

# Jervois Mining USA Limited

# CONDENSED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Unaudited – Expressed in US Dollars)

For the three and six months ended 30 June 2023

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### JERVOIS MINING USA LIMITED Management's Report

Management presents their report, together with the unaudited condensed interim financial statements, of Jervois Mining USA Limited (the "Company") for the three and six months ended 30 June 2023 (the "period").

#### 1. Director

The sole Director of the Company during the whole of the financial period and up to the date of this report was:

Name	Role
Bryce Crocker	Chief Executive Officer

#### 2. Principal activity

The principal activity of the Company during the period was mine construction, followed by suspension of activities and maintenance of assets.

#### 3. Principal address

1309 S Challis St, Salmon, Idaho, 83467-5453, United States of America ("United States" or "U.S.")

#### 4. Dividends paid or recommended

There were no dividends paid, recommended, or declared during the current period or previous financial year.

#### 5. Significant changes in the state of affairs

There were no significant changes in the state of affairs of the Company.

#### 6. Review of operations

The net loss after tax of the Company for the three-month period ended 30 June 2023 was US\$18.395 million (three-month period ended 30 June 2022: net loss after tax of US\$3.058 million). The net loss after tax of the Company for the six-month period ended 30 June 2023 was US\$22.038 million (six-month period ended 30 June 2022: net loss after tax of US\$4.172 million).

#### Idaho Cobalt Operations ("ICO")

The mine component of ICO's construction has been completed, with a successful start to underground stoping and more than 30,000 short tons of ore ready for processing.

However, at the currently depressed cobalt prices, in late March 2023, the Company's ultimate parent, Jervois Global Limited ("Jervois"), announced its decision to suspend final construction and full concentrator commissioning at ICO. Continuing low cobalt prices were compounded by the current U.S. inflationary construction cost environment, particularly at ICO's remote location, which has proven challenging for the Company to manage effectively.

ICO's mineral resource and reserve is the largest and highest grade confirmed cobalt orebody in the U.S. and, when operational, will represent the country's only primary cobalt mine supply. Cobalt is a critical mineral as declared by the U.S. Government. Jervois has determined that not mining ICO cobalt at cyclically low prices will preserve the optionality and inherent strategic value of ICO for shareholders and key stakeholders, including local communities and the State of Idaho. The Company also views not mining ICO at current prices as consistent with U.S. Government critical mineral policy objectives.

Jervois remains confident regarding the medium- and longer-term future of cobalt. The trajectory of structurally higher prices is expected to be increasingly influenced by rising cobalt demand from the energy transition, including electric vehicles. The Company's expectation is that Western cobalt purchasers will increasingly prefer cobalt from sources with high environmental, social, and governance ("ESG") credentials, particularly given the concentration of supply from the Democratic Republic of Congo and China.

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Jervois has entered into an agreement with the U.S. Department of Defense ("DoD"), allowing Jervois to begin the work funded by the DoD US\$15.0 million funding (the "Agreement Funding") to advance U.S. cobalt supply chain security. The Agreement Funding is under the Manufacturing Capability Expansion and Investment Prioritization office of Industrial Base Policy using the U.S. Defense Production Act authorities and utilises funds from the Additional Ukraine Supplemental Appropriations Act.

The Company's mineral resource drilling programme at ICO will be accelerated by the Agreement Funding. The drilling programme will define and expand ICO's RAM deposit existing cobalt resources and, also potentially, delineate the adjacent Sunshine historic resource to modern geological standards.

The Agreement Funding will also fund a BFS for a cobalt refinery in the U.S. to be completed by a Jervois subsidiary delegated by the Company. Preparation of Jervois' U.S. refinery BFS will be expedited by benefitting from efficiencies provided by the Jervois' efforts and work-in-progress on a cobalt refinery expansion BFS at Jervois Finland, as announced on 18 April 2023.

Jervois views the DoD's award as an indication of the importance to the U.S. Government of securing its cobalt supply chain. Accordingly, the Company continues to engage with the U.S. Department of Energy and the U.S. Export-Import Bank, the official export credit agency of the U.S., on further financing initiatives. Whilst there can be no assurance any additional funding will be received, Jervois believes U.S. Government support in developing a viable domestic cobalt supply chain is important given the energy transition and Jervois' expectation that Western cobalt purchasers will increasingly prefer cobalt from sources with Western ESG credentials, such as ICO.

The Company has safely completed ICO site demobilisation and total workforce, including contractors, have been ramped down to approximately 30 during suspension, which represents a fit-for-purpose workforce to maintain the site in compliance with its regulatory requirements and to execute the envisaged DoD programmes.

ICO continues to be a key part of delivering Jervois' strategy of acquiring and operating geopolitically strategic mining and critical mineral processing assets important to energy transition and the defence industry.

#### Updated mineral reserve and resource estimate and drilling

In-fill and expansion drilling campaigns conducted throughout 2022 returned promising results which the Company has incorporated into an updated Mineral Resource Estimate ("MRE") for the RAM deposit, which was calculated in accordance with standards set forth in both the Australasian JORC Code 2012 ("JORC") and by the Canadian Institute of Mining ("CIM"). This updated JORC/CIM compliant MRE was released in April 2023.

Principal risk factors affecting the Company include:

- Risks associated with suspension of activities at ICO including in relation to existing infrastructure, buildings, and system deterioration,
- Cobalt prices, and
- Reliance on management.

For additional risks affecting the Company, reference is made to the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022, which can be found on Jervois' website.

#### 7. Director's declaration

In the opinion of the Director of the Company, the unaudited condensed interim financial statements that are set out pages 3 to 7 give a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 30 June 2023 and of its performance for the period ended on that date.

# **Condensed Statement of Financial Position**

# As at 30 June 2023 (Unaudited)

	30 June 2023 US\$'000	31 December 2022 US\$'000
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	5,237	6,128
Funds held in escrow	690	690
Prepayments	392	1,070
Receivables with other group entities	7,820	7,363
Inventories	70	142
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	34	1,627
Total current assets	14,243	17,020
Non-current assets		
Property, plant, and equipment	254,624	202,822
Intangible assets	821	112
Right-of-use assets	4,148	7,054
Total non-current assets	259,593	209,988
Total assets	273,836	227,008
Current liabilities		
Trade and other payables	17,401	33,014
Employee benefits	346	639
Payables with other group entities	849	462
Borrowings	6,757	6,469
Lease liabilities	1,023	1,939
Total current liabilities	26,376	42,523
Non-current liabilities		
Payables with other group entities	214,103	128,632
Borrowings	96,084	96,084
Lease liabilities	3,211	5,060
Asset retirement obligation	9,572	8,299
Total non-current liabilities	322,970	238,075
Total liabilities	349,346	280,598
Net assets / (liabilities)	(75,510)	(53,590)
Equity		
Share capital	122,708	122,708
Reserves	(16,123)	(16,241)
Accumulated losses	(182,095)	(160,057)
Total equity attributable to equity holders of the Company	(75,510)	(53,590)

The above condensed statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

# Condensed Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income For the three and six months ended 30 June 2023 (Unaudited)

	Three months ended 30 June 2023 US\$'000	Three months ended 30 June 2022 US\$'000	Six months ended 30 June 2023 US\$'000	Six months ended 30 June 2022 US\$'000
Administrative expenses	(1,024)	(404)	(1,058)	(440)
Communication expenses	(152)	(132)	(398)	(215)
Employee benefits expenses	(2,567)	(988)	(5,094)	(1,492)
Share-based payments	(62)	(93)	(118)	(185)
Legal and professional fees	(30)	(62)	60	(83)
Securities quotation fees	-	(118)	(152)	(132)
Mine site costs and other expenses	(2,447)	(397)	(2,664)	(646)
Provision for de-watering	(2,225)	-	(2,225)	-
Fair value loss on financial assets	(1,592)	(153)	(1,592)	(153)
Depreciation and amortisation	(297)	(128)	(671)	(202)
(Loss) / gain on sale of fixed asses	(75)	1,481	(75)	1,481
Impairment charge	(550)	-	(550)	-
Net foreign exchange (loss) / gain	(1)	6	(1)	(9)
Interest income	129	-	129	-
Interest expense	(7,502)	(2,070)	(7,629)	(2,096)
Loss before income tax expense	(18,395)	(3,058)	(22,038)	(4,172)
Income tax expense	-	-	-	-
Loss after income tax expense for the year	(18,395)	(3,058)	(22,038)	(4,172)
Other comprehensive income				
Total other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive loss for the period	(18,395)	(3,058)	(22,038)	(4,172)

The above condensed statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

### **Condensed Statement of Changes in Equity**

# For the three and six months ended 30 June 2023 (Unaudited)

	Share capital US\$'000	Accumulated losses US\$'000	Contributed equity reserve US\$'000	Group re- organisation reserve US\$'000	Total US\$'000
Balance as at 1 January 2023	122,708	(160,057)	368	(16,609)	(53,590)
Loss for the period	-	(22,038)	-	-	(22,038)
Share-based payment contribution	-	-	118	-	118
Balance as at 30 June 2023	122,708	(182,095)	486	(16,609)	(75,510)

	Share capital US\$'000	Accumulated losses US\$'000	Contributed equity reserve US\$'000	Group re- organisation reserve	Total US\$'000
Balance as at 1 January 2022	122,708	(81,505)	-	(24,813)	16,390
Loss for the period	-	(4,172)	-	-	(4,172)
Balance as at 30 June 2022	122,708	(85,677)	-	(24,813)	12,218

The above condensed statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

### **Condensed Statement of Cash Flows**

# For the three and six months ended 30 June 2023 (Unaudited)

	Three months ended 30 June 2023 US\$'000	Three months ended 30 June 2022 US\$'000	Six months ended 30 June 2023 US\$'000	Six months ended 30 June 2022 US\$'000
Cash flows from operating activities				
Payments to suppliers and employees	(2,329)	(861)	(5,006)	(1,847)
Interest paid	-	(32)	(6,250)	(6,282)
Net cash outflow from operating activities	(2,329)	(893)	(11,256)	(8,129)
Cash flows from investing activities				
Interest received	129	-	129	-
Payments for property, plant, and equipment	(26,755)	(25,861)	(67,873)	(45,801)
Proceeds on disposal of property, plant, and equipment	298	1,230	298	1,230
Net cash outflow from investing activities	(26,328)	(24,631)	(67,446)	(44,571)
Cash flows from financing activities Net proceeds / (repayments) with other group entities Transfer from funds held in escrow Repayment of lease liabilities Net cash inflow / (outflow) from financing activities	28,451 - (346) 28,105	(422) - (47) (469)	78,653 - (842) 77,811	3,401 56,250 (47) 59,604
Net (decrease) / increase in cash and cash equivalents	(552)	(25,993)	(891)	6,904
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	5,789	33,676	6,128	779
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	5,237	7,683	5,237	7,683

The above condensed statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

# JERVOIS MINING USA LIMITED Notes to the Condensed Interim Financial Statements For the three and six months ended 30 June 2023 (Unaudited)

### 1. Corporate information and basis of preparation

These unaudited condensed interim financial statements cover Jervois Mining USA Limited (the "Company") at the end of, or during, the three and six months ended 30 June 2023 (the "period"). The unaudited condensed interim financial statements are presented in United States dollars, which is Company's functional and presentation currency.

These unaudited condensed interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and interpretations adopted by the International Accounting Standards Board. These unaudited condensed interim financial statements have been prepared for information purposes only and may not be indicative of the financial performance of the Company. These unaudited condensed interim financial statements have been rounded to the nearest thousands.

### 2. Principal activity

The principal activity of the Company during the period was mine construction, followed by suspension of activities and maintenance of assets.