HIGHLIGHTS 2011-2012

Buy-back of 40% interest in the Joint Venture in Romania to reposition ADX as 100% interest holder

Farm-in agreement with RAG to earn 50% interest in ADX's Parta Permit in Romania

An independent review has confirmed the geo technical work done by ADX and that the Dougga gas condensate field is a potentially viable resource





**Onshore Romania** PANONNIAN EXPLORATION PERMIT

**Offshore Tunisia** SICILY CHANNEL PERMITS – DOUGGA DISCOVERY

**Onshore Tunisa** CHORBANE EXPLORATION PERMIT

TUNIS



GOLD AND BASE METAL PORTFOLIO

PERTH



The Board looks forward to the coming year which we expect will result in significant progress across the Company's prospective asset base.

# DEAR SHAREHOLDERS,

Ian Tchacos

Your company has endured many challenges during the year with the aftermath of the Tunisian revolution and difficult markets curtailing the Company's activities. However, despite these difficulties exceptional opportunities remain open to the Company.

Importantly, as Operator of all our exploration licenses, I am very pleased to report that the Company has conducted all operations in a safe and environmentally sustainable manner.

Despite difficult market conditions ADX has been able to fund its activities and continue to enhance its asset base through a variety of methods including;

- a placement and share purchase plan to raise \$1,914,000 and \$270,000 respectively for Sidi Dhaher testing and exploration activities;
- a buy back of a 20% interest in the Lambouka Prospect Area in the Kerkouane Permit from Carnavale Resources Limited (CAV), and;
- a further buy back of 10% interest in the Lambouka Prospect Area in the Kerkouane Permit from PharmAust Limited (PAA).

The two latter transactions restore ADX's interest in the entire Kerkouane permit to 60% and provide an uncomplicated joint venture enhancing the opportunity for an attractive future farmout.

#### CHAIRMAN'S REVIEW



As reflected by the Company's recent share price performance, the Sidi Dhaher well testing result was a significant disappointment for all of us. It should, however, be remembered that the majority of ADX costs associated with that program were funded by farmouts and the Company still holds a portfolio of high impact appraisal and exploration projects at high equity interests.

Looking forward ADX has exceptional opportunities in Tunisia and Romania outlined in the following Operations Report that the Board expects will get the Company back on a solid growth path. These include;

- Appraisal drilling of the Dougga field offshore Tunisia to determine the commerciality of this material gas condensate discovery.
- Near field exploration drilling in the Sicily channel, offshore Tunisia.
- Seismic acquisition in preparation for drilling in the highly prospective Parta exploration block, onshore Romania.
- Seismic acquisition on the Chorbane permit, onshore Tunisia which will focus exploration activities in an area which is on trend with several producing oil fields.

While capital markets are expected to remain challenging, the company has developed an excellent track record for funding its exploration activities from farmouts. The Board therefore reasonably expects to secure a farm out for its Sicily channel acreage that should result in the appraisal of the Dougga discovery and at least one of the exceptional near field exploration opportunities, both of which are currently held at a high equity interest of 60%.

Despite a very challenging period your Company has a bright future. The Board looks forward to the coming year which we expect will result in significant progress across the Company's prospective asset base. We expect these activities will provide ADX shareholders with exposure to some exceptional appraisal and exploration drilling opportunities funded by industry farm outs.

On behalf of the Board I would like to thank you for your support and I look forward to the rapid repositioning of ADX on a solid growth path for the benefit of our shareholders.

lan Tchacos Non Executive Chairman



MANAGING DIRECTOR'S REPORT Looking forward we are preparing for fully funded seismic and drilling activities onshore Romania next year.

Dr. Wolfgang Zimmer

# DEAR SHAREHOLDERS,

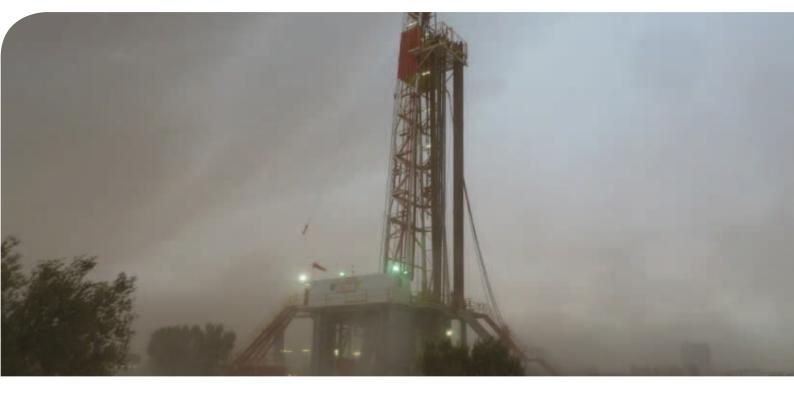
Onshore Tunisian operations dominated our work effort in 2011 and 2012. All operations were handled with care and we were able to overcome massive operational problems during the Tunisian revolution and its aftermath. Thanks to our hands on crisis management all our employees and contractors, in the end, were able to return home safely. However, cost increases were inevitable as activities were delayed for long periods of time or were halted altogether.

The global economic climate was dominated by the European debt crisis in the not so amusing form of a Greek drama. Events after year end seem to have calmed the market hysteria. The effects of the Arab revolution, especially the shutdown of Libyan production, drove the oil price up which was helped by a mild embargo on Iranian oil sales.

Global energy market forecasts for the next 25 years show a continued oil consumption growth and a continued shift towards natural gas. The growth in world oil consumption is expected to be entirely due to continued growth in emerging economies. A geographic shift is predicted for production and consumption; to Asia for consumption and to Middle East OPEC for production.

Our industry will be the key to deliver the energy required for continued economic development and global growth. Nevertheless it will remain a difficult challenge to solve the energy needs of billions of people who dream of better lives as well as delivering that in a way that is sustainable and secure.

ADX has followed its strategy of maintaining operatorship of all assets as well as conservative handling of our financial resources. Successful farmouts in previous years have provided the majority of our funding.



The excellent opportunities available to ADX will, I trust, allow us to regain and retain the confidence of our shareholders.

Looking forward we are preparing for fully funded seismic and drilling activities onshore Romania next year. The Sicily channel farmout data room is open and operational. In addition we plan to farm down our interest in the onshore Chorbane permit in return for funding of a seismic program.

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# **REVIEW OF ACTIVITIES**

In the Sicily Channel licenses offshore Tunisia and Italy (Kerkouane and Pantelleria) Sales and Purchase Agreements were executed to buy back a 10% interest in the Lambouka prospect area from PharmAust Limited and a 20% interest from Carnavale Resources Limited. ADX holds now a 60% interest in the Kerkouane permit, including the Lambouka Prospect Area.

The two projects Dougga and Lambouka provide a material appraisal and development opportunity for ADX. Regaining these interests provides ADX with a consistent interest throughout the Kerkouane and Pantelleria permits.

Following a competent person's report completed by TRACS-AGR ("Tracs") in March 2011 further work has been completed to quantify the total resource and additional exploration potential of the permits.

An independent review by ISIS, a highly reputable resource certification company based in Perth, has confirmed the geo technical work done by ADX and that the Dougga gas condensate field is a potentially viable resource. The planned Dougga appraisal well is an important next step to confirm its commercial potential. Farm out activities for the Sicily channel have commenced this quarter with a view to close the data room by end of 2012 and complete Farm out negotiations soon thereafter.

In addition to technical risk reduction, ADX has also progressed discussion of the development framework for Dougga with the Tunisian authorities and has experienced encouraging support.

The intention is to improve the contractual arrangements so that required terms for possible reserve based lending as a prerequisite for the future development of the Dougga gas condensate field can be achieved.

The exploration well Sidi Dhaher-1, onshore Tunisia, had to be plugged and abandoned following an unsuccessful and very disappointing test in June 2012.

The Chorbane joint venture has successfully applied for and the Tunisian Authorities have approved a renewal of the Exploration license for the Chorbane permit by three years to the 12th of July 2015. The total commitment for the joint venture is to drill one well to 2500 meters.

After winning the bid in October 2010, ADX signed the concession agreement for the Romanian exploration permit EX-10 Parta with NAMR (National Agency of Mineral Resources) in January 2011. The governmental approval has not been received at year end but is expected within the next four months. The complex process of getting the document executed by all required Romanian ministers consecutively has, until now, prohibited us from getting all signatures.



ADX is routinely screening exploration, appraisal and development opportunities in the areas of interest.

A buy back of the interests of Caspian Oil & Gas Limited and Sibinga Petroleum Limited each having held a 20% interest in the Joint Venture in Romania was concluded in February 2012. The transactions repositioned ADX as the operator and 100% interest holder in the Parta concession and eleven prospecting permits.

In May 2012 a farmin agreement was signed with RAG (Rohöl-Aufsuchungs Aktiengesellschaft) to earn 50% interest in the Parta Permit upon a payment in lieu of past costs and a payment of a promoted share of future costs prior to the commencement of seismic operations. The forward work commitment for the Parta Permit requires the acquisition of 2D and 3D seismic and the drilling of two exploration wells. ADX will retain a 50% interest and operatorship.

This is an important step for ADX to begin another joint venture partnership with a financially and technically capable company such as RAG. ADX has been able to leverage its material equity position and secure funding to undertake modern 3D and 2D seismic during 2012 with a view to drilling exploration wells as soon as practicably possible. This transaction positions ADX as the operator of a strong joint venture in the very prospective Parta concession.

Since the contract for seismic operations has been tendered, bid and negotiated, it is expected that operations will commence within a month after the government has ratified the concession agreement.

# **NEW VENTURES**

ADX is routinely screening exploration, appraisal and development opportunities in the areas of interest. Of special importance and interest is our new focus on the Caspian Basin where we believe a particularly valuable oil field redevelopment opportunity could become available for our company.

# **ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE**

ADX continued to maintain small offices in Vienna, Tunis and Bucharest in addition to its headquarters in Perth for reasons of operational efficiency and to take advantage of the opportunities available in Eastern Europe and the Mediterranean areas.

Wolfgang Zimmer



ADX has continued to leverage on its 3D seismic investment and identify and further mature large sized appraisal and exploration prospects.

# **TUNISIA AND ITALY**

# **KERKOUANE PERMIT, PANTELLERIA PERMIT**

REVIEW

Paul Fink, Technical Director

Kerkouane Permit, Pantelleria Permit Dougga, Dougga-West, Elissa, Lambouka (& Lambouka Deep)

Operator: ADX Energy Ltd

Interest: 60% interest in the Tunisian Kerkouane license, 100% in the Pantelleria License (Italy)

The ADX operated licenses are located in the offshore Sicily Channel between Tunisia's Cap Bon area and the island of Sicily, Italy (Figure 1). The area is proven to be hydrocarbon bearing but is still relatively underexplored. Following a large 3D seismic acquisition program and the Lambouka-1 well in 2010, ADX has continued to leverage on its 3D seismic investment and identify and further mature large sized appraisal and exploration prospects. As a result of the recent work on 3D seismic, a large sized portfolio of oil & condensate appraisal and exploration opportunities has emerged around the Dougga gas condensate field. Due to the close distance of the prospects we call this the "Dougga – Hub".

Following the 2010 independent Tracs review of the Dougga field, further reservoir engineering studies have been undertaken with a view to better understand and confirm the upside of the discovery as identified by ADX on 3D seismic. A third party 3D seismic and pressure data review has therefore been undertaken and independently confirmed the upside. With that ADX estimates that the upside contingent resources (3C) are in the order of 270 mmboe (out of which 142 mmbbls are liquids). In addition to technical risk reduction, ADX has also progressed discussion of the development framework for Dougga with the Tunisian authorities and has experienced encouraging support.

3D PROJECT NAME	STATUS	ML Resource [MMB0E]	FLUID
Dougga	Appraisal of contingent resources	173	gas condensate
Lambouka	Appraisal	52	Gas only, condensate potential not quantified, estimated at 24 mmbls
Lambouka - Deep	Drill Deeper - Exploration	126	gas condensate
Dougga West	Near Field Exploration	226	oil or gas condensate (resource given for oil case in Birsa)
Elissa	Exploration	616	Oil (Birsa or condensate (Abiod)
Total Covered by 3D Seismic	ł	1,193	

The "Dougga Hub" potential is now in the order of 1.2 billion barrels of oil equivalent (mean unrisked contingent and prospective resources, respectively). The table above summarizes the prospects covered by 3D seismic and the related resources for one prospective or proven reservoir interval.

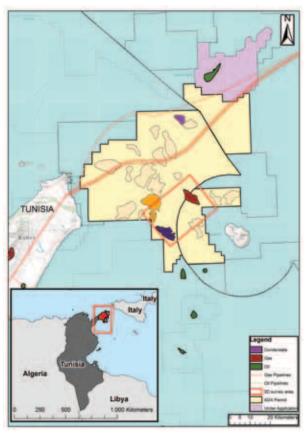
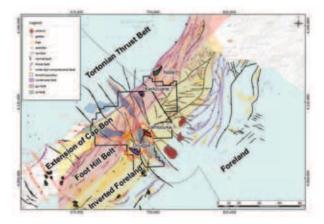
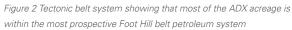


Figure 1 ADX licenses within the Sicily Channel





Four highly prospective structures have been mapped that are close to the Dougga condensate discovery, i.e. within a few kilometres tie-in distance and are covered with the ADX acquired Geostreamer 3D seismic. From a geological viewpoint they are located within a proven but underexplored tectonic trend of the offshore Sicily Channel, i.e. the so called foothills-belt and the inverted foreland, respectively. In contrast to the oil and gas discoveries just to the south offshore Tunisia which are geologically located in the so called foreland area, the position within the foothill belt and inverted foreland allows for much larger structures and hence potential hydrocarbon volumes (Figure 2).

3D seismic has allowed ADX to seismically map the potential of this area for the first time and significantly reduce appraisal and exploration risk from a structural definition viewpoint. During the year work has progressed on integrating 2D and 3D seismic, which also resulted in a large prospective resource upgrade of the Elissa prospect (Figure 3). ADX now estimates the mean resources of the

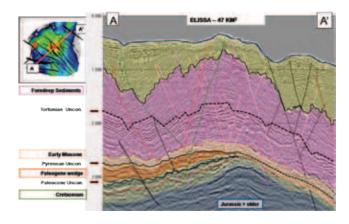


Figure 3 Elissa prospect

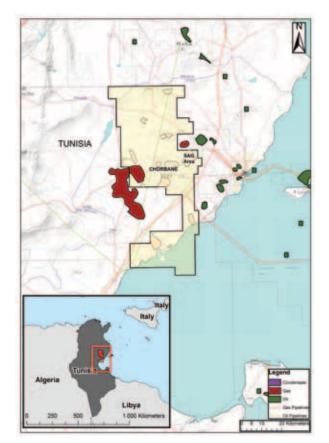
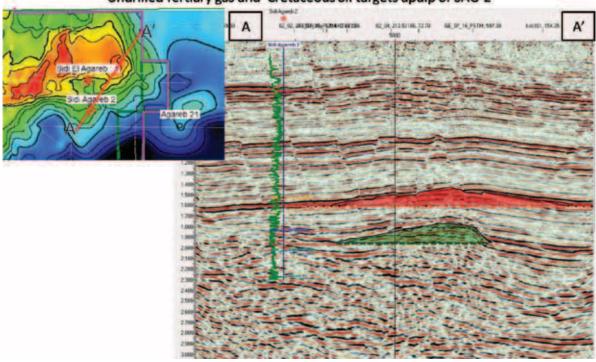


Figure 4 Chorbane permit in Tunisia

tertiary age Birsa reservoir to be 616 mmbls; the upside is in excess of one billion barrels. The 3D also allows imaging the deeper Cretaceous and Jurassic petroleum systems, which are structurally even larger in size, but more expensive to drill due to their target depths.

As can be seen from Figure 3, the 3D seismic covered area is however only a small part of the entire ADX acreage holding, where large parts of the proven and highly prospective foothill tectonic belt is currently only covered with mainly older vintage 2D seismic of variable quality. An exception is the 2D seismic which was acquired in the Kerkouane-1 well area by Shell (Shell Tunisia Offshore GmbH). While the in house reprocessing by Shell has improved the data quality compared to the 2011 fast track processing, it is now obvious that the dual sensor technology in combination with 3D can achieve much better data quality.



Undrilled Tertiary gas and Cretaceous oil targets updip of SAG-2

Figure 5 2D seismic over SAG oil & gas prospect area in Chorbane block, onshore Tunisia

The main operational activity in the license during the financial year was the safe and incident free drilling and completion of the Sidi Dhaher-1 well.

# CHORBANE PERMIT Operator: ADX Interest: 40%

ADX is the operator of the 2,438 km2 Chorbane permit which is located in central Tunisia (Figure 4). As part of the license renewal until July 2015 ADX has also proposed a 20% relinquishment to the Tunisian authorities. (The license area will then be approximately 1,850 km2 the exact outline still being subject to final discussion at the time of this report).

The main operational activity in the license during the financial year was the safe and incident free drilling and completion of the Sidi Dhaher-1 well. This was achieved despite ongoing difficulties with the local community in the aftermath of the Arab Spring revolution and the resulting turmoil. ADX was the only operator undertaking drilling activities in a populated area during the revolution and shortly thereafter.

Following the interpretation of a possible oil column based on wireline log pressure data and the retrieval of an oil sample from a good quality reservoir in October 2011, ADX and its Joint Venture partners decided to test the Sidi Dhaher-1 well. In order to minimise testing costs the operation was undertaken with a smaller rig than the one used for drilling the initial well. Community related periods of no operation and rig contractor performance issues resulted in an unusually long delay between the initial well suspension and final well testing. Well test operations conducted in June 2012 did not result in a proven flow of oil. ADX interpretation based on the well test results and further fluid analysis work, are that due to the low oil saturations in combination with a possibly oil wet carbonate reservoir, the preferential flow during the test was mud filtrate and reservoir formation water rather than the oil present in the reservoir. This meant the well was effectively cutting 100% water and no oil was reaching the well bore. Without any detected oil cut reaching the well bore, it was decided that the well should be plugged and abandoned.

With the disappointing result for the Sidi-Dhaher prospect, located in the western most part of Chorbane, the exploration focus has now shifted to the eastern areas. Here a large sized, proven oil and gas generation area is present which has sourced several producing oil and gas fields close by. The area has excellent infrastructure that would allow relatively small discoveries to be commercial as well as simple and quick to develop.

Although the areas in the eastern part of the permit are low risk it is likely that additional seismic will be required to firm up drilling locations. Figure 5 shows such an example where some of the more recently acquired 2D seismic lines have shown that on a relatively good sized structure, previous wells which have encountered and flowed hydrocarbons were drilled in an unfavourable (downdip) structural position. During the reporting period ADX has identified a number of medium to low risk opportunities and intends to firm them up to drill ready status in the near future, if necessary with new seismic data in a still relatively under explored area.

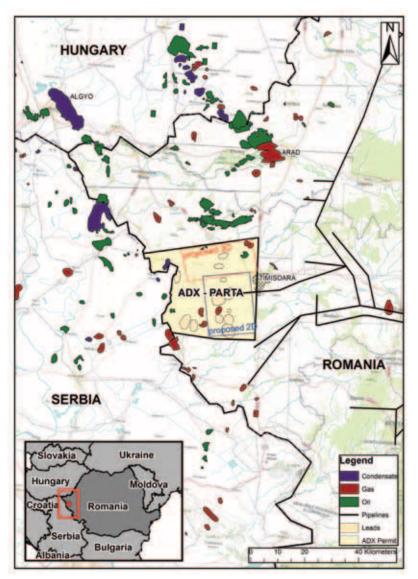


Figure 6 Parta block, Romania

Parta exploration program fully funded, currently awaiting license ratification.

# **ROMANIA**

# **ROMANIA PARTA EXPLORATION LICENSE**

# Operator: ADX Interest: 50%

The Parta block (Figure 6) covers an area of 1,221 km2 and is located in the oil & gas producing southern Pannonian basin of western Romania. The block extends over seven excised oil and gas fields but is considered underexplored. Significant Oil and Gas exploration activities in Parta essentially ceased with the fall of the Communist regimes in Romania in 1989.

ADX who was certified by the Romanian authorities as a qualified operator in 2010, successfully bid for the Parta block in the 10th licensing round and signed the concession agreement with NAMR (National Agency of Mineral Resources) in late January 2011. Due to a number of government changes in Romania the ratification of the license by the Prime Minister and government has been delayed. Despite this delay outside of its control, ADX has made good progress on several pre operation initiatives in the Parta license during the year:

- A competitive tendering process for the upcoming 2D and 3D seismic campaign has been completed and will be signed soon.
- Several new oil prospects have been added to the portfolio which will be the main focus of the 3D acquisition.
- Early in 2012 ADX has bought back its initial interest from two previous Joint Venture partners and was then able to leverage the 100% equity position through a 50% equity farmout to an incoming party later in May 2012. ADX remains the operator.
- The introduction via a farm out of a technically and financially capable partner. RAG (Rohoelaufsuchungsgesellschaft) is a very successful oil & gas operator in Central and Eastern Europe. The RAG farm in has secured full funding for the upcoming seismic campaign and the first well as well as a past cost contribution. ADX will continue to operate the block however RAG is expected to bring useful technical expertise and synergies to the Joint Venture resulting from its existing operations in a nearby license on the Hungarian side of the Pannonian basin.



Your Directors present their report for the year ended 30 June 2012. The names and particulars of the Directors of the Company in office during the financial year and up to the date of this report were as follows.

# DIRECTORS' INFORMATION



Ian Tcachos

B.Eng Grad Dip Chemical Eng Non Executive Chairman (appointed 2 March 2010)

Mr. Tchacos is a Petroleum Engineer with over 25 years international experience in corporate development and strategy, mergers and acquisitions, petroleum exploration development and production operations, commercial negotiation, oil and gas marketing and energy finance. He has a proven management track record in a range of international oil company environments. In his last appointment as Managing Director of Nexus Energy, he was responsible for Nexus' development from an onshore micro cap explorer to an ASX top 200 offshore producer and operator.

Other directorships of listed companies in the last three years: Nexus Energy Limited (until 21/12/2009), Australian Oil Company Limited and Riedel Resources Limited.



Wolfgang Zimmer

PhD - Geology and Petrology Executive Managing Director (Appointed 10 December 2007)

Dr Wolfgang Zimmer has over 30 years experience in the oil and gas Industry. He received a Ph.D from the University of Vienna in Geology and Petrology. His career began with Mobil Oil in Austria where he worked in Europe and the USA in the oil and gas E&P industry. In 1991 he joined OMV, the Austrian oil company, and fulfilled a variety of senior management roles for the next 15 years. He established OMV's Exploration and Production business in Australia and New Zealand and was its Managing Director for five years. Dr Zimmer has significant experience in North Africa having been the director of OMV's onshore and offshore production operations in Tunisia. In 2006 he joined Grove Energy, a Canadian and UK listed oil and gas explorer. As CEO he successfully merged Grove with another exploration company in 2007.

Other directorships of listed companies in the last three years: Riedel Resources Limited (until 30/6/2012).



Paul Fink

#### MSc (Geophysics) Executive Technical Director (Appointed 25 February 2008)

Mr Paul Fink is based in Vienna and has over 20 years of petroleum exploration and production industry experience in technical and management positions. Mr Fink is a graduate from the Mining University of Leoben, Austria. He started his career as a processing geophysicist and then worked predominantly on international exploration and development projects and assignments in Austria, Libya, Bulgaria, UK, Australia and finally in Pakistan as Exploration and Reservoir Manager for OMV. In 2005 he started his own petroleum consultancy business, which also allowed him to work on projects in Romania. Most recently he was working as the acting Vice President (Exploration) for Focus Energy, leading their highly successful exploration campaign in India, which included two discoveries, reserves certification, field development planning and successful petroleum licence bidding.

Other directorships of listed companies in the last three years: Nil.



Andrew Childs

Non Executive Director (Appointed 11 November 2009)

Mr Childs is currently Chairman of Australian Oil Company Limited, Non Executive Director of Jupiter Energy Limited and Non Executive Director of ADX Energy Ltd. He also sits on the Boards of a number of unlisted private and public companies including AIM listed Stratic Energy Corporation. Andrew graduated from the University of Otago, New Zealand in 1980 with a Bachelor of Science in Geology and Zoology. Having started his professional career as an Exploration Geologist in the Eastern Goldfields of Western Australia, Andrew moved to petroleum geology and geophysics with Perthbased Ranger Oil Australia (later renamed Petroz NL). He gained technical experience with Petroz as a Geoscientist and later commercial experience as the Commercial Assistant to the Managing Director. Andrew is a member of the Petroleum Exploration Society of Australia and the American Association of Petroleum Geologists.

Other directorships of listed companies in the last three years: Cougar Metals Limited (until 15/8/08); Australian Oil Company Limited and Riedel Resources Limited (current).



# COMPANY SECRETARY



## **Peter Ironside**

B.Com, CA Company Secretary

Mr Ironside is a Chartered Accountant and business consultant with over 25 years experience in the exploration and mining industry. He has been a director and/or company secretary of several ASX listed companies. Mr Ironside brings a significant level of accounting, compliance and corporate governance experience to the Board, together with support in the areas of corporate initiatives and capital raisings. Mr Ironside has been a director of listed companies, Integra Mining Limited since 21 December 2000, and Zamanco Minerals Limited since 5 April 2007.

# KEY PEOPLE



## **Tim Stoll**

Dipl.-Ing. Drilling Engineering and Fluid Mining Operations Manager

Tim Stoll has over 10 years of technical, supervisory and management experience in oil and gas engineering. He received an engineering degree (Dipl.-Ing.) from the University of Mining and Technology, Freiberg, Germany. Tim started his career with the German independent operator Preussag Energie, which was later sold to Gaz de France to form the German exploration and production entity of GDF SUEZ. His roles in this company included operational positions in production and gas storage as well as the drilling engineer role. In 2009 he joined OMV PETROM as a Production Engineering Manager for the West-Romanian production district of Crisana-Banat, where he headed implementation of western oil well workover practice and modernization of production technology.



## **Kim Liew**

MBA, CPA Financial Controller

Ms Kim Liew is a Certified Practicing Accountant who holds an MBA from Curtin University in Perth, Western Australia. Ms Liew has over 15 years experience in the oil industry for both exploration and production companies, as well as the service and regulatory sectors. Ms Liew brings to ADX Energy Ltd, not only her experience in accounting, but also compliance and corporate governance experience. In 2003, Ms Liew held the position of Financial Controller at Rolls Royce Marine Australia Pty Ltd where she was responsible for all the financial and corporate affairs of the company in Australia.

# **MEETINGS OF DIRECTORS**

During the financial year, 5 meetings of directors were held. The number of meetings attended by each director during the year is as follows:

	<b>MEETINGS HELD</b>	<b>MEETINGS ATTENDED</b>
l Tchacos	5	5
W Zimmer	5	5
P Fink	5	5
A Childs	5	5

# DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN SHARES AND OPTIONS

The following table sets out each director's relevant interest in shares and options in shares of the Company as at the date of this report.

NAME OF DIRECTOR	NUMBER OF SHARES	NUMBER OF OPTIONS
l Tchacos	3,859,429	6,000,000
W Zimmer	8,860,746	6,000,000
P Fink	1,940,000	3,600,000
A Childs	11,259,869	3,600,000

# **CORPORATE INFORMATION**

# **CORPORATE STRUCTURE**

ADX Energy Ltd is a limited liability company that is incorporated and domiciled in Australia. ADX Energy Ltd has prepared a consolidated financial report incorporating the entities that it controlled during the financial year as follows:

ADX Energy Ltd	parent entity
Alpine Oil & Gas Pty Ltd	100% owned Australian
	controlled entity
AuDAX Energy GmbH	100% owned Austrian
	controlled entity
AuDAX Energy Srl	100% owned Italian
	controlled entity
Bull Petroleum Pty Ltd	100% owned Australian
	controlled entity

# **PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY**

The principal activities of the Group during the year were oil and gas exploration. There were no significant changes in the nature of the principal activities during the year.

# **FINANCIAL SUMMARY**

The net loss of the Group for the year, after provision for income tax, amounted to \$13,142,000 (2011: loss of \$5,837,000).

# Summary of financial position

ADX's cash reserves at 30 June 2012 were \$ 500,000 (June 2011: \$783,000). During the year, the major source of funding was via a successful placement in November 2011 of 23.8 million shares to institutions and sophisticated investors at an issue price of 8 cents per share raising gross proceeds of \$1,915,000. In December 2011, ADX also successfully completed a Share Purchase Plan with 3.375 million shares issued at an issue price of 8 cents per share raising gross proceeds of \$270,000.

The Group continued to invest significantly in oil and gas exploration with \$4,572,000 costs being incurred and capitalised during the year. A writedown of \$8,719,000 of deferred exploration related primarily to the Pantelleria prospect area and the Chorbane prospect area. An impairment of \$2,000,000 was also booked on the Company's investment in its' associate, Riedel Resources Ltd.

## Summary of other significant transactions

 In the Sicily Channel licenses offshore Tunisia and Italy (Kerkouane and Pantelleria) a Sale and Purchase Agreement was executed to buy back a further 10% interest in the Lambouka prospect area from PharmAust Limited (PAA) and a 20% interest from Carnavale Resources Limited (CAV). ADX holds now a 60% interest in the Kerkouane permit including the Lambouka Prospect Area.

CAV paid US\$ 765,000 to ADX as a condition of the deal as reimbursement for past joint venture costs. As consideration for the interest, ADX issued 11,172,535 ordinary shares, approximately 70% of which are subject to phased escrow provisions. In the event that production is derived from a development of the Lambouka-1 well discovery, ADX will additionally pay two production payments of US\$1 million each, after 6 and 12 months continuous production respectively.

ADX issued 1,000,000 ordinary shares as consideration for the interest from PAA and also forgave PAA for outstanding past joint venture costs totaling \$400,473. PAA paid ADX US\$ 50,000 in cash as part of the agreement.

- In Romania, a buy back of the interests of Caspian Oil & Gas Limited and Sibinga Petroleum Limited each having held a 20% interest in the Joint Venture in Romania was completed successfully. The transactions reposition ADX as the operator and 100% interest holder in the Parta concession and eleven prospecting permits. ADX has received considerable third party interest for participation in this prospective acreage from larger European companies. The consideration for acquiring these companies interests is the reimbursement by ADX to each company for past joint venture contributions (a total of euro 673,243 (approximately A\$865,000).
- A farm in agreement was executed between ADX and Rohoelaufsuchungsgesellschaft ('RAG') in May 2012 in relation to ADX's Parta licence ("Parta Permit") in Romania. ADX will retain operatorship and a 50% interest. Total funding from RAG will be 3.1 million Euros.



# **OPERATIONS REVIEW**

Refer to the Operations Review preceding this report.

# **DIVIDENDS**

No dividends were paid or declared during the year. The Directors do not recommend payment of a dividend.

# SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN THE STATE OF AFFAIRS

Significant changes in the state of affairs of the Company during the financial year are detailed in the Operations Review and Financial Summary in this report.

# **FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS**

The Company intends to continue its exploration programme on its existing permits, and to acquire further suitable permits for exploration and development. Additional comments on likely developments are included in the Operations Review.

# **ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES**

The Company's environmental obligations are regulated by the laws of the countries in which ADX has operations. The Company has a policy to either meet or where possible, exceed its environmental obligations. No environmental breaches have been notified by any governmental agency as at the date of this report.

# **REMUNERATION REPORT (AUDITED)**

This report details the nature and amount of remuneration for each Director and Executive of ADX Energy Ltd. The information provided in the remuneration report includes remuneration disclosures that are audited as required by section 308(3C) of the Corporations Act 2001.

For the purposes of this report key management personnel of the Group are defined as those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the major activities of the Group, directly or indirectly, including any Director (whether Executive or otherwise).

For the purposes of this report the term "Executive" includes those key management personnel who are not directors.

## Remuneration Committee

Due to the limited size of the Company and of its operations and financial affairs, the use of a separate remuneration committee is not considered efficient for ADX. The Board has taken a view that the full Board will hold special meetings or sessions as required. The Board are confident that this process for determining remuneration is stringent and full details of remuneration policies and payments are provided to shareholders in the annual report and on the web. The Board has adopted the following policies for Directors' and executives' remuneration.

# A. PRINCIPLES USED TO DETERMINE THE NATURE AND AMOUNT OF REMUNERATION

## Remuneration Philosophy

The performance of the Company depends upon the quality of its Directors and Executives. To prosper, the Company must attract, motivate and retain highly skilled Directors and Executives.

To this end, the Company embodies the following principles in its remuneration framework:

- provide competitive rewards to attract high calibre Executives;
- link Executive rewards to shareholder value; and
- establish appropriate, demanding performance hurdles in relation to variable Executive remuneration.

# Remuneration structure

In accordance with best practice corporate governance, the structure of non-executive director and executive compensation is separate and distinct.

#### Non-Executive directors' remuneration

# Objective

The Board seeks to set aggregate remuneration at a level which provides the Company with the ability to attract and retain Directors of the highest calibre, whilst incurring a cost which is acceptable to shareholders.



## Structure

Non-executive Directors' fees are paid within an aggregate limit which is approved by the shareholders from time to time. Retirement payments, if any, are agreed to be determined in accordance with the rules set out in the Corporations Act as at the time of the Director's retirement or termination. Non-executive Directors' remuneration may include an incentive portion consisting of bonuses and/or options, as considered appropriate by the Board, which may be subject to shareholder approval in accordance with ASX listing rules. The option incentive portion is targeted to add to shareholder value by having a strike price considerably greater than the market price at the time of granting.

The amount of aggregate remuneration sought to be approved by shareholders and the manner in which it is apportioned amongst Directors is reviewed annually. The Board considers the amount of Director fees being paid by comparable companies with similar responsibilities and the experience of the Non-executive Directors when undertaking the annual review process.

# **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REMUNERATION**

#### Objective

The Company aims to reward Executives with a level and mix of remuneration commensurate with their position and responsibilities within the Company and so as to:

- reward Executives for company, and individual performance;
- ensure continued availability of experienced and effective management; and
- ensure total remuneration is competitive by market standards.

## Structure

In determining the level and make-up of Executive remuneration, the Board negotiates a remuneration to reflect the market salary for a position and individual of comparable responsibility and experience. Due to the limited size of the Company and of its operations and financial affairs, the use of a separate remuneration committee is not considered appropriate. Remuneration is regularly compared with the external market by participation in industry salary surveys and during recruitment activities generally. If required, the Board may engage an external consultant to provide independent advice in the form of a written report detailing market levels of remuneration for comparable Executive roles. Remuneration consists of a fixed remuneration and a long term incentive portion as considered appropriate.

## Fixed Remuneration - Objective

The level of fixed remuneration is set so as to provide a base level of remuneration which is both appropriate to the position and is competitive in the market. Fixed remuneration is reviewed annually by the Board and the process consists of a review of Company and individual performance, and relevant comparative remuneration in the market. As noted above, the Board may engage an external consultant to provide independent advice.

#### Fixed Remuneration - Structure

The fixed remuneration is a base salary or monthly consulting fee.

#### Variable Pay — Long Term Incentives - Objective

The objective of long term incentives is to reward Executives in a manner which aligns this element of remuneration with the creation of shareholder wealth. The incentive portion is payable based upon attainment of objectives related to the Executive's job responsibilities. The objectives vary, but all are targeted to relate directly to the Company's business and financial performance and thus to shareholder value.

# Variable Pay — Long Term Incentives – Structure

Long term incentives granted to Executives are delivered in the form of options. The option incentives granted are aimed to motivate Executives to pursue the long term growth and success of the Company within an appropriate control framework and demonstrate a clear relationship between key Executive performance and remuneration. Director options are granted at the discretion of the Board and approved by shareholders. Other key management employees may be granted options under ADX's employee incentive scheme. Performance hurdles are not attached to vesting periods, however the Board determines appropriate vesting periods to provide rewards over a period of time to key management personnel.

During 2012 there were no performance related payments made.



# **B. SERVICE AGREEMENTS**

On appointment to the board, all non-executive directors enter into a service agreement with the company in the form of a letter of appointment. The letter summarises the board policies and terms, including compensation, relevant to the office of director.

Remuneration and other terms of employment for the executive directors and the other key management personnel are also formalised in service agreements. The major provisions of the agreements relating to remuneration are set out below.

NAME	TERM OF AGREEMENT	BASE SALARY EXCLUDING SUPERANNUATION AT 30/6/12	TERMINATION BENEFIT	
I Tchacos – Chairman – Director's Fee	Commencing 2 March 2010 and continues whilst a director	\$50,000	None	
Tchacos – Chairman - Consultancy Fee	No current contract	\$1,500 per day	None	
W Zimmer – Managing Director – Director's Fee	Commencing 23 August 2010 and continues whilst a director		None	
W Zimmer – Managing Director – Consultancy <sup>F</sup> ee	Term of 3 years commencing 1 February 2010	\$295,000	*	
P Fink – Technical Director - Consultancy Fee	Term of 3 years commencing 15 January 2011	\$250,000	*	
P Fink – Technical Director – Director's Fee	Commencing 9 September 2010 and continues whilst a director	\$30,000	None	
A Childs – Non-executive Director	Commencing 1 May 2010 and continues whilst a director	\$40,000	None	
P Ironside – Company Secretary	Ongoing	\$36,000	None	
* Termination benefits are payable on early termination	as follows:			
EVENT	NOTICE PERIOD	PAYMENT IN LIEU 0	F NOTICE	
Termination for serious misconduct	None	None		

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Termination for serious misconduct	None	None	
Employee initiated termination	3 months	3 months	
Termination due to specified events	1 month	1 month	
ADX initiated termination – I Tchacos	3 months plus 3 months payable	6 months	
ADX initiated termination – W Zimmer	3 months plus 9 months payable	12 months	
ADX initiated termination – P Fink	3 months	3 months	

# **C. DETAILS OF REMUNERATION**

# Directors

The following persons were Directors of ADX Energy Ltd during the financial year:

lan Tchacos	Non-Executive Chairman
Wolfgang Zimmer	Managing Director
Paul Fink	Technical Director
Andrew Childs	Non-Executive Director

# Other Key Management Personnel (employees and consultants)

Peter Ironside	Company Secretary
Paul Ford	Finance Manager Resigned 6 January 2012

There were no other persons that fulfilled the role of a key management person, other than those disclosed as Directors.

# Remuneration of Key Management Personnel

Details of the remuneration of each Director and named executive officer of the Company, including their personally-related entities, during the year was as follows:

			POST EMPLOYMENT		SHARE BASED		
	YEAR	CASH SALARY, DIRECTORS FEES AND CONSULTING FEES \$	SUPERANNUATION \$	TOTAL CASH \$	OPTIONS (1) \$	TOTAL INCLUDING SHARE BASED PAYMENTS \$	REMUNERATION CONSISTING OF OPTIONS DURING THE YEAR %
Directors							
l Tchacos	2012	83,341	5,505	88,846	275,200	364,046	75.6%
	2011	174,808	5,505	180,313	330,240	510,553	64.7%
W Zimmer	2012	339,020		339,020	275,200	614,220	44.8%
	2011	346,155	-	346,155	354,990	701,145	50.6%
P Fink	2012	279,996		279,996	165,120	445,116	37.1%
	2011	275,000	-	275,000	215,469	490,469	43.9%
A Childs	2012	36,400	3,276	39,676	165,120	204,796	80.6%
	2011	94,400	3,276	97,676	215,469	313,145	68.8%
Other Key	Manager	nent Personnel					
P Ironside	2012	36,000		36,000	59,119	95,119	62.2%
	2011	36,000	_	36,000	86,665	122,665	70.7%
P Ford <sup>(2)</sup>	2012	123,436	10,281	133,717	-	133,717	-
	2011	77,564	5,445	83,009	10,971	93,980	11.7%

(1) Share based payments - options. These represent the amount expensed in the period for options granted in the current year and/or in prior years.

(²) Appointed February 2011, resigned 6 January 2012.

There were no performance related payments made during the year. Performance hurdles are not attached to remuneration options, however the Board determines appropriate vesting periods to provide rewards over a period of time to key management personnel.

# **D. SHARE-BASED COMPENSATION**

The following options were granted as equity compensation benefits to Directors and other Key Management Personnel during the year. The options were issued free of charge. Each option entitles the holder to subscribe for one fully paid ordinary share in the Company at various exercise prices with various expiry dates.

	TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF EACH GRANT						
	NUMBER OF GRANTED OPTIONS FOR YEAR THAT VESTED DURING YEAR	GRANTED NUMBER	GRANT DATE	VALUE PER OPTION AT GRANT DATE \$	EXERCISE PRICE \$	FIRST EXERCISE DATE	LAST EXERCISE DATE
2012 Directors							
None							
Other Key M	anagement Personne	el					
TOTAL	-	-					
2011 Directors							
None							
Other Key M	anagement Personne	el					
P Ironside	-	625,000	5/07/2010	0.1612	0.25	01/05/2012	31/12/2012
P Ford	-	2,000,000	25/02/2011	0.0288	0.25	01/12/2012	31/07/2013
TOTAL	-	2,625,000					

The Black-Scholes Option Pricing Model was used to value the options issued as share-based payments. Refer to note 21 'Share based payments' in the notes to the financial statements for variables used in the models.

During the year, 4,350,000 key management personnel options lapsed (2011: 4,550,000), and 2,000,000 (2011: nil) were forfeited upon resignation.

#### Shares issued to Key Management Personnel on exercise of compensation option

During 2012, there were no compensation options exercised by Directors or other Key Management Personnel (2011: nil).

End of Remuneration Report.

# INDEMNIFICATION AND INSURANCE OF OFFICERS

The Company has paid a premium to insure the Directors and Officers of the Company and its controlled entities. Details of the premium are subject to a confidentiality clause under the contract of insurance.

The liabilities insured are costs and expenses that may be incurred in defending civil or criminal proceedings that may be brought against the officers in their capacity as officers of entities in the group.

# **SHARES UNDER OPTION**

Unissued ordinary shares of the Company under option at the date of this report are as follows:

	NUMBER	ISSUE PRICE OF SHARES	EXERCISE DATE
Unlisted Options	1,000,000	30 cents	Between 30/06/2012 and 01/07/2013
Unlisted Options	21,200,000	25 cents	Between 1/05/2012 and 31/12/2012
Unlisted Options	2,000,000	25 cents	Between 1/07/2013 and 28/02/2014
	24,200,000		

No option holder has any right under the options to participate in any other share issue of the Company or any other related entity. No share options were exercised by employees or Key Management Personnel during the year.

# **SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

The following events occurred after 30 June 2012:

1. On 22 August 2012, ADX successfully completed a placement to sophisticated investors of 47,058,825 new shares at 1.7 cents per share to raise \$800,000 before costs.

There are no other matters or circumstances that have arisen since 30 June 2012 that have or may significantly affect the operations, results, or state of affairs of the Group in future financial years.

# **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

In recognising the need for the highest standards of corporate behaviour and accountability, the Directors of ADX Energy Ltd support and adhere to the principles of corporate governance. The Company's Corporate Governance Statement is contained in this annual report.

# ROUNDING

The amounts contained in this report and in the financial report have been rounded to the nearest \$1,000 (where rounding is applicable) under the option available to the Company under ASIC Class Order 98/0100. The Company is an entity to which the Class Order applies.

# AUDIT INDEPENDENCE AND NON-AUDIT SERVICES

## Auditors' independence - section 307C

The following is a copy of a letter received from the Company's auditors:

#### "Dear Sirs,

In accordance with Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 (the "Act") I hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief there have been:

i) no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the Act in relation to the audit of the 30 June 2012 financial statements; and

ii) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

#### Graham Swan (Lead Auditor)

Rothsay Chartered Accountants"

The Company's auditors received, or are due to receive, the following amounts for the provision of audit and non-audit services.

## Auditors' remuneration

- auditing the accounts

\$

46,500

The Board is satisfied that the provision of non-audit services is compatible with the general standard of independence for auditors imposed by the Corporations Act 2001.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of Directors.

Wolfgang Zimmer Managing Director Dated this 28th day of September 2012



This statement outlines the main corporate governance practices that were in place for the financial year. These corporate governance practices comply with the ASX Corporate Governance Council recommendations unless otherwise stated.

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS** 

The Board operates in accordance with the broad principles set out in its charter, which is available from the corporate governance information section of the Company website at www.adxenergy.com.au.

# **ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE BOARD**

The Board is responsible for ensuring that the Company is managed in a manner which protects and enhances the interests of its shareholders and takes into account the interests of all stakeholders. This includes setting the strategic directions for the company, establishing goals for management and monitoring the achievement of these goals.

A summary of the key responsibilities of the Board include:

- Strategy Providing strategic guidance to the Group, including contributing to the development of and approving the corporate strategy;
- Financial performance Approving budgets, monitoring management and financial performance;
- 3. **Financial reporting and audits** Monitoring financial performance including approval of the annual and half-year financial reports and liaison with the external auditors;
- 4. Leadership selection and performance Appointment, performance assessment and removal of the Managing Director. Ratifying the appointment and/or removal of other senior management, including the Company Secretary and other Board members;
- Remuneration Management of the remuneration and reward systems and structures for Executive management and staff;
- Risk management Ensuring that appropriate risk management systems and internal controls are in place; and

 Relationships with the exchanges, regulators and continuous disclosure - Ensuring that the capital markets are kept informed of all relevant and material matters and ensuring effective communications with shareholders.

The Board has delegated to management responsibility for:

- Strategies Assisting in developing and implementing corporate strategies and making recommendations where necessary;
- Leadership selection and performance Appointing management where applicable and setting terms of appointment and evaluating performance;
- Budgets Developing the annual budget and managing day-to-day operations within budget;
- Risk Management Maintaining risk management frameworks; and
- Communication Keeping the Board and market informed of material events.

# **COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD**

The names, skills, experiences and period of office of the Directors of the Company in office at the date of this Statement are set out in the Director's Report.

The composition of the Board is determined using the following principles:

- Persons nominated as Non-executive Directors shall be expected to have qualifications, experience and expertise of benefit to the Company and to bring an independent view to the Board's deliberations. Persons nominated as Executive Directors must be of sufficient stature and security of employment to express independent views on any matter.
- The Chairperson should ideally be independent, but in any case be Non-executive and be elected by the Board based on his/her suitability for the position.



- The roles of Chairperson and Managing Director should not be held by the same individual.
- All Non-executive Directors are expected voluntarily to review their membership of the Board from time-to-time taking into account length of service, age, qualifications and expertise relevant to the Company's then current policy and programme, together with the other criteria considered desirable for composition of a balanced board and the overall interests of the Company.
- The Company considers that the Board should have at least three Directors (minimum required under the Company's Constitution) and to have a majority of independent Directors but acknowledges that this may not be possible at all times due to the size of the Company. Currently the Board has four Directors, with only Mr Ian Tchacos and Mr Andrew Childs as independent. The number of Directors is maintained at a level which will enable effective spreading of workload and efficient decision making.

The Board has accepted the following definition of an independent Director:

"An independent Director is a Director who is not a member of management (a Non-executive Director) and who:

- is not a substantial shareholder of the Company or an officer of, or otherwise associated, directly or indirectly, with a substantial shareholder of the Company;
- has not within the last three years been employed in an Executive capacity by the Company or another group member, or been a Director after ceasing to hold any such employment;
- is not a principal of a professional adviser to the Company or another group member;
- is not a significant consultant, supplier or customer of the Company or another group member, or an officer of or otherwise associated, directly or indirectly, with a significant consultant, supplier or customer;
- has no significant contractual relationship with the Company or another group member other than as a Director of the Company;

- has not served on the Board for a period which could, or could reasonably be perceived to, materially interfere with the Director's ability to act in the best interests of the Company; and
- is free from any interest and any business or other relationship which could, or could reasonably be perceived to, materially interfere with the Director's ability to act in the best interests of the Company."

ADX considers a significant consultant, supplier or customer to be material if the total of their annual invoices amounts to more than 5% of the Company's total expenditure in that category.

# INDEPENDENT PROFESSIONAL ADVICE AND ACCESS TO COMPANY INFORMATION

Each Director has the right of access to all relevant Company information and to the Company's Executives and, subject to prior consultation with the Chairperson, may seek independent professional advice at the Company's expense. A copy of advice received by the Director is made available to all other members of the Board.

# NOMINATION COMMITTEE / APPOINTMENT OF NEW DIRECTORS

Because of the size of the Company and the size of the Board, the Directors do not believe it is appropriate to establish a separate Nomination Committee. The Board has taken a view that the full Board will hold special meetings or sessions as required. The Board are confident that this process for selection and review is stringent and full details of all Directors are provided to shareholders in the annual report and on the web.

The composition of the Board is reviewed on an annual basis to ensure the Board has the appropriate mix of expertise and experience. Where a vacancy exists, through whatever cause, or where it is considered that the Board would benefit from the services of a new Director with particular skills, the Board determines the selection criteria for the position based on the skills deemed necessary for the Board to best carry out its responsibilities and then appoints the most suitable candidate who must stand for election at the next general meeting of shareholders.



# **TERM OF OFFICE**

Under the Company's Constitution, the minimum number of Directors is three. At each Annual General Meeting, one third of the Directors (excluding the Managing Director) must resign, with Directors resigning by rotation based on the date of their appointment. Directors resigning by rotation may offer themselves for re-election.

# PERFORMANCE OF DIRECTORS AND MANAGING DIRECTOR

The performance of all Directors, the Board as a whole and the Managing Director is reviewed annually.

The Board meets once a year with the specific purpose of conducting a review of its composition and performance. This review includes:

- Determining the appropriate balance of skills and experience required to suit the Company's current and future strategies;
- Comparing the requirements above against the skills and experience of current Directors and Executives;
- Assessing the independence of each Director;
- Measuring the contribution and performance of each Director;
- Assessing any education requirements or opportunities; and
- Recommending any changes to Board procedures, Committees or the Board composition.

A review was undertaken during the year ended 30 June 2012.

# PERFORMANCE OF SENIOR EXECUTIVES

The Board meets at least annually to review the performance of senior Executives, considerations include the following:

- The performance of the senior Executive in supplying the Board with information in a form, timeframe and quality that enables the Board to effectively discharge its duties;
- Feedback from other senior Executives; and
- Any particular concerns regarding the senior Executive.

There were no other senior executives (other than executive directors) during the year other than Mr Tim Stoll, Operations Manager, who was appointed in February 2012. No performance review has yet been undertaken due to this being a recent appointment.

# **CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

In accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 and the Company's constitution, Directors must keep the Board advised, on an ongoing basis, of any interest that could potentially conflict with those of the Company. Where the Board believes a significant conflict exists, the Director concerned does not receive the relevant Board papers and is not present at the Board meeting whilst the item is considered. Details of Directors related entity transactions with the Company and Group are set out in the related parties note in the financial statements.

# DIVERSITY

ADX recognises its talented and diverse workforce as a key competitive advantage, and is committed to workplace diversity. Diversity includes, but is not limited to, gender, age, ethnicity and cultural background.

ADX's Diversity Policy defines the initiatives which assist ADX with maintaining and improving the diversity of its workforce. In accordance with this policy and ASX Corporate Governance Principles, the Board has established the following objectives in relation to gender diversity. The aim is to achieve these objectives over the next 2 to 3 years as positions become vacant and appropriately skilled candidates are available:

# **PROPORTION OF WOMEN**

	ACTUAL	OBJECTIVE
Organisation as a whole	50%	50%
Executive Management Team	Nil	25%
Board	Nil	25%



# REMUNERATION

The performance of the Company depends upon the quality of its Directors and Executives. To prosper, the Company must attract, motivate and retain highly skilled Directors and Executives.

To this end, the Company embodies the following principles in its remuneration framework:

- Provide competitive rewards to attract high calibre Executives;
- · Link Executive rewards to shareholder value; and
- Establish appropriate performance hurdles in relation to variable Executive remuneration.

A full discussion of the Company's remuneration philosophy and framework and the remuneration received by Directors and Executives in the current period is included in the remuneration report, which is contained within the Report of the Directors.

There are no schemes for retirement benefits for Nonexecutive Directors, other than superannuation.

# **BOARD REMUNERATION COMMITTEE**

Due to the limited size of the Company and of its operations and financial affairs, the use of a separate remuneration committee is not considered efficient for ADX. The Board has taken a view that the full Board will hold special meetings or sessions as required. The Board are confident that this process for determining remuneration is stringent and full details of remuneration policies and payments are provided to shareholders in the remuneration report in the Directors Report and on the web.

# **RISK OVERSIGHT AND MANAGEMENT**

The Board is responsible for ensuring there are adequate policies in relation to risk management, compliance and internal control systems. In summary, the Company policies are designed to ensure strategic, operational, legal, reputation and financial risks are identified, assessed, effectively and efficiently managed and monitored to enable achievement of the Company's business objectives. A summary of the risks recognised by the Board can be found in the corporate governance information section of the Company website at www.adxenergy.com.au.

Considerable importance is placed on maintaining a strong control environment. The Board actively promotes a culture of quality and integrity.

Control procedures cover management accounting, financial reporting, compliance and other risk management issues.

The Board encourages management accountability for the Company's financial reports by ensuring ongoing financial reporting during the year to the Board. Annually, the Financial Controller and the Managing Director are required to state in writing to the Board that in all material respects:

Declaration required under s295A of the Corporations Act 2001 -

- the financial records of the Group for the financial year have been properly maintained;
- the financial statements and notes comply with the accounting standards;
- the financial statements and notes for the financial year give a true and fair view; and
- any other matters that are prescribed by the Corporations Act regulations as they relate to the financial statements and notes for the financial year are satisfied.

Additional declaration required as part of corporate governance -

• the risk management and internal compliance and control systems in relation to financial risks are sound, appropriate and operating efficiently and effectively.

These declarations were received for the June 2012 financial year.



# **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

Due to the limited size of the Company and of its operations and financial affairs, the use of a separate audit committee is not considered appropriate for ADX. In addition to management's accountability, the Board assures integrity of the financial statements by:

- (a) reviewing the Company's statutory financial statements to ensure the reliability of the financial information presented and compliance with current laws, relevant regulations and accounting standards;
- (b) monitoring compliance of the accounting records and procedures, in conjunction with the Company's auditor, on matters overseen by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission, Australian Stock Exchange Limited ("ASX") and Australian Taxation Office;
- (c) ensuring that management reporting procedures, and the system of internal control, are of a sufficient standard to provide timely, accurate and relevant information as a sound basis for management of the Group's business;
- (d) reviewing audit reports and management letters to ensure prompt action is taken by the Company's management; and
- (e) when required, nominating the external auditor and at least annually reviewing the external auditor in terms of their independence an d performance in relation to the adequacy of the scope and quality of the annual statutory audit and half-year review and the fees charged.

# **CODE OF CONDUCT**

The Company has developed a Code of Conduct (the Code) which has been fully endorsed by the Board and applies to all directors and employees. The Code is regularly reviewed and updated as necessary to ensure it reflects the highest standards of behaviour and professionalism and the practices necessary to maintain confidence in the Company's integrity.

The Code of Conduct embraces the values of:

- Integrity
- Excellence
- Commercial Discipline

The Board encourages all stakeholders to report unlawful/ unethical behaviour and actively promotes ethical behaviour and protection for those who report potential violations in good faith.

# TRADING IN ADX SECURITIES BY DIRECTORS, OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

The Board has adopted a specific policy in relation to Directors and officers, employees and other potential insiders buying and selling shares.

Directors, officers, consultants, management and other employees are prohibited from trading in the Company's shares, options and other securities if they are in possession of price-sensitive information.

The Company's Security Trading Policy is provided to each new employee as part of their induction training. ADX personnel must receive written approval prior to any dealing in ADX securities.

The Directors are satisfied that the Company has complied with its policies on ethical standards, including trading in securities.



# **MARKET DISCLOSURE POLICIES**

The Board has a Market Disclosure Policy to ensure the compliance of the Company with the various laws and ASX Listing Rule obligations in relation to disclosure of information to the market. The Managing Director is responsible for ensuring that all employees are familiar with and comply with the policy.

ADX is committed to:

- ensuring that shareholders and the market are provided with timely and balanced information about its activities;
- (b) complying with the general and continuous disclosure principles contained in the Australian Stock Exchange Limited ("ASX") Listing Rules and the Corporations Act 2001; and
- (c) ensuring that all market participants have equal opportunities to receive externally available information issued by ADX.

# **COMMUNICATION WITH SHAREHOLDERS**

The Company places significant importance on effective communication with shareholders.

Information is communicated to shareholders through the distribution of the annual and half yearly financial reports, quarterly reports on activities, announcements through the Australian Stock Exchange and the media, on the Company's web site and through the Chairman's address at the annual general meeting.

In addition, news announcements and other information are sent by email to all persons who have requested their name to be added to the email list. If requested, the Company will provide general information by email, facsimile or post.

The Company will, wherever practicable, take advantage of new technologies that provide greater opportunities for more effective communications with shareholders.

# **COMPANY WEBSITE**

ADX has made available details of all its corporate governance principles, which can be found in the corporate governance information section of the Company website at www.adxenergy.com.au.



# DIRECTORS' DECLARATION

- 1. In the opinion of the directors:
- (a) The financial statements and notes are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
  - i) giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 30 June 2012 and of its performance for the year then ended; and
  - ii) complying with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Corporations Regulations 2001; and
  - iii) complying with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as stated in note 1 of the financial statements; and
- (b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.
- 2. This declaration has been made after receiving the declarations required to be made to the directors in accordance with Section 295A of the Corporations Act 2001 for the financial year ended 30 June 2012.

This declaration is signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.

Wolfgang Zimmer Managing Director

Dated this 28th day of September 2012



# **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME**

	NOTE	CONSOLIDATED	
		2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000
Revenue and Income			
Interest revenue	2(a)	27	53
Gain on sale of subsidiary	2(a)	-	3,941
Other income	2(a)	7	36
		34	4,030
Expenses			
Administration and corporate expenses,			
net of recoveries from exploration projects	2(b)	1,611	2,468
Exploration expensed	2(b)	8,768	7,141
Impairment of investment in associate	12	2,000	-
Share of loss from associate	12	780	257
Other	2(b)	-	1
Total expenses		13,159	9,867
Loss before income tax		(13,125)	(5,837)
Income tax expense	3	(17)	-
Loss after income tax attributable to members of ADX Energy Ltd		(13,142)	(5,837)
Other comprehensive income/(loss)		(313)	(2,612)
Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations			
Income tax relating to items of other comprehensive income/(loss)		-	-
Other comprehensive income/(loss) for the period, net of tax		(313)	(2,612)
Total comprehensive loss for the period		(13,455)	(8,449)
		CENTS PER SHARE	CENTS PER SHARE
Basic earnings/(loss) per share	4	(3.10)	(1.57)



# CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

		CONSO		
	NOTE	2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000	
ASSETS				
Current Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	5	500	783	
Trade and other receivables	6	1,280	2,818	
Other financial assets at fair value	7	8	7	
nventories	9	110	-	
Total Current Assets	· ·	1,898	3,608	
Non-Current Assets				
Receivables	6	38	35	
Property, plant and equipment	10	209	119	
Deferred exploration expenditure	11	6,201	9,578	
nvestment in associate	12	2,010	4,743	
otal Non-Current Assets		8,458	14,475	
otal Assets		10,356	18,083	
LIABILITIES				
Current Liabilities				
rade and other payables	13	2,493	1,492	
Provisions	14	21	33	
otal Current Liabilities		2,514	1,525	
Non-Current Liabilities				
Frade and other payables	13	666	-	
fotal Non-Current Liabilities		666	-	
fotal Liabilities		3,180	1,525	
Net Assets		7,176	16,558	
Equity				
ssued capital	15	61,511	58,504	
leserves	16	3,688	2,935	
Accumulated losses		(58,023)	(44,881)	
otal Equity		7,176	16,558	

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY



# **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY**

	ISSUED CAPITAL \$'000	RESERVES \$'000	ACCUMULATED LOSSES \$'000	TOTAL EQUITY \$'000
At 1 July 2010	53,652	4,180	(39,044)	18,788
Profit/(loss) for the year	-	-	(5,837)	(5,837)
Other comprehensive income/(loss)	-	(2,612)	-	(2,612)
Total comprehensive loss for the period, net of tax	-	(2,612)	(5,837)	(8,449)
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:				
Issue of share capital	5,134	-	-	5,134
Cost of issue of share capital	(282)	-	-	(282)
Share based payments	-	1,367	-	1,367
	4,852	1,367	-	6,219
As at 30 June 2011	58,504	2,935	(44,881)	16,558
At 1 July 2011	58,504	2,935	(44,881)	16,558
Profit/(loss) for the year	-	-	(13,142)	(13,142)
Other comprehensive income/(loss)	-	(313)	-	(313)
Total comprehensive loss for the period, net of tax	-	(313)	(13,142)	(13,455)
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:				
Issue of share capital	3,112	-	-	3,112
Cost of issue of share capital	(105)	-	-	(105)
Share based payments	-	1,066	-	1,066
	3,077	1,066	-	4,073
As at 30 June 2012	61,511	3,688	(58,023)	7,176



# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

	NOTE	CONSOLIDATED	
		2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000
Cash flows from operating activities			
Receipts in the ordinary course of activities		130	80
Payments to suppliers and employees, including for exploration expensed		(1,019)	(1,754)
nterest received		27	53
ncome tax paid		(17)	-
Net cash flows used in operating activities	5(i)	(879)	(1,621)
Cash flows from investing activities			
Payments for plant and equipment		(92)	(53)
Proceeds from sale of exploration interest		-	1,096
Proceeds from farmout prepayment		696	1,381
Payments for exploration expenditure capitalised		(4,855)	(8,160)
ayments for bonds		-	(5)
Receipts from bonds		1,021	1,548
Payments made on behalf of joint venture partners and ventures		(1,177)	(1,732)
eceipts from exploration partners and ventures		2,808	1,091
Ither		-	262
let cash flows used in investing activities		(1,599)	(4,572)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from issue of shares and options		2,185	4,805
Payment of share issue costs		(106)	(80)
let cash flows from financing activities		2,079	4,725
let increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents held		(399)	(1,468)
let foreign exchange differences		116	(20)
Add opening cash and cash equivalents brought forward		783	2,271
Closing cash and cash equivalents carried forward	5	500	783

# NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

# (A) BASIS OF PREPARATION

The financial report is a general purpose financial report, which has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Corporations Act 2001, Australian Accounting Standards and authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board. The financial report has also been prepared on a historical cost basis with the exception of listed equity securities held for trading which have been measured at fair value.

The financial report is presented in Australian dollars, which is the group's presentation currency, and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand dollars (\$'000) unless otherwise stated. The Group is of a kind referred to in Class Order 98/0100, issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission, relating to the "rounding off" of amounts in the financial report. Amounts in the financial report have been rounded off in accordance with that class order to the nearest thousand dollars.

## Functional and presentation currency

Effective 1 April 2012, the functional currency of the parent entity changed to United States dollars. ADX has identified the US dollar as its functional currency for the following reasons:

- The majority of ADX's activities are supporting its subsidiaries and their joint ventures, primarily denominated in US dollars;
- A significant portion of ADX's assets (cash) are denominated in US dollars; and
- US dollars are the primary global currency used in the oil industry.

The presentation currency of the Group is Australian dollars.

#### Going concern

The Group has a net current asset deficiency of \$616,000 as at 30 June 2012. Subsequent to year end, ADX successfully raised \$800,000 (refer to note 25). Accordingly, the Directors believe that ADX can continue as a going concern and is able to realise its assets and extinguish its liabilities in the normal course of business.

# (B) STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

The financial report complies with Australian Accounting Standards and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

# (C) ADOPTION OF NEW AND REVISED STANDARDS

## Early adoption of accounting standards

The Group has not elected to apply any pronouncements before their operative date in the annual reporting period beginning 1 July 2011.

#### New and amended standards adopted by the Group

None of the new standards and amendments to standards that are mandatory for the first time for the financial year beginning 1 July 2011 affected any of the amounts recognised in the current period or any prior period and are not likely to affect future periods.

Certain new accounting standards and interpretations have been published that are not mandatory for 30 June 2012 reporting periods. The Group's assessment of the impact of these new standards and interpretations that may have an impact on the Group is set out below:

## AASB 11 Joint Arrangements (effective from 1 January 2013)

AASB 11 clarifies the accounting treatments for joint arrangements. There is no material impact for ADX.

## AASB 12 Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities (effective from 1 January 2013)

AASB 12 is a disclosure standard only which may require additional disclosures for interests in other entities, including joint arrangements.

## AASB 13 Fair Value Measurement (effective from 1 January 2013)

AASB 13 establishes a single framework for measuring fair value of financial and non-financial items. ADX has not yet made an assessment of the impact of these amendments.

#### AASB 2011-9 Presentation of Items of Other Comprehensive Income (effective from 1 July 2012)

When this standard is first adopted for the year ended 30 June 2013, there will be no impact on amounts recognised for transactions and balances for 30 June 2013 (and comparatives). However, the statement of comprehensive income will include name changes and include subtotals for items. Impact is disclosure only.

# NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

# AASB 119 Employee Benefits (effective from 1 January 2013)

AASB 19 includes amendments to the timing for recognition of liabilities for termination benefits. ADX currently calculates its liability for annual leave employee benefits on the basis that it is due to be settled within 12 months of the end of the reporting period because employees are entitled to use this leave at any time. The amendments require that such liabilities be calculated on the basis of when the leave is expected to be taken, i.e. expected settlement. ADX has not yet made an assessment of the impact of these amendments.

#### IAS 16 Property, Plant and Equipment (effective from 1 January 2013)

IAS 16 requires that items such as spare parts, stand-by or servicing equipment be classified as property, plant and equipment when they meet the definition of property, plant and equipment. Otherwise they are required to be classified as inventory. ADX will need to assess its inventory and reclassify relevant items, such as capital spares as plant and equipment. Cash outflows for relevant items will also be classified as investing activities rather than operating activities. ADX has not yet determined the quantum of the reclassifications.

## (D) SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS

#### Significant accounting judgments

In the process of applying the Group's accounting policies, management has made the following judgments, apart from those involving estimations, which have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements.

#### **Exploration assets**

The Group's accounting policy for exploration expenditure is set out at Note 1(m). The application of this policy necessarily requires management to make certain estimates and assumptions as to future events and circumstances. Any such estimates and assumptions may change as new information becomes available. If, after having capitalised expenditure under the policy, it is concluded that the expenditures are unlikely to be recovered by future exploitation or sale, then the relevant capitalised amount will be written off to the income statement.

#### Significant accounting estimates and assumptions

The carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities are often determined based on estimates and assumptions of future events. The key estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities within the next annual reporting period are:

#### Impairment of assets

In determining the recoverable amount of assets, in the absence of quoted market prices, estimations are made regarding the present value of future cash flows using asset-specific discount rates and the recoverable amount of the asset is determined. Value-in-use calculations performed in assessing recoverable amounts incorporate a number of key estimates.

#### Share-based payment transactions

The Group measures the cost of equity-settled transactions by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. The fair value is determined using a Black-Scholes model.

## **Commitments - Exploration**

The Group has certain minimum exploration commitments to maintain its right of tenure to exploration permits. These commitments require estimates of the cost to perform exploration work required under these permits.

# (E) BASIS OF CONSOLIDATION

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of ADX Energy Ltd ("Company" or "Parent Entity") and its subsidiaries as at 30 June each year (the Group).

The financial statements of the subsidiaries are prepared for the same period as the parent entity, using consistent accounting policies.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, all intercompany balances and transactions, income and expenses and profit and losses resulting from intra-group transactions have been eliminated in full. Subsidiaries are fully consolidated from the date on which control is transferred to the Group and cease to be consolidated from the date on which control is transferred out of the Group. Control exists where the company has the power to govern the financial and operating policies of an entity so as to obtain benefits from its activities.

The acquisition of subsidiaries has been accounted for using the purchase method of accounting. The purchase method of accounting involves allocating the cost of the business combination to the fair value of the assets acquired and the liabilities and contingent liabilities assumed at the date of acquisition. Accordingly, the consolidated financial statements include the results of subsidiaries for the period from their acquisition.

# NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

# (F) BUSINESS COMBINATIONS

The purchase method of accounting is used to account for all business combinations regardless of whether equity instruments or other assets are acquired. Cost is measured as the fair value of the assets given, shares issued or liabilities incurred or assumed at the date of exchange plus costs directly attributable to the combination. Where equity instruments are issued in a business combination, the fair value of the instruments is their published market price as at the date of exchange, adjusted for any conditions imposed on those shares. Transaction costs arising on the issue of equity instruments are recognised directly in equity.

All identifiable assets acquired and liabilities and contingent liabilities assumed in a business combination are measured initially at their fair values at the acquisition date. The excess of the cost of the business combination over the net fair value of the Group's share of the identifiable net assets acquired is recognised as goodwill. If the cost of acquisition is less than the Group's share of the net fair value of the identifiable net assets of the subsidiary, the difference is recognised as a gain in the income statement, but only after a reassessment of the identification and measurement of the net assets acquired.

# (G) FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSLATION

The presentation currency of ADX Energy Ltd Group is Australian Dollars. The functional currency of ADX Energy Ltd and its subsidiaries is United States Dollars, except for AuDAX Energy GmbH and Audax Energy srl whose functional currencies are euros.

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded in the functional currency at the exchange rates ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are converted at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date.

As at the reporting date the assets and liabilities of the subsidiaries are translated into the presentation currency of ADX Energy Ltd at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date and the income statements are translated at the weighted average exchange rates for the period.

The exchange differences arising on the retranslation are taken directly to a separate component of equity. On disposal of a foreign entity, the deferred cumulative amount recognised in equity relating to that particular foreign operation is recognised in the income statement.

# (H) INTEREST IN A JOINTLY CONTROLLED OPERATION

Interests in jointly controlled assets are reported in the financial statements by including the consolidated entity's share of assets employed in the Joint Ventures, the share of liabilities incurred in relation to the Joint Ventures and the share of any expenses and revenues in relation to the Joint Ventures in their respective categories.

## (I) CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash comprises cash at bank and in hand. Cash equivalents are short term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

For the purposes of the Cash Flow Statement, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and cash equivalents as described above, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

## (J) TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

Receivables are initially recognised at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost, less provision for doubtful debts. Current receivables for GST are due for settlement within 30 days and other current receivables within 12 months. Cash on deposit is not due for settlement until rights of tenure are forfeited or performance obligations are met.

## (K) INVENTORIES

Consumables and spares are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Any provision for obsolescence is determined by reference to specific stock items identified.

## (L) IMPAIRMENT OF FINANCIAL ASSETS

The Group assesses at each balance sheet date whether a financial asset or group of financial assets is impaired. If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss on loans and receivables carried at amortised cost has been incurred, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows (excluding future credit losses that have not been incurred) discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate (i.e. the effective interest rate computed at initial recognition). The carrying amount of the asset is reduced either directly or through use of an allowance account. The amount of the loss is recognised in profit or loss.

# (M) PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Property, plant and equipment is stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of the assets as follows:

#### Plant and equipment - 2 to 5 years

The assets' residual values, useful lives and amortisation methods are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each financial year end.

#### Disposal

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no further future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset) is included in profit or loss in the year the asset is derecognised.

# (N) EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION EXPENDITURE

Costs related to the acquisition of properties that contain resources are allocated separately to specific areas of interest. These costs are capitalised until the viability of the area of interest is determined.

Exploration and evaluation expenditure is stated at cost and is accumulated in respect of each identifiable area of interest.

Such costs are only carried forward to the extent that they are expected to be recouped through the successful development of the area of interest (or alternatively by its sale), or where activities in the area have not yet reached a stage which permits a reasonable assessment of the existence or otherwise of economically recoverable reserves, and active operations are continuing. Accumulated costs in relation to an abandoned area are written off to the income statement in the period in which the decision to abandon the area is made.

The Directors review the carrying value of each area of interest as at the balance date and any exploration expenditure which no longer satisfies the above policy is written off.

Once an area of interest enters the development phase, all capitalised acquisition, exploration and evaluation expenditures will be transferred to mineral development or oil and gas properties, as appropriate.

# (0) IMPAIRMENT OF NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS

The Group assesses at each reporting date whether there is an indication that an asset may be impaired. Where an indicator of impairment exists, the Group makes a formal estimate of recoverable amount. Where the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.

Recoverable amount is the greater of fair value less costs to sell and value in use. It is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset's value in use cannot be estimated to be close to its fair value less costs to sell and it does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or groups of assets, in which case, the recoverable amount is determined for the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset.

Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but only to the extent that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years.

# (P) INVESTMENTS AND OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS

Financial assets in the scope of AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement are classified as either financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, loans and receivables, held-to-maturity investments, or available-forsale investments, as appropriate. When financial assets are recognised initially, they are measured at fair value, plus, in the case of investments not at fair value through profit or loss, directly attributable transactions costs. The Group determines the classification of its financial assets after initial recognition and, when allowed and appropriate, re-evaluates this designation at each financial year-end.

All regular way purchases and sales of financial assets are recognised on the trade date, i.e. the date that the Group commits to purchase the asset. Regular way purchases or sales are purchases or sales of financial assets under contracts that require delivery of the assets within the period established generally by regulation or convention in the marketplace.

#### (i) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets classified as held for trading are included in the category 'financial assets at fair value through profit or loss'. Financial assets are classified as held for trading if they are acquired for the purpose of selling in the near term. Gains or losses on investments held for trading are recognised in profit or loss. The fair values of quoted investments are based on last trade prices. If the market for financial assets is not active (and for unlisted securities), the Company establishes fair value by using valuation techniques.

#### (ii) Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. Such assets are carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the loans and receivables are derecognised or impaired, as well as through the amortisation process.

# (0) INVESTMENT IN ASSOCIATE

The Group's investment in its associate is accounted for under the equity method of accounting in the consolidated financial statements. This is an entity in which the Group has significant influence and which is not a subsidiary.

The financial year of the associate is the same as the Group. Both use consistent accounting policies and financial information of the same reporting date has been used by the Group in applying the equity method.

Under the equity method, the investment in the associate is carried in the consolidated balance sheet at cost plus post acquisition changes in the Group's share of net assets of the associate, less any impairment in value. The consolidated income statement reflects the Group's share of the results of operations of the associate.

Where there has been a change recognised directly in the associate's equity, the Group recognises its share of any changes and discloses this, when applicable, in the consolidated statement of changes in equity.

# (R) INTANGIBLE ASSETS

Intangible assets acquired separately or in a business combination are initially measured at cost. The cost of an intangible asset acquired in a business combination is its fair value as at the date of acquisition. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and any accumulated impairment losses. Internally generated intangible assets, excluding capitalised development costs, are not capitalised and expenditure is recognised in profit or loss in the year in which the expenditure is incurred.

The useful lives of intangible assets are assessed to be either finite or indefinite. Intangible assets with finite lives are amortised over the useful life and tested for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired. The amortisation period and the amortisation method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life is reviewed at least at each financial year-end. Changes in the expected useful life or the expected pattern of consumption of future economic benefits embodied in the asset are accounted for prospectively by changing the amortisation period or method, as appropriate, which is a change in accounting estimate. The amortisation expense on intangible assets with finite lives is recognised in profit or loss in the expense category consistent with the function of the intangible asset.

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are tested for impairment annually either individually or at the cashgenerating unit level consistent with the methodology outlined for goodwill above. Such intangibles are not amortised. The useful life of an intangible asset with an indefinite life is reviewed each reporting period to determine whether indefinite life assessment continues to be supportable. If not, the change in the useful life assessment from indefinite to finite is accounted for as a change in an accounting estimate and is thus accounted for on a prospective basis.

#### (S) TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

Trade payables and other payables are carried at amortised costs and represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Group prior to the end of the financial year that are unpaid and arise when the Group becomes obliged to make future payments in respect of the purchase of these goods and services.

# (T) PROVISIONS

Provisions are recognised when the Group has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

#### (U) EMPLOYEE LEAVE BENEFITS

#### (i) Wages, salaries and, annual leave

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits and annual leave and expected to be settled within 12 months of the reporting date are recognised in other payables in respect of employees' services up to the reporting date. They are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled.

#### (ii) Long service leave

The liability for long service leave is recognised in the provision for employee benefits and measured as the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date using the projected unit credit method. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures, and period of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on national government bonds with terms to maturity and currencies that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

#### (V) ISSUED CAPITAL

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

#### (W) REVENUE RECOGNITION

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and the revenue can be reliably measured.

Interest revenue is recognised as it accrues, taking into account the effective yield on the financial asset.

#### (X) SHARE-BASED PAYMENT TRANSACTIONS

#### Equity settled transactions:

The Group provides benefits to executive directors, employees and consultants of the Group in the form of sharebased payments, whereby those individuals render services in exchange for shares or rights over shares (equity-settled transactions).

When provided, the cost of these equity-settled transactions with these individuals is measured by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. The fair value of options is determined using a Black-Scholes model.

In valuing equity-settled transactions, no account is taken of any performance conditions, other than conditions linked to the price of the shares of ADX Energy Ltd (market conditions) if applicable.

The cost of equity-settled transactions is recognised, together with a corresponding increase in equity, over the period in which the performance and/or service conditions are fulfilled, ending on the date on which the relevant individuals become fully entitled to the award (the vesting date).

The cumulative expense recognised for equity-settled transactions at each reporting date until vesting date reflects:

- the grant date fair value of the award;
- the extent to which the vesting period has expired; and
- the number of awards that, in the opinion of the Directors of the Group, will ultimately vest taking into account such factors as the likelihood of non-market performance conditions being met.
- This opinion is formed based on the best available information at balance date.
- No expense is recognised for awards that do not ultimately vest, except for awards where vesting is only
  conditional upon a market condition.

If an equity-settled award is cancelled, it is treated as if it had vested on the date of cancellation, and any expense not yet recognised for the award is recognised immediately. If an equity-settled award is forfeited, any expense previously recognised for the award is reversed. However, if a new award is substituted for a cancelled award and designated as a replacement award on the date that it is granted, the cancelled and new award are treated as if they were a modification of the original award, as described in the previous paragraph.

#### (Y) INCOME TAX

Current tax assets and liabilities for the current and prior periods are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

Deferred income tax is provided on all temporary differences at the balance sheet date between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes.

Deferred income tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences except:

- when the deferred income tax liability arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and that, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; or
- when the taxable temporary difference is associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates or interests in joint ventures, and the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future.
- Deferred income tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences, carry-forward of unused tax assets and unused tax losses, to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences and the carry-forward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses can be utilised, except:
- when the deferred income tax asset relating to the deductible temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; or
- when the deductible temporary difference is associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates or interests in joint ventures, in which case a deferred tax asset is only recognised to the extent that it is probable that the temporary difference will reverse in the foreseeable future and taxable profit will be available against which the temporary difference can be utilised.

The carrying amount of deferred income tax assets is reviewed at each balance sheet date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred income tax asset to be utilised.

Unrecognised deferred income tax assets are reassessed at each balance sheet date and are recognised to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profit will allow the deferred tax asset to be recovered.

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the year when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

Income taxes relating to items recognised directly in equity are recognised in equity and not in profit or loss.

Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities are offset only if a legally enforceable right exists to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the deferred tax assets and liabilities relate to the same taxable entity and the same taxation authority.

The amount of benefits brought to account or which may be realised in the future is based on the assumption that no adverse change will occur in income legislation and the anticipation that the Group will derive sufficient future assessable income to enable the benefit to be realised and comply with the conditions of deductibility imposed by the law.

# (Z) OTHER TAXES

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST except:

- when the GST incurred on a purchase of goods and services is not recoverable from the taxation authority, in which case the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense item as applicable; and
- receivables and payables, which are stated with the amount of GST included.
- The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included as part of receivables or payables in the balance sheet.
- Cash flows are included in the Cash Flow Statement on a gross basis and the GST component of cash flows arising
  from investing and financing activities, which is recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority, are classified
  as operating cash flows. Commitments and contingencies are disclosed net of the amount of GST recoverable from,
  or payable to, the taxation authority.

# (AA) EARNINGS PER SHARE

Basic earnings per share is calculated as net profit attributable to members of the parent, adjusted to exclude any costs of servicing equity (other than dividends), divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares, adjusted for any bonus element.

- Diluted earnings per share is calculated as net profit attributable to members of the parent, adjusted for:
- costs of servicing equity (other than dividends);
- the after tax effect of dividends and interest associated with dilutive potential ordinary shares that have been recognised as expenses; and
- other non-discretionary changes in revenues or expenses during the period that would result from the dilution of potential ordinary shares; divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares and dilutive potential ordinary shares, adjusted for any bonus element.

# (AB) SEGMENT REPORTING

An operating segment is a component of an entity that engages in business activities from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses (including revenues and expenses relating to transactions with other components of the same entity), whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the entity's chief operating decision maker to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and assess its performance and for which discrete financial information is available. This includes start up operations which are yet to earn revenues. Management will also consider other factors in determining operating segments such as the existence of a line manager and the level of segment information presented to the board of Directors.

Operating segments have been identified based on the information provided to the chief operating decision makers – being the executive management team.

The group aggregates two or more operating segments when they have similar economic characteristics, and the segments are similar in each of the following respects:

- Nature of the products and services,
- Nature of the production processes,
- Type or class of customer for the products and services,
- Methods used to distribute the products or provide the services, and if applicable
- Nature of the regulatory environment.

Operating segments that meet the quantitative criteria as prescribed by AASB 8 are reported separately.

However, an operating segment that does not meet the quantitative criteria is still reported separately where information about the segment would be useful to users of the Financial Statements.

# **NOTE 2 – REVENUE AND EXPENSES**

#### (A) REVENUE AND INCOME

		CONSOLIDATED	
	NOTE	2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000
REVENUE			
Interest revenue		27	53
INCOME			
Net gain on sale of subsidiary	17	-	3,941
Other		7	36
		7	3,977
		34	4,030
EXPENSES			
Administration and corporate expenses include:			
Depreciation		37	38
Net foreign exchange losses/(gains)		(26)	5
Operating lease rental expense		156	142
Share based payments	21	1,066	1,367
Other administration and corporate expenses, net of recoveries		378	916
		1,611	2,468
Exploration expenses include:			
Impairment of deferred exploration	11	8,719	6,912
Other exploration expenses		49	229
		8,768	7,141
Other expenses include:			
Impairment of financial assets - shares		-	1

# **NOTE 3 - INCOME TAX EXPENSE**

(B)

# (A) INCOME TAX EXPENSE

The reconciliation between tax expense and the product of accounting loss before income tax multiplied by the Company's applicable income tax rate is as follows:

Loss for year	(13,125)	(5,837)
Prima facie income tax (benefit) @ 30%	(3,937)	(1,751)
Tax effect of non-deductible items	3,491	2,433
Tax losses from prior years now utilised	-	(861)
Deferred tax assets not brought to account	463	179
Income tax attributable to operating loss	17	-

#### (B) DEFERRED TAX ASSETS NOT RECOGNISED RELATE TO THE FOLLOWING:

Tax losses	8,243	8,940
Other Timing Differences	3	10
	8,246	8,950

These deferred tax assets have not been brought to account as it is not probable that tax profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilised.

#### (C) FRANKING CREDITS

The franking account balance at year end was \$nil (2011: \$nil).

# (D) TAX CONSOLIDATION LEGISLATION

ADX Energy Ltd and its 100% owned Australian subsidiaries have not formed a tax consolidated group.

# **NOTE 4 - EARNINGS PER SHARE**

	CONSOLIDATED	
	2012	2011
	Cents	Cents
Basic earnings/(loss) per share	(3.10)	(1.57)
	\$'000	\$'000
Loss attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company used in calculating basic earnings per share	(13,142)	(5,837)
	Number of shares	Number of shares
Weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the year used in the calculation of basic earnings per share	424,461,151	370,800,069
Diluted earnings per share is not disclosed because potential ordinary shares, being options granted, are not dilutive and their conversion to ordinary shares would not demonstrate an inferior view of the earnings performance of the Company.		

# **NOTE 5 - CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS**

	2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000
Cash at bank and on hand	500	783
(i) Reconciliation of loss for the year to net cash flows (	used in operating activities	
Profit/(loss) after income tax	(13,142)	(5,837)
Non-Cash Items:		
Net gain on sale of subsidiary	-	(3,941)
Depreciation	37	38
Foreign exchange losses/(gains)	(26)	5
Share-based payments expensed - options	1,066	1,367
Impairment of exploration assets	8,719	6,912
Impairment of financial assets -shares	-	1
Impairment of investment in associate	2,000	-
Loss from associate	780	257
Change in assets and liabilities:		
(Increase)/decrease in receivables	(73)	268
(Increase)/decrease in inventories	(110)	-
Increase/(decrease) in payables	(118)	(702)
Increase in provisions	(12)	11
Net cash flows used in operating activities	(879)	(1,621)

#### (ii) Non-Cash Financing and Investing Activities

The following non-cash financing and investing activities were undertaken:

#### 2012:

- a) A Sale and Purchase Agreement was signed with Carnavale Resources Limited ("CAV") on 12 August 2011 to buy back a 20% interest in the Lambouka Prospect Area in the Kerkouane Permit. An option to purchase an interest in the extension of the Lambouka Prospect into Italian waters (Pantelleria Permit) was also cancelled as part of the agreement. As consideration for the interest, ADX issued 11,172,535 ordinary shares (\$860,000). In the event that production is derived from a development of the Lambouka-1 well discovery, ADX will additionally pay two production payments of US\$1 million each, after 6 and 12 months continuous production respectively. Refer to note 11.
- b) ADX entered into a Sale and Purchase Agreement with PharmAust Limited ("PAA") on 9 September 2011 to buy back a 10% interest in the Lambouka Prospect Area. ADX issued 1,000,000 ordinary shares (\$68,000) as consideration for the interest and also forgive PAA for outstanding past joint venture costs totaling \$400,473. Refer to note 11.

#### **2011**:

- c) In January 2011, ADX was issued 25,000,000 shares (\$5 million) in ASX listed Riedel Resources Limited (ASX: RIE) as final consideration for the demerger of ADX's gold and base metal assets. Refer to note 12.
- d) 750,000 ADX shares (\$128,000) were issued as consideration for the acquisition of an option agreement for the Millrose exploration tenement. Refer to note 11.

# **NOTE 6 – TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES**

	CONSOLIDATED	
	2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000
CURRENT		
Share of cash held by joint ventures	199	241
Cash on deposit - security bonds	26	969
GST/VAT refundable	80	28
Share of receivables held by joint ventures	881	1,492
Other	94	88
Total current receivables	1,280	2,818
NON-CURRENT		
Cash on deposit - security bonds	36	21
Other	2	14
Total non-current receivables	38	35

#### FAIR VALUE AND RISK EXPOSURES:

(i) Due to the short term nature of these receivables, their carrying value is assumed to approximate their fair value.

- (ii) The maximum exposure to credit risk is the fair value of receivables. Collateral is not held as security.
- (iii) Details regarding interest rate risk exposure are disclosed in note 24.
- (iv) Other receivables generally have repayments between 30 and 90 days.

Receivables do not contain past due or impaired assets as at 30 June 2012 (2011: none).

# **NOTE 7 - OTHER CURRENT FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT AND LOSS**

#### CURRENT

Listed equity securities held for trading

The fair value of listed securities has been determined by reference to published price quotations in an active market.

# **NOTE 8 – NON-CURRENT ASSET CLASSIFIED AS HELD FOR SALE**

In June 2010, ADX entered into an agreement to sell its 49.9% interest in Cooper Basin PEL-182 to Victoria Petroleum NL. The total consideration was a cash consideration of \$1.1 million and the ADX share of the future plugging and liability for previous wells estimated at \$200,000. In July 2010 the sale was completed and the cash consideration was received following satisfaction of the conditions precedent to the sale.

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Proceeds	-	1,104
Deferred exploration – Cooper Basin PEL-182	-	(1,096)
Other costs	-	(8)
Gain on sale of exploration asset	-	-
NOTE 9 - INVENTORIES		
Inventories - spares	110	-
NOTE 10 - PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT		
Motor vehicles- at cost	141	141
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(127)	(122)
	14	19
Plant and equipment - at cost	321	200
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(126)	(100)
	195	100
Total property, plant and equipment	209	119

# **NOTE 10 - PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)**

	CONSOLIDATED	
	2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000
RECONCILIATION OF PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT:		
Motor Vehicle		
Carrying amount at beginning of year	19	26
Depreciation	(5)	(6
Currency translation differences	-	(1
Carrying amount at end of year	14	19
Plant and Equipment		
Carrying amount at beginning of year	100	87
Additions	122	53
Depreciation	(32)	(32
Currency translation differences	5	(8)
Carrying amount at end of year	195	100
11 - DEFERRED EXPLORATION EXPENDITURE		
Deferred exploration costs brought forward	9,578	12,826
Capitalised expenditure incurred during the year	4,572	6,706
Shares issued – Millrose JV option agreement	-	128
Shares issued – 20% interest in Lambouka (note 5)	860	-
Shares issued – 10% interest in Lambouka (note 5)	68	-
Expenditure written off during the year	(8,719)	(6,912
Sale of subsidiary – exploration assets (note 17)	-	(1,401
Currency translation differences	(158)	(1,769)

Deferred exploration costs carried forward

Ultimate recoupment of exploration and evaluation expenditure carried forward is dependent on successful development and commercial exploitation or, alternatively, sale of the respective areas.

6,201

9,578

# IMPAIRMENT

Exploration and evaluation expenditure written off in the 2012 year relates to the Pantelleria prospect area \$866,000, new ventures \$147,000 and \$7,706,000 for the Chorbane prospect area. The Board assesses impairment of all exploration expenditure at each reporting date by evaluating the conditions specific to the Company and to the particular asset that may lead to impairment. These include if substantive expenditure has been incurred on exploration and evaluation of resources and this has not led to the discovery of commercial viable quantities of resources or sufficient data exists to indicate that the carrying amount of the exploration and evaluation asset is unlikely to be recovered in full from successful development or by sale. The decision has therefore been made to impair the value of the company's carrying value in those assets.

In the prior year (2011): this related to the Lambouka prospect area. The directors considered it most likely that only a proportion of the existing Lambouka-1 well bore was able to be utilised in future operations to assess prospect reserves. The decision was therefore been made to impair the value of the company's Lambouka asset by \$6,912,000.

# **NOTE 12 – INVESTMENT IN ASSOCIATE**

Investment in associate	2,010	4,743

During the prior 2011 year, ADX Energy Ltd acquired a 42.9% interest (25 million shares) in Riedel Resources Limited (ASX: RIE). Riedel is a listed Australian mineral exploration company. The fair value based on the closing ASX share price for Riedel at 30 June was \$2,000,000 (2011: \$2,625,000).

# NOTE 12 - INVESTMENT IN ASSOCIATE (CONTINUED)

	CONSOLIDATED	
RECONCILIATION OF INVESTMENT IN ASSOCIATE:	2012 \$'000	201 \$'000
Carrying amount at beginning of year	4,743	-
Acquisition of investment in associate (note 17)	-	5,000
Share of losses in associate	(780)	(257
Impairment of investment in associate	(2,000)	
Currency translation differences	47	
Net carrying value	2,010	4,743
The following table illustrates summarised information of the investment in Riedel Resources Limited.		
Share of associate's balance sheet as at 30 June:		
Current assets	311	1,963
Non-current assets	3,216	2,442
Current liabilities	(202)	(180
Non-current liabilities	-	
Net assets	3,325	4,225
Share of associate's revenue and loss:		
Revenue	298	47
Loss before income tax	(780)	(257
Share of associate's commitments and contingencies		
Share of capital commitments and contingencies	-	

Trade creditors and accruals	2,493	1,492
Non-Current		
Farmin consideration subject to approvals (a)	666	-

a) A farm in agreement was executed between ADX and Rohöl-Aufsuchungs Aktiengesellschaft ('RAG') in May 2012 in relation to ADX's Parta licence ("Parta Permit") in Romania. ADX will retain operatorship and a 50% interest. This amount represents the euro 500,000 paid on signing, and is repayable if no approvals are obtained by 1 July 2013.

#### FAIR VALUE AND RISK EXPOSURES

i) Due to the short term nature of these payables, their carrying value is assumed to approximate their fair value.

ii) Trade and other payables are unsecured and usually paid within 60 days of recognition.

# **NOTE 14 – PROVISIONS**

Current

CURI	RENT			
Emp	loyee entitlements		21	33
NOTE 15 -	ISSUED CAPITAL			
(A)	ISSUED CAPITAL			
	Ordinary shares fully paid	61,	,511	58,504

# **NOTE 15 – ISSUED CAPITAL (CONTINUED)**

# (B) MOVEMENTS IN ORDINARY SHARE CAPITAL

NUMBER OF SHARES	SUMMARY OF MOVEMENTS	ISSUE PRICE	\$'000
337,917,501	Opening balance at 1 July 2010		53,652
750,000	Shares issued in re Millrose exploration licence – refer note 11	17 cents	128
60,267,182	Placement on 17 December 2010	8.3 cents	5,002
20,775	Options exercised	25 cents	4
	Costs of share issues - cash		(282)
398,955,458	Closing Balance at 30 June 2011		58,504
11,172,535	Acquisition of 20% interest in Lambouka – refer note 5	7.7 cents	860
1,000,000	Acquisition of 10% interest in Lambouka – refer note 5	6.8 cents	68
23,805,357	Placement on 24 November 2011	8 cents	1,914
3,375,000	Share Purchase Plan (SPP) on 16 December 2011	8 cents	270
	Costs of placement - cash		(105)
438,308,350	Closing Balance at 30 June 2012		61,511

# (C) OPTIONS ON ISSUE

	NUMBER	ISSUE PRICE OF SHARES	EXERCISE DATE
Unlisted Options	1,500,000	25 cents	Between 30/06/2011 and 01/07/2012
Unlisted Options	1,000,000	30 cents	Between 30/06/2012 and 01/07/2013
Unlisted Options	21,200,000	25 cents	Between 1/05/2012 and 31/12/2012
Unlisted Options	2,000,000	25 cents	Between 1/7/2013 and 28/02/2014
	25,700,000		

During the year:

(i) 2,000,000 unlisted options were granted as share-based payments (2011: 4,750,000);

(ii) 3,000,000 unlisted options were forfeited (2011: 250,000);

(iii) 6,375,000 unlisted options expired (2011: 5,375,000); and

(iv) No unlisted options were exercised (2011: Nil).

(v) In prior year 2011: 24,081,758 listed options expired and 20,775 listed options were exercised.

## (D) TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF CONTRIBUTED EQUITY

Holders of ordinary shares are entitled to receive dividends as declared from time to time and are entitled to one vote per share at shareholders' meetings. In the event of winding up of the Company, ordinary shareholders rank after all other shareholders and creditors are fully entitled to any proceeds of liquidations.

#### (E) CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

When managing capital, management's objective is to ensure the entity continues as a going concern as well as maintains optimal returns to shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders. Management also aims to maintain a capital structure that ensures the lowest cost of capital available to the entity.

Management may in the future adjust the capital structure to take advantage of favourable costs of capital and issue further shares in the market. Management has no current plans to adjust the capital structure. There are no plans to distribute dividends in the next year.

# **NOTE 16 - RESERVES**

	CONSO	LIDATED
	2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000
Share-based payments reserve	3,651	2,585
Option premium reserve	2,916	2,916
Asset revaluation reserve	250	250
Foreign currency translation reserve	(3,129)	(2,816)
	3,688	2,935

# **NOTE 16 - RESERVES (CONTINUED)**

	CONSO	LIDATED
	2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000
SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS RESERVE		
Balance at the beginning of the year	2,585	1,218
Share-based payments	1,066	1,367
Balance at the end of the year	3,651	2,585
<i>Nature and purpose of the reserve:</i> The Share-based payments reserve is used to recognise the fair value of options issued but not exercised.		
OPTION PREMIUM RESERVE		
Option premium reserve	2,916	2,916
Mature and purpose of the reserve:		
The option premium reserve is used to accumulate proceeds received from the issuing of options.		
ASSET REVALUATION RESERVE		
Asset revaluation reserve	250	250
Mature and purpose of the reserve:		
The asset revaluation reserve is used to record increments and decrements in the value of non-current assets. This reserve can only be used to pay dividends in limited circumstances.		
Foreign currency translation reserve		
Balance at the beginning of the year	(2,816)	(204)
Currency translation differences	(313)	(2,612)
Balance at the end of the year	(3,129)	(2,816)
Mature and purpose of the reserve:		

The foreign currency translation reserve is used to record exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign subsidiaries.

# **NOTE 17 – PARENT ENTITY INFORMATION**

	CON	IPANY
	2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000
BALANCE SHEET INFORMATION		
Current assets	422	611
Non-current assets	7,141	26,062
Current liabilities	(231)	(453)
Non-current liabilities	(663)	-
Net Assets	6,669	26,220
Issued capital	61,511	58,504
Reserves	6,978	5,751
Accumulated losses	(61,820)	(38,035)
	6,669	26,220
PROFIT AND LOSS INFORMATION		
Profit/(loss) for the year	(23,787)	1,453
Comprehensive profit/(loss) for the year	(23,949)	1,453

## **COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES**

There are no commitments or contingencies, including any guarantees entered into by ADX Energy on behalf of its subsidiaries.

# NOTE 17 – PARENT ENTITY INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

#### SUBSIDIARIES

NAME OF CONTROLLED ENTITY	CLASS OF SHARE	PLACE OF INCORPORATION	% HELD BY PARENT ENTITY	
			2012	2011
Alpine Oil & Gas Pty Ltd *	Ordinary	Australia	100%	100%
AuDAX Energy GmbH *	Ordinary	Austria	100%	100%
AuDAX Energy Srl *	Ordinary	Italy	100%	100%
Bull Petroleum Pty Ltd *	Ordinary	Australia	100%	100%

\* Not audited by Rothsay.

During the 2011 year, ADX Energy Ltd sold 100% of its subsidiary, AuDAX Minerals Pty Ltd to Riedel Resources Limited (Riedel). ADX was issued 25,000,000 shares (\$5 million) in Riedel (ASX: RIE) as final consideration for this demerger of ADX's gold and base metal assets.

		CONSOLIDATED	
	NOTE	2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000
Proceeds - 25,000,000 shares in Riedel at 25c each	12	-	5,000
Net assets of subsidiary		-	1,059
Gain on sale of subsidiary	2(a)	-	3,941

# **NOTE 18 – COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES**

#### (A) OPERATING LEASES (NON-CANCELLABLE):

	150	64
More than one year but not later than five years	42	2
Within one year	108	62

These non-cancellable operating leases are primarily for office premises.

#### (B) EXPLORATION COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES FOR TUNISIA, ITALY AND ROMANIA

In order to maintain current rights of tenure to exploration licenses the Company may be compelled to perform minimum exploration activities to meet requirements specified by the relevant governments. These expenditure commitments may be varied as a result of renegotiations, relinquishments, farm-outs or sales.

#### Tunisia - Chorbane Permit

Subsequent to year end, the Tunisian Authorities approved the renewal of the exploration period for the Chorbane permit onshore Tunisia for three years to 12 July 2015. Under the terms of the licence, 20% of the permit will be relinquished. The agreed minimum work obligation for the three year period is to drill one exploration well.

#### Tunisia - Kerkouane Permit

In January 2011 ADX was granted by the Government of Tunisia a further three year exploration license over the Kerkouane permit (through to 22 February 2014). Exploration commitments for the period include the drilling of one well and a well test on the Lambouka discovery.

#### Romania - Parta

In January 2011 a concession agreement for the Romania block EX-10 PARTA was signed with NAMR (Agentia Nationala Pentru Resurse Minerale). ADX is awaiting ratification by the Romanian government at which point commitments for the first exploration period will be firm, being acquisition of 100km of 2D, 100 sqkm of 3D seismic and drilling of two wells. These commitments are to be shared by ADX and joint venture partner RAG in the Parta block.

#### Summary of commitments at year end for Tunisia, Italy and Romania:

	CONSOLIDATED	
	2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000
Within one year	1,000	500
More than one year but not later than five years	12,000	12,000
	13,000	12,500

# **NOTE 18 – COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (CONTINUED)**

## (C) CONDITIONAL COMMITMENTS TO PREVIOUS PARTNER

In March 2009, ADX entered an agreement with a previous partner to acquire that partners' 30% interest in the Sicily Channel exploration permit, Pantelleria. As consideration, ADX will pay US\$280,000 cash if and when ADX disposes of an interest in that permit.

In August 2011, a Sale and Purchase Agreement was signed with Carnavale Resources Limited ("CAV") to buy back a 20% interest in the Lambouka Prospect Area in the Kerkouane Permit. In the event that production is derived from a development of the Lambouka-1 well discovery, ADX will additionally pay two production payments of US\$1 million each, after 6 and 12 months continuous production respectively.

# **NOTE 19 - INTERESTS IN JOINT VENTURES**

# (A) JOINT VENTURE DETAILS

JOINT VENTURE	NOTE	PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES	ADX GROUP % INTEREST	
			2012	2011
Kerkouane, Lambouka and Remainder – Tunisia	а	Exploration	60%	30%
Chorbane – Tunisia	b	Exploration	40%	100%
Pantelleria – Italy		Exploration	100%	100%
Romania –Parta Block	С	Exploration	50%	60%

Notes:

(C)

a) Increase due to buy-backs. Refer note 5(ii).

b) Farmin obligations by joint venture partners have since been met resulting in ADX share diluting to 40%.

c) A concession was signed for the Parta block in January 2011 and is awaiting final governmental approvals. A farm in agreement was executed between ADX and Rohoelaufsuchungsgesellschaft ('RAG') in May 2012 in relation to ADX's Parta licence ("Parta Permit") in Romania. ADX retain operatorship and a 50% interest. Refer to note 13.

#### (B) ASSETS UTILISED IN THE JOINT VENTURE

The following amounts represent the consolidated entity's interests in the assets employed in Joint Ventures. These amounts are included in the consolidated Financial Statements under their respective categories as follows:

	CONSOLIDATED	
	2012 \$′000	2011 \$′000
CURRENT ASSETS		
Trade and other receivables - Share of cash held by joint ventures	342	241
Inventories	110	-
Total current assets	452	241
NON-CURRENT ASSETS		
Exploration and evaluation not yet cash called	908	549
Total non-current assets	908	549
Total assets	1,360	790
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Trade and other payables	1,108	56
Total current liabilities	1,108	56
Total liabilities	1,108	56
Net assets	252	734
SHARE OF JOINT VENTURES PROFIT OR LOSS		
Exploration expensed		(11)

# (D) COMMITMENTS RELATING TO JOINT VENTURE

Capital expenditure commitments and contingent liabilities in respect of the Joint Ventures are disclosed in Note 18.

# **NOTE 20 – KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL DISCLOSURES**

# (A) COMPENSATION OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

	CONSOLIDATED	
	2012 \$	2011 \$
Short-term employment benefits	898,193	1,003,927
Post-employment benefits	19,062	14,226
Share-based payment	939,759	1,213,804
	1,857,014	2,231,957

# (B) OPTION HOLDINGS OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

	BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF THE YEAR	GRANTED AS REMUNERATION	OPTIONS EXERCISED	OPTIONS EXPIRED OR FORFEITED	CHANGE DUE TO APPOINTMENT/ (RESIGNATION)	BALANCE AT END OF THE YEAR	NOT EXERCISABLE	EXERCISABLE
2012								
Directors								
l Tchacos	6,000,000	-	-	-	-	6,000,000	-	6,000,000
W Zimmer	7,500,000	-	-	(1,500,000)	-	6,000,000	-	6,000,000
P Fink	4,650,000	-	-	(1,050,000)	-	3,600,000	-	3,600,000
A Childs	4,650,000	-	-	(1,050,000)	-	3,600,000	-	3,600,000
Other KMP								
P Ironside	2,375,000	-	-	(750,000)	-	1,625,000	-	1,625,000
P Ford	2,000,000	-	-	(2,000,000)	-	-	-	-
	27,175,000	-	-	(6,350,000)	-	20,825,000	-	20,825,000
2011								
Directors								
l Tchacos	6,395,834	-	-	(395,834)	-	6,000,000	6,000,000	-
W Zimmer	9,400,000	-	-	(1,900,000)	-	7,500,000	6,000,000	1,500,000
P Fink	5,800,000	-	-	(1,150,000)	-	4,650,000	3,600,000	1,050,000
A Childs	6,568,194	-	-	(1,918,194)	-	4,650,000	3,600,000	1,050,000
Other KMP		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P Ironside	3,284,177	625,000	-	(1,534,177)	-	2,375,000	1,125,000	1,250,000
P Ford	-	2,000,000	-	-	-	2,000,000	2,000,000	
	31,448,205	2,625,000	-	(6,898,205)	-	27,175,000	22,325,000	4,850,000

# (C) SHAREHOLDINGS OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

	BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF THE YEAR	OPTIONS EXERCISED	GRANTED AS REMUNERATION	NET CHANGE OTHER	CHANGE DUE TO APPOINTMENT / (RESIGNATION)	BALANCE AT END OF THE YEAR
2012						
Directors						
l Tchacos	3,609,429	-	-	250,000	-	3,859,429
W Zimmer	8,154,321	-	-	499,425	-	8,653,746
P Fink	1,600,000	-	-	120,000	-	1,720,000
A Childs	10,709,869	-	-	1,211,000	-	11,920,869
Other KMP						
P Ironside	5,984,680	-	-	-	-	5,984,680
P Ford	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30,058,299	-	-	2,080,425	-	32,138,724
2011						
Directors						
l Tchacos	3,141,667	-	-	467,762	-	3,609,429
W Zimmer	8,154,321	-	-	-	-	8,154,321
P Fink	2,100,000	-	-	(500,000)	-	1,600,000
A Childs	10,386,714	-	-	323,155	-	10,709,869
Other KMP						
P Ironside	5,683,475	-	-	301,205	-	5,984,680
P Ford	-	-	-	-	-	-
	29,466,177	-	-	592,122	-	30,058,299

# **NOTE 20 – KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL DISCLOSURES (CONTINUED)**

All equity transactions with Key Management Personnel other than those arising from the exercise of remuneration options have been entered into under terms and conditions no more favourable than those the entity would have adopted if dealing at arms-length.

# (D) OTHER TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES WITH KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

2012

Mr. Ian Tchacos and Mr. Andrew Childs are directors of ADX's associate, Riedel Resources Limited (Riedel) and Dr. Wolfgang Zimmer until 30/6/2012. No transactions were undertaken with Riedel.

#### 2011

Mr. Ian Tchacos and Mr. Andrew Childs are directors of ADX's associate, Riedel Resources Limited (Riedel) and Dr. Wolfgang Zimmer until 30/6/2012. During the 2011 year, ADX entered in an agreement to sell ADX's wholly owned subsidiary, Audax Minerals Pty Ltd, to Riedel for consideration of 25 million shares in Riedel (\$5,000,000). This consideration was determined based on independent valuations of Audax Minerals mining tenements and the transaction was undertaken on arms-length terms and conditions. Refer to note 17.

# **NOTE 21 – SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS**

# (A) VALUE OF SHARE BASED PAYMENTS IN THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CONSOL	CONSOLIDATED		
2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000		
1,066	1,367		
-	128		
	2012 \$'000 1,066		

#### (B) SUMMARY OF SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS GRANTED DURING THE YEAR:

#### 2012

Granted to employees and consultants:

2,000,000 options expiring 28 February 2014, exercisable at 25 cents each, vesting 1 July 2013.

The assessed fair values of the options were determined using a Black-Scholes option pricing model, taking into account the exercise price, term of option, the share price at grant date and expected price volatility of the underlying share, expected dividend yield and the risk-free interest rate for the term of the option. The inputs to the model used were:

GRANT DATE	7/02/2012	30/04/2012
Option exercise price (\$)	0.25	0.25
Expected life of options (years)	2.06	1.83
Dividend yield (%)	-	-
Expected volatility (%)	95.24	95.24
Risk-free interest rate (%)	6.06	6.06
Underlying share price (\$)	0.069	0.081
Value of Option (\$)	0.0161	0.0188

The expected life of the options is based on historical data and is not necessarily indicative of exercise patterns that may occur. The expected volatility reflects the assumption that the historical volatility is indicative of future trends, which may also not necessarily be the actual outcome. No other features of options granted were incorporated into the measurement of fair value.

#### 2011

Granted to employees and consultants:

- 2,750,000 options expiring 31 December 2012, exercisable at 25 cents each, vesting 1 May 2012; and
- 2,000,000 options expiring 31 July 2013, exercisable at 25 cents each, vesting 1 December 2012.

# NOTE 21 – SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS (CONTINUED)

The assessed fair values of the options were determined using a Black-Scholes option pricing model, taking into account the exercise price, term of option, the share price at grant date and expected price volatility of the underlying share, expected dividend yield and the risk-free interest rate for the term of the option. The inputs to the model used were:

GRANT DATE	5/07/2010	25/02/2011
Option exercise price (\$)	0.25	0.25
Expected life of options (years)	2.49	2.43
Dividend yield (%)	-	-
Expected volatility (%)	121	72
Risk-free interest rate (%)	5.15	5.59
Underlying share price (\$)	0.24	0.115
Value of Option (\$)	0.1612	0.0288

During the 2011 year, 750,000 shares (\$128,000) were issued to acquire an option interest in the Millrose JV. The fair value was based on the market value for that interest.

#### (C) WEIGHTED AVERAGE FAIR VALUE

The weighted average weighted average fair value of share based payment options granted during the year was \$0.01745 (2011: \$0.1055).

# (D) WEIGHTED AVERAGE EXERCISE PRICE

The following table shows the number and weighted average exercise price ("WAEP") of share options granted as share based payments.

	2012 NUMBER	2012 WAEP	2011 NUMBER	2011 WAEP
Outstanding at the beginning of year	33,075,000	0.268	33,950,000	0.276
Granted during the year	2,000,000	0.250	4,750,000	0.250
Forfeited during the year	(3,000,000)	0.258	(250,000)	0.250
Exercised during the year	-	-	-	-
Expired during the year	(6,375,000)	0.329	(5,375,000)	0.303
Outstanding at the end of the year	25,700,000	0.252	33,075,000	0.268
Exercisable at year end	23,700,000	0.252	7,875,000	0.314

The weighted average share price for options exercised during the year was nil (2011: nil).

#### (E) RANGE OF EXERCISE PRICE

The range of exercise price for options granted as share based payments outstanding at the end of the year was \$0.25 to \$0.30 (2011: \$0.20 to \$0.40).

# (F) WEIGHTED AVERAGE REMAINING CONTRACTUAL LIFE

The weighted average remaining contractual life of share based payment options that were outstanding as at 30 June 2012 was 0.59 years (2011: 1.35 years).

# **NOTE 22 - AUDITORS' REMUNERATION**

CONSOLIDATED	
2012 \$	2011 \$
46,500	46,500
-	-
46,500	46,500
	2012 \$ 46,500 -

# **NOTE 23 – SEGMENT INFORMATION**

#### IDENTIFICATION OF REPORTABLE SEGMENTS

The Group has identified its operating segments based on the internal reports that are reviewed and used by the Directors (the chief operating decision makers) in assessing performance and in determining the allocation of resources.

The operating segments are identified by management based on the exploration type. Discrete financial information about each of these operating businesses is reported to the Board on at least a quarterly basis.

# **NOTE 23 – SEGMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)**

The reportable segments are based on aggregated operating segments determined by the similarity of activity type and phase of operations, as these are the sources of the Group's major risks and have the most effect on the rates of return.

## REPORTABLE OPERATING SEGMENTS IDENTIFIED

For management purposes, the Group has organised its operating segments into two reportable segments as follows:

Oil and Gas Exploration and Evaluation Segment: This segment includes assets and activities that are associated with oil • and gas exploration.

Management monitors the operating results of its business units separately for the purpose of making decisions about resource allocation and performance assessment. Segment performance is evaluated based on operating profit or loss and is measured consistently with operating profit or loss in the consolidated financial statements. However, the Group's financing (including finance income) is managed on a group basis and are not allocated to operating segments.

# ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies used by the Group in reporting segments internally are the same as those contained in note 1 to the accounts.

There have been no inter-segment transactions.

It is the Group's policy that if items of revenue and expense are not allocated to operating segments then any associated assets and liabilities are also not allocated to segments. This is to avoid asymmetrical allocations within segments which management believe would be inconsistent.

The following items are not allocated to segments as they are not considered part of core operations of any segment and are managed on a Group basis.

- Interest revenue
- Foreign currency gains/(losses) .
- Corporate costs

OPERATING SEGMENTS	MINERALS \$'000	OIL AND GAS \$'000	TOTAL OPERATIONS \$'000
2012	\$ 000	\$ 000	\$ 000
Revenue and income	-	_	_
Total segment revenue			
Result			
Segment result	(780)	(399)	(1,179)
Depreciation	-	(9)	(9)
mpairment of investment in associate	(2,000)	-	(2,000)
mpairment of deferred exploration	-	(8,719)	(8,719)
Total Segment result	(2,780)	(9,127)	(11,907)
Reconciliation of segment loss after tax to net loss after tax:			
Jnallocated revenue and income			34
oreign currency gains/(losses)			26
Jnallocated depreciation			(29)
Jnallocated expenditure			(1,266)
Net profit after tax			(13,142)
ASSETS			
Segment assets	2,010	7,599	9,609
Reconciliation of segment assets:			
Cash held by parent			400
Dther			347
fotal assets			10,356
IABILITIES			
Segment liabilities	-	2,893	2,893
Reconciliation of segment liabilities:			
Jnallocated liabilities			287
Fotal liabilities			3,180

# **NOTE 23 – SEGMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)**

MINERALS \$'000	OIL AND GAS \$'000	TOTAL OPERATIONS \$'000
-	5,500	5,500
-	-	-
-	5,500	5,500
		122
		5,622
	\$'000 - -	MINERALS GAS \$'000 \$'000 - 5,500 

OPERATING SEGMENTS	MINERALS \$'000	OIL AND GAS \$'000	TOTAL OPERATIONS \$'000
2011	•		• • • •
Revenue and income	3,941	-	3,941
Total segment revenue			3,941
Result			
Segment result	3,720	(269)	3,451
Depreciation	-	(35)	(35)
Impairment of deferred exploration	-	(6,912)	(6,912)
– Total Segment result	3,720	(7,216)	(3,496)
Reconciliation of segment loss after tax to net loss after tax:			
Jnallocated revenue and income			53
Foreign currency losses			(5)
Unallocated depreciation			(3)
Unallocated expenditure			(2,386)
Net profit after tax			(5,837)
ASSETS			
Segment assets	4,743	12,696	17,439
Reconciliation of segment assets:			
Cash held by parent			555
Other			89
Total assets			18,083
LIABILITIES			
Segment liabilities	-	1,263	1,263
Reconciliation of segment liabilities:			
Unallocated liabilities			262
Total liabilities			1,525
CAPITAL EXPENDITURE			
Segment capital expenditure – deferred exploration	241	6,592	6,833
Segment capital expenditure – plant and equipment			-,
Total Segment capital expenditure	241	6,592	6,833
Reconciliation of capital expenditure:		-,	
Jnallocated additions			53
Total capital expenditure			6,886
			2,500

# **NOTE 24 – FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES**

The Group's principal financial instruments comprise cash. The main purpose of this financial instrument is to provide working capital for the Group's operations.

The Group has various other financial instruments such as trade debtors, security bonds and trade creditors, which arise directly from its operations.

It is, and has been throughout the period under review, the Group's policy that no trading in financial instruments shall be undertaken, except for share investments which are considered immaterial.

The main risks arising from the Group's financial instruments are interest rate risk, credit risk and foreign currency risk. The Board reviews and agrees on policies for managing each of these risks and they are summarised below.

# INTEREST RATE RISK

At balance date the Group's exposure to market risk for changes in interest rates relates primarily to cash and bonds. The Group constantly analyses its exposure to interest rates, with consideration given to potential renewal of existing positions, the mix of fixed and variable interest rates and the period to which deposits may be fixed.

At balance date, the Group had the following financial assets exposed to variable interest rates that are not designated in cash flow hedges:

	CONSO	LIDATED
	2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000
Financial Assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	487	781
Trade and other receivables	46	1,245
Net exposure	533	2,026

#### Sensitivity

At 30 June 2012, if interest rates had increased by 0. 5% from the year end variable rates with all other variables held constant, post tax profit and equity for the Group would have been \$2,000 higher (2011: changes of 0.5% \$41,000 higher). The 0.5% (2011: 0.5%) sensitivity is based on reasonably possible changes, over a financial year, using an observed range of historical RBA movements over the last year.

# LIQUIDITY RISK

The Group has no significant exposure to liquidity risk as there is effectively no debt. The Group manages liquidity risk by monitoring immediate and forecast cash requirements and ensuring adequate cash reserves are maintained.

#### CREDIT RISK

Credit risk refers to the risk that a counter party will default on its contractual obligations resulting in financial loss to the Company. The Company has adopted the policy of dealing with creditworthy counterparties and obtaining sufficient collateral or other security where appropriate, as a means of mitigating the risk of financial loss from defaults. The Company measures credit risk on a fair value basis.

Significant cash deposits are with institutions with a minimum credit rating of AA (or equivalent) as determined by a reputable credit rating agency e.g. Standard & Poor.

The Company does not have any other significant credit risk exposure to a single counterparty or any group of counterparties having similar characteristics.

#### FOREIGN CURRENCY RISK

As a result of oil and gas exploration operations in Europe being denominated in USD and Euro, the Group's balance sheet can be affected by movements in the USD/AUD\$ and Euro/USD exchange rates. The Company does not hedge this exposure.

The Group manages its foreign exchange risk by constantly reviewing its exposure to commitments payable in foreign currency and ensuring appropriate cash balances are maintained in Euros and AUD, to meet current operational commitments.

# NOTE 24 – FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

At 30 June 2012, the Group had the following exposures to foreign currencies that are not designated in cash flow hedges:

	CONSOLIDATED		
	2012 \$'000	2011 \$'000	
FINANCIAL ASSETS:			
Cash and cash equivalents	376	341	
Trade and other receivables - current	46	1,292	
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES:			
Trade and other payables - current	380	1,507	
Other payables – non-current	655	-	
Net exposure	(613)	126	

#### SENSITIVITY

At 30 June 2012, if exchange rates had increased by 12% or decreased by 12% from the year end rates with all other variables held constant, post tax profit and equity for the Group would have been \$88,000 lower / \$69,000 higher (2011: changes of 12% \$13,000 lower/\$17,000 higher).

The 12% (2011: 12%) sensitivity is based on reasonably possible changes, over a financial year, using an observed range of actual historical rates, for the Australian dollar to the US dollar and Euro, for the preceding year.

Management believes the balance date risk exposures are representative of the risk exposure inherent in financial instruments.

#### **Commodity price risk**

The Group's exposure to price risk is minimal given the Group is still in an exploration phase.

#### Fair value

Disclosure of fair value measurements by level are as follows:

- Level 1 the fair value is calculated using quoted prices in active markets
- Level 2 the fair value is estimated using inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (as prices) or indirectly (derived from prices)
- Level 3 the fair value is estimated using inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data
- The following table presents the Group's assets and liabilities measured at fair value as well as the methods used to estimate the fair value.

	Y	EAR ENDED 30	JUNE 2012			YEAR ENDED 30	JUNE 2011	
CONSOLIDATED	QUOTED MARKET PRICE (LEVEL 1) \$'000	VALUATION WITH OBSERVABLE MARKET DATA (LEVEL 2) \$'000	VALUATION WITH NO OBSERVABLE MARKET DATA (LEVEL 3) \$'000	TOTAL \$'000	QUOTED MARKET PRICE (LEVEL 1) \$'000	VALUATION WITH OBSERVABLE MARKET DATA (LEVEL 2) \$°000	VALUATION WITH NO OBSERVABLE MARKET DATA (LEVEL 3) \$'000	TOTAL \$'000
Other current financial assets at fair value	8	-	-	8	7	-	-	7

#### Transfer Between Categories

There were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 during the year.

# **NOTE 25 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

The following events occurred after the balance sheet date:

• On 22 August 2012, ADX successfully completed a placement to sophisticated investors of 47,058,825 new shares at 1.7 cents per share to raise \$800,000 before costs.

There are no other matters or circumstances that have arisen since 30 June 2012 that have or may significantly affect the operations, results, or state of affairs of the Group in future financial years.



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# INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF ADX ENERGY LTD

#### Report on the financial report

We have audited the accompanying financial report of ADX Energy Ltd (the Company") which comprises the balance sheet as at 30 June 2012 and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flow state for the year ended on that date, a summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory notes and the directors' declaration of the consolidated entity comprising the company and the entities it controlled at the year's end or from time to time during the year.

#### **Directors Responsibility for the Financial Report**

The Directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and true and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with the Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the *Corporations Act 2001*. This includes responsibility for the maintenance of adequate accounting records and internal controls that are designed to prevent and detect fraud and error, and for the accounting policies and accounting estimates inherent in the financial report. The Directors are also responsible for the remuneration disclosures contained in the directors' report.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance as to whether the financial report is free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on our judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, we consider internal controls relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate to the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal controls. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used in and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

#### Independence

We are independent of the Company, and have met the independence requirements of Australian professional ethical requirements and the *Corporations Act 2001*.



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#### Audit opinion

In our opinion the financial report of ADX Energy Ltd is in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:

- a) (i) giving a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 30 June 2012 and of their performance for the year ended on that date; and
   (ii) complying with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Corporations Regulations 2001;
- b) the consolidated financial report also complies with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board

#### Report on the remuneration report

We have audited the remuneration report included in the directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2012. The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the remuneration report in accordance with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the remuneration report, based on our audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards.

#### Audit opinion

In our opinion the remuneration report of ADX Energy Ltd for the year ended 30 June 2012 complies with section 300A of the Corporations Act 2001.

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Graham R Swan Partner

Dated

28 September 2012

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# **INFORMATION AS AT 21 SEPTEMBER 2012**

# (A) SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS (WHO HAVE LODGED NOTICES WITH ADX ENERGY LTD)

None

# (B) SHAREHOLDER DISTRIBUTION SCHEDULE

SIZE OF HOLDING	NUMBER OF SHAREHOLDERS	NUMBER OF ORDINARY SHARES	PERCENTAGE OF ISSUED CAPITAL
1-1,000	178	90,207	0.02
1,001- 5,000	536	1,743,969	0.36
5,001 - 10,000	535	4,371,267	0.90
10,001 -100,000	1,361	55,520,397	11.44
100,000 and over	530	423,641,335	87.28
Total Shareholders	3,140	485,367,175	100
Number of shareholders holding less than a marketable parcel	1,885	18,186,561	3.75

# (C) Voting Rights

- (i) at meetings of members entitled to vote each member may vote in person or by proxy or attorney, or in the case of a member which is a body corporate, by representative duly appointed under section 250D;
- (ii) on a show of hands every member entitled to vote and present in person or by proxy or attorney or representative duly authorised shall have one (1) vote;
- (iii) on a poll every member entitled to vote and present in person or by proxy or attorney or representative duly authorised shall have one (1) vote for each fully paid share of which he is the holder and in the case of contributing shares until fully paid shall have voting rights pro rata to the amount paid up or credited as paid up on each such share; and
- (iv) a member shall not be entitled to vote at general meeting or be reckoned in a quorum in respect of any shares upon which any call or other sum presently payable by him is unpaid.

# (C) TWENTY LARGEST SHAREHOLDERS:

	NAME	NUMBER OF ORDINARY SHARES	% OF ISSUED CAPITAL
1	JP Morgan Nominees Australia Limited <cash a="" c="" income=""></cash>	144,584,921	29.79
2	Mr Andrew Childs	11,140,381	2.30
3	Runyon Pty Ltd <super a="" c="" fund=""></super>	8,763,679	1.81
4	Vasse Group Limited	8,154,321	1.68
5	HSBC Custody Nominees (Australia) Limited	6,563,270	1.35
6	Kenlow (1982) Pty Ltd <super a="" c="" fund=""></super>	5,041,667	1.04
7	Mr Victor Miasi + Mr Joseph Miasi <victor a="" c="" miasi="" super=""></victor>	3,900,000	0.80
8	Mr Ian Tchacos < The Tchacos Superfund A/C>	3,476,096	0.72
9	Ironside Pty Ltd <ironside a="" c="" fund="" super=""></ironside>	2,711,112	0.56
10	Mr Alistair Robertson Chomley	2,400,000	0.49
11	Mr Bryce Coleman Martin + Mrs Helen Grant McFarlane Martin <ambria a="" c=""></ambria>	2,383,334	0.49
12	Jindabyne Pty Ltd <hw a="" c="" daly="" family=""></hw>	2,352,686	0.48
13	Runyon Pty Ltd <leith a="" beal="" c="" f="" family="" s=""></leith>	2,250,000	0.46
14	Mr Victor Miasi	2,100,000	0.43
15	Diskdew Pty Ltd	2,000,000	0.41
16	Mr Stanley John Fields	2,000,000	0.41
17	Mr Troy Harris	2,000,000	0.41
18	Mr Timothy Francis Clive McDonnell	2,000,000	0.41
19	Mr Gary James Roper	2,000,000	0.41
20	Sancoast Pty Ltd	2,000,000	0.41
		217,821,467	44.88
	Shares on issue at 21 September 2012	485,367,175	

# **INFORMATION AS AT 21 SEPTEMBER 2012 (CONTINUED)**

# (D) UNLISTED OPTIONS ISSUED UNDER THE EMPLOYEE OPTION SCHEME

	NUMBER	ISSUE PRICE OF SHARES	EXERCISE DATE
Unlisted Options	1,000,000	30 cents	Between 30/06/2012 and 01/07/2013
Unlisted Options	2,000,000	25 cents	Between 01/05/2012 and 31/12/2012
Unlisted Options	2,000,000	25 cents	Between 01/07/2013 and 28/02/2014
	5,000,000		

# (E) OTHER UNLISTED OPTIONS

NAME	31/12/ 2012 25 CENTS
Director:	
l Tchacos	6,000,000
W Zimmer	6,000,000
P Fink	3,600,000
A Childs	3,600,000
	19,200,000

# (F) TENEMENT SCHEDULE

# **OIL AND GAS ASSETS EUROPE AND NORTH AFRICA**

PROJECT	PERMIT	ADX GROUP INTEREST (%)	OPERATOR
Kerkouane – Tunisia	Kerkouane	60%	ADX
Pantelleria – Italy	G.R15.PU	100%	ADX
Chorbane – Tunisia (1)	Chorbane	40%	ADX
Romania (2)	EX-10 PARTA	50%	ADX
Italy	D 364 C.RAX	100%	ADX

(1) After various farm-in obligations are completed, ADX Group will hold: 40% in the Chorbane permit.

(<sup>2</sup>) In January 2011 a concession agreement for the Romania block EX-10 Parta was signed with NAMR (Agentia Nationala Pentru Resurse Minerale). ADX is awaiting ratification by the Romanian government.

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