# 88 ENERGY LIMITED ACN 072 964 179

#### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is given that the Meeting will be held at:

**TIME**: 10:00 am (WST)

DATE: Monday, 13 May 2024

**PLACE**: Vibe Hotel Subiaco

Level 9

9 Alvan Street Subiaco WA 6008

This Notice of Meeting should be read in its entirety. If Shareholders are in doubt as to how they should vote, they should seek advice from their professional advisers prior to voting.

Should you wish to discuss the matters in this Notice of Meeting please do not hesitate to contact the Company Secretary on +61 8 9485 0990.

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Vibe Hotel Subiaco, Level 9, 9 Alvan Street, Subiaco, WA 6008

#### Your vote is important

The business of the Meeting affects your shareholding and your vote is important.

#### Voting eligibility

The Directors have determined pursuant to Regulation 7.11.37 of the Corporations Regulations 2001 (Cth) that the persons eligible to vote at the Meeting are those who are registered Shareholders at 10:00 am (AWST) on 11 May 2024.

DI Holders may attend the Meeting but will not be permitted to vote at the Meeting. For their votes to be counted DI Holders must submit their CREST Voting Instruction to the Company's agent by 4:00pm (BST) on 8 May 2024. Alternatively, DI Holders can vote using the enclosed Form of Instruction in accordance with the instructions below.

#### Voting in person

A Shareholder that is an individual may attend and vote in person at the Meeting. If you wish to attend the Meeting, please bring the enclosed proxy form to the meeting to assist in registering your attendance and number of votes. Please arrive 20 minutes prior to the start of the Meeting to facilitate this registration process.

#### Voting by proxy

If you do not wish to attend the Meeting, you may appoint a proxy to attend and vote on your behalf. A body corporate may also appoint a proxy. A proxy need not be a Shareholder. If a representative of a corporate proxy is to attend the Meeting, you must ensure that the appointment of the representative is in accordance with section 250D of the Corporations Act. The corporate representative should bring to the Meeting evidence of his or her appointment, including any authority under which the appointment is signed. A form of the certificate may be obtained from the Company's share registry.

If you are entitled to cast two or more votes, you are entitled to appoint up to two proxies to attend the meeting and vote on your behalf and may specify the proportion or number of votes that each proxy is entitled to exercise. If you do not specify the proportion or number of votes that each proxy is entitled to exercise, each proxy may exercise half of the votes. If you wish to appoint a second proxy, an additional proxy form may be obtained by telephoning the Company's share registry or you may copy the enclosed proxy form. To appoint a second proxy, you must follow the instructions on the proxy form.

Sections 250BB and 250BC of the Corporations Act apply to voting by proxy and will apply to this Meeting:

- (a) if proxy holders vote, they must cast all directed proxies as directed; and
- (b) any directed proxies which are not voted will automatically default to the Chair, who must vote the proxies as directed.

If the proxy has two or more appointments that specify different ways to vote on a resolution, the proxy must not vote on that resolution on a show of hands.

To be valid, your proxy form (and any power of attorney under which it is signed) must be received at an address given below by 10:00 am (WST) on 13 May 2024. Any proxy form received after that time will not be valid for the scheduled Meeting.

Online At <u>www.investorvote.com.au</u>

**By mail** Share Registry – Computershare Investor Services Pty Limited

GPO Box 242.

MELBOURNE VIC 3001

By fax 1800 783 447 (within Australia)

+61 3 9473 2555 (outside Australia)

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#### **United Kingdom (CREST Voting Instruction)**

DI Holders in CREST may transmit voting instructions by utilising the CREST voting service in accordance with the procedures described in the CREST Manual. CREST personal members or other CREST sponsored members, and those CREST members who have appointed a voting service provider, should refer to their CREST sponsor or voting service provider, who will be able to take appropriate action on their behalf.

In order for instructions made using the CREST voting service to be valid, the appropriate CREST message (**CREST Voting Instruction**) must be properly authenticated in accordance with Euroclear's specifications and must contain the information required for such instructions, as described in the CREST Manual (available via <a href="https://www.euroclear.com/CREST">www.euroclear.com/CREST</a>).

To be effective, the CREST Voting Instruction must be transmitted so as to be received by the Company's agent (3RA50) no later than 4:00pm (BST) on Wednesday, 8 May 2024. For this purpose, the time of receipt will be taken to be the time (as determined by the timestamp applied to the CREST Voting Instruction by the CREST applications host) from which the Company's agent is able to retrieve the CREST Voting Instruction by enquiry to CREST in the manner prescribed by CREST. DI Holders in CREST and, where applicable, their CREST sponsors or voting service providers should note that Euroclear does not make available special procedures in CREST for any particular messages. Normal system timings and limitations will therefore apply in relation to the transmission of CREST Voting Instructions. It is the responsibility of the DI Holder concerned to take (or, if the DI Holder is a CREST personal member or sponsored member or has appointed a voting service provider, to procure that the CREST sponsor or voting service provider takes) such action as shall be necessary to ensure that a CREST Voting Instruction is transmitted by means of the CREST voting service by any particular time.

In this connection, DI Holders and, where applicable, their CREST sponsors or voting service providers are referred, in particular, to those sections of the CREST Manual concerning practical limitations of the CREST system and timings.

#### Form of Instruction

DI Holders are invited to attend the Meeting but are not entitled to vote at the Meeting. In order to have votes cast at the Meeting on their behalf, DI Holders must complete, sign and return the Forms of Instruction sent to them together with this Notice to the Company's agent, Computershare UK, by no later than 4:00pm (BST) on Wednesday, 8 May 2024.

#### BUSINESS OF THE MEETING

#### **AGENDA**

#### 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND REPORTS

To receive and consider the annual financial report of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2023 together with the declaration of the Directors, the Directors' report, the Remuneration Report, and the Auditor's report.

#### 2. RESOLUTION 1 – ADOPTION OF REMUNERATION REPORT

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as a **non-binding resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of section 250R(2) of the Corporations Act, and for all other purposes, the Remuneration Report forming part of the Company's 2023 Annual Report be and is hereby adopted."

Note: the vote on this Resolution is advisory only and does not bind the Directors or the Company.

#### **Voting Prohibition Statement:**

A vote on this Resolution must not be cast (in any capacity) by or on behalf of either of the following persons:

- (a) a member of the Key Management Personnel, details of whose remuneration are included in the Remuneration Report; or
- (b) a Closely Related Party of such a member.

However, a person (the **voter**) described above may cast a vote on this Resolution as a proxy if the vote is not cast on behalf of a person described above and either:

- (a) the voter is appointed as a proxy by writing that specifies the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution; or
- (b) the voter is the Chair and the appointment of the Chair as proxy:
  - (i) does not specify the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution; and
  - (ii) expressly authorises the Chair to exercise the proxy even though this Resolution is connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of a member of the Key Management Personnel.

#### 3. RESOLUTION 2 – RE-ELECTION OF MR PHILIP BYRNE AS A DIRECTOR

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That, for the purpose of clause 11.2(b) of the Constitution, Listing Rule 14.5 and for all other purposes, Mr Philip Byrne, a Director, retires by rotation, and being eligible, is re-elected as a Director."

#### 4. RESOLUTION 3 – APPROVAL OF 7.1A MANDATE

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following Resolution as a **special** resolution:

"That, for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.1A and for all other purposes, approval is given to the Company to issue up to that number of Equity Securities equal to 10% of the issued capital of the Company at the time of issue, calculated in accordance with the formula prescribed in Listing Rule 7.1A.2 and otherwise on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement."

**Voting Exclusion Statement:** A person who is expected to participate in, or who will obtain a material benefit as a result of, the proposed issue (except a benefit solely by reason of being a holder of ordinary securities in the Company) or an associate of that person (or those persons).

However, this does not apply to a vote cast in favour of the Resolution by:

- (a) a person as a proxy or attorney for a person who is entitled to vote on the Resolution, in accordance with the directions given to the proxy or attorney to vote on the Resolution in that way; or
- (b) the Chair as proxy or attorney for a person who is entitled to vote on the Resolution, in accordance with a direction given to the Chair to vote on the Resolution as the Chair decides; or
- (c) a holder acting solely in a nominee, trustee, custodial or other fiduciary capacity on behalf of a beneficiary provided the following conditions are met:
  - (i) the beneficiary provides written confirmation to the holder that the beneficiary is not excluded from voting, and is not an associate of a person excluded from voting, on the Resolution; and
  - (ii) the holder votes on the Resolution in accordance with directions given by the beneficiary to the holder to vote in that way.

#### 5. RESOLUTION 4 – ADOPTION OF PERFORMANCE RIGHTS PLAN

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That, for the purpose of ASX Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13(b)) and for all other purposes, approval is given to adopt an employee incentive scheme titled Employee Incentive Performance Rights Plan and for the issue of up to a maximum of 2,472,542,056 Performance Rights (10% of the existing Shares issued by the Company) under that Plan on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement."

#### **Voting Exclusion Statement:**

The Company will disregard any votes cast in favour of this Resolution by a person who is eligible to participate in the employee incentive scheme or an associate of that person or those persons. However, this does not apply to a vote cast in favour of the Resolution by:

- (a) a person as a proxy or attorney for a person who is entitled to vote on the Resolution, in accordance with the directions given to the proxy or attorney to vote on the Resolution in that way; or
- (b) the Chair as proxy or attorney for a person who is entitled to vote on the Resolution, in accordance with a direction given to the Chair to vote on the Resolution as the Chair decides; or
- (c) a holder acting solely in a nominee, trustee, custodial or other fiduciary capacity on behalf of a beneficiary provided the following conditions are met:

- (i) the beneficiary provides written confirmation to the holder that the beneficiary is not excluded from voting, and is not an associate of a person excluded from voting, on the resolution; and
- (ii) the holder votes on the resolution in accordance with directions given by the beneficiary to the holder to vote in that way.

#### **Voting Prohibition Statement:**

A person appointed as a proxy must not vote, on the basis of that appointment, on this Resolution if:

- (a) the proxy is either:
  - (i) a member of the Key Management Personnel; or
  - (ii) a Closely Related Party of such a member; and
- (b) the appointment does not specify the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution. However, the above prohibition does not apply if:
- (a) the proxy is the Chair; and
- (b) the appointment expressly authorises the Chair to exercise the proxy even though this Resolution is connected directly or indirectly with remuneration of a member of the Key Management Personnel.

## 6. RESOLUTION 5 - RE-INSERTION OF PROPORTIONAL TAKEOVER PROVISIONS IN THE CONSTITUTION

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as a **special** resolution:

"That, for the purposes of sections 136(2) and 648G of the Corporations Act and for all other purposes, approval is given for the Company to modify its existing Constitution by re-inserting clause 22 in the form set out in Annexure A."

#### 7. RESOLUTION 6 – CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That, pursuant to Section 327B(1)(b) of the Corporations Act and for all other purposes, BDO Audit Pty Ltd, having been nominated by a shareholder and having given its consent in writing to act as auditor, be appointed as the auditor of the Company to hold office from the conclusion of this Annual General Meeting until it resigns or is removed from the office of auditor of the Company."

Dated: 18 March 2024

By order of the Board

Philip Byrne Chairman

#### **EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

This Explanatory Statement has been prepared to provide information which the Directors believe to be material to Shareholders in deciding whether or not to pass the Resolutions.

#### 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND REPORTS

In accordance with the Corporations Act, the business of the Annual General Meeting will include receipt and consideration of the annual financial report of the Company for the period from 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023 together with the Directors' declaration, the Directors' Report, the Remuneration Report and the Auditor's Report.

The Company will not provide a hard copy of the Company's annual financial report to Shareholders unless specifically requested to do so. The Company's annual financial report is available on its website at www.88energy.com or on the ASX platform for "88E" at www.asx.com.au.

#### 2. RESOLUTION 1 – ADOPTION OF REMUNERATION REPORT

#### 2.1 General

The Corporations Act requires that at a listed company's annual general meeting, a resolution that the remuneration report be adopted must be put to the shareholders. However, such a resolution is advisory only and does not bind the company or the directors of the company.

The remuneration report sets out the company's remuneration arrangements for the directors and senior management of the company. The remuneration report is part of the directors' report contained in the annual financial report of the company for a financial year.

The chair of the meeting must allow a reasonable opportunity for its shareholders to ask questions about or make comments on the remuneration report at the annual general meeting.

#### 2.2 Voting consequences

A company is required to put to its shareholders a resolution proposing the calling of another meeting of shareholders to consider the appointment of directors of the company (**Spill Resolution**) if, at consecutive annual general meetings, at least 25% of the votes cast on a remuneration report resolution are voted against adoption of the remuneration report and at the first of those annual general meetings a Spill Resolution was not put to vote. If required, the Spill Resolution must be put to vote at the second of those annual general meetings.

If more than 50% of votes cast are in favour of the Spill Resolution, the company must convene a shareholder meeting (**Spill Meeting**) within 90 days of the second annual general meeting.

All of the directors of the company who were in office when the directors' report (as included in the company's annual financial report for the most recent financial year) was approved, other than the managing director of the company, will cease to hold office immediately before the end of the Spill Meeting but may stand for re-election at the Spill Meeting.

Following the Spill Meeting those persons whose election or re-election as directors of the company is approved will be the directors of the company.

#### 2.3 Previous voting results

At the Company's previous annual general meeting, the votes cast against the remuneration report considered at considered at that annual general meeting were more than 25%, a Spill Resolution was put to the vote at that annual general meeting under an earlier application of section 250V of the Corporations Act, and that Spill Resolution was not carried. In accordance with section 250U of the Corporations Act, the strike count has been reset for the 2024 AGM.

Accordingly, the Spill Resolution will not be relevant for this Meeting. If at least 25% of the votes cast on this Resolution 1 are voted against adoption of the Remuneration Report, the Company will received a "first strike" as described above.

#### 2.4 Proxy voting restrictions

Shareholders appointing a proxy for this Resolution should note the following:

Proxy	Directions given	No directions given
Key Management Personnel <sup>1</sup>	Vote as directed	Unable to vote <sup>3</sup>
Chair <sup>2</sup>	Vote as directed	Able to vote at discretion of Proxy <sup>4</sup>
Other	Vote as directed	Able to vote at discretion of Proxy

#### Notes:

- <sup>1</sup> Refers to Key Management Personnel (other than the Chair) whose remuneration details are included in the Remuneration Report, or a Closely Related Party of such a member.
- <sup>2</sup> Refers to the Chair (where he/she is also a member of the Key Management Personnel whose remuneration details are included in the Remuneration Report), or a Closely Related Party of such a member.
- <sup>3</sup> Undirected proxies granted to these persons will not be voted and will not be counted in calculating the required majority if a poll is called on this Resolution.
- <sup>4</sup> The Proxy Form notes it is the Chair's intention to vote all undirected proxies in favour of all Resolutions.

#### 3. RESOLUTION 2 – RE-ELECTION OF MR PHILIP BYRNE AS A DIRECTOR

#### 3.1 Background

Listing Rule 14.5 provides that an entity which has directors must hold an election of directors at each annual general meeting.

The Constitution sets out the requirements for determining which Directors are to retire by rotation at an annual general meeting.

Mr Philip Byrne, who was appointed by other Directors on 2 August 2021 in accordance with the Constitution and was elected on 16 May 2022, retires by rotation and seeks re-election from Shareholders.

#### 3.2 Qualifications and other material directorships

Mr Byrne is a petroleum geologist by training with over 40 years' experience in the international oil and gas industry across technical, exploration, commercial and executive leadership roles. Previous positions he has held include Executive Vice

President Marketing & Trading and Commercial, for Santos Energy, Managing Director and CEO of Nido Petroleum, President of the North-West Shelf Australia LNG organisation (the JV marketing arm of the NW Shelf LNG Project) and various roles with BHP Petroleum including General Manager (Pakistan), President Gas Marketing (Asia/Australia) and General Manager (Australia).

#### 3.3 Independence

If re-elected, the Board considers Mr Byrne will be an independent director.

#### 3.4 Technical information required by Listing Rule 14.1A

If Resolution 3 is passed, Mr Byrne will be re-elected to the Board as an independent non-executive Director.

In the event that Resolution 3 is not passed, Mr Byrne will not continue in their role as an independent non-executive Director. The Company may seek nominations or otherwise identify suitably qualified candidates to join the Company. As an additional consequence, this may detract from the Board and Company's ability to execute on its strategic vision.

#### 3.5 Board recommendation

The Board has reviewed Mr Byrne's performance since his appointment to the Board and considers that Mr Byrne's skills and experience will continue to enhance the Board's ability to perform its role. Accordingly, the Board supports the reelection of Mr Byrne and recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 2.

#### 4. RESOLUTION 3 – APPROVAL OF 7.1A MANDATE

#### 4.1 General

Broadly speaking, and subject to a number of exceptions, ASX Listing Rule 7.1 limits the amount of Equity Securities that a listed company can issue without the approval of its shareholders over any 12 month period to 15% of the fully paid ordinary securities it had on issue at the start of that period.

However, under ASX Listing Rule 7.1A, an eligible entity may seek shareholder approval by way of a special resolution passed at its annual general meeting to increase this 15% limit by an extra 10% to 25% (7.1A Mandate).

An 'eligible entity' means an entity which is not included in the S&P/ASX 300 Index and has a market capitalisation of \$300,000,000 or less. The Company is an eligible entity for these purposes.

As at the date of this Notice, the Company is an eligible entity as it is not included in the S&P/ASX 300 Index and has a current market capitalisation of approximately \$98,901,682 (based on the number of Shares on issue and the closing price of Shares on the ASX on 12 February 2024).

Resolution 3 seeks Shareholder approval by way of special resolution for the Company to have the additional 10% placement capacity provided for in Listing Rule 7.1A to issue Equity Securities without Shareholder approval.

For note, a special resolution is a resolution requiring at least 75% of votes cast by shareholders present and eligible to vote at the meeting in favour of the resolution.

If Resolution 3 is passed, the Company will be able to issue Equity Securities up to the combined 25% limit in Listing Rules 7.1 and 7.1A without any further Shareholder approval.

If Resolution 3 is not passed, the Company will not be able to access the additional 10% capacity to issue Equity Securities without Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 7.1A, and will remain subject to the 15% limit on issuing Equity Securities without Shareholder approval set out in Listing Rule 7.1.

#### 4.2 Technical information required by Listing Rule 7.1A

Pursuant to and in accordance with ASX Listing Rule 7.3A, the information below is provided in relation to this Resolution 3:

#### (a) Period for which the 7.1A Mandate is valid

The 7.1A Mandate will commence on the date of the Meeting and expiring on the first to occur of the following:

- (i) the date that is 12 months after the date of this Meeting;
- (ii) the time and date of the Company's next annual general meeting; and
- (iii) the time and date of approval by Shareholders of any transaction under Listing Rule 11.1.2 (a significant change in the nature or scale of activities) or Listing Rule 11.2 (disposal of the main undertaking).

#### (b) Minimum Price

The minimum price at which the Equity Securities may be issued is 75% of the volume weighted average price of Equity Securities in that class, calculated over the 15 ASX trading days on which trades in that class were recorded immediately before:

- (i) the date on which the price at which the Equity Securities are to be issued is agreed; or
- (ii) if the Equity Securities are not issued within 10 ASX trading days of the date in section 4.2(b)(i), the date on which the Equity Securities are issued.

#### (c) Use of funds raised under the 7.1A Mandate

The Company intends to use funds raised from issues of Equity Securities under the 7.1A Mandate for the purpose set out for Shareholders at the time of such an issue. However, in general terms, the Company could issue Equity Securities under the additional placement capacity to raise cash to fund the Company's forward exploration and development work programs, for general working capital expenses, or acquiring new assets (including any expenses associated with such an acquisition). The Company is planning on a flow test of the Hickory-1 well in Q4 2023 / Q1 2024 Alaskan winter season, which may include the testing of multiple zones, as well as may look to acquire additional exploration and or production assets during 2023 and 2024 that will require additional funding and investment. Further, the Company may look to advance exploration work-programs at Project Phoenix upon a successful flow test

of the Hickory-1 well, including a possible re-entry and testing of Icewine-

The Company will comply with the disclosure obligations under ASX Listing Rules 7.1A(4) and 3.10.5A upon issue of any Equity Securities.

#### (d) Risk of Economic and Voting Dilution

Any issue of Equity Securities under the 7.1A Mandate will dilute the interests of Shareholders who do not receive any Shares under the issue.

If Resolution 3 is approved by Shareholders and the Company issues the maximum number of Equity Securities available under the 7.1A Mandate, the economic and voting dilution of existing Shares would be as shown in the table below.

The table below shows the dilution of existing Shareholders calculated in accordance with the formula outlined in ASX Listing Rule 7.1A(2), on the basis of the current market price of Shares and the current number of Equity Securities on issue as at 12 February 2024.

The table also shows the voting dilution impact where the number of Shares on issue (Variable A in the formula) changes and the economic dilution where there are changes in the issue price of Shares issued under the 7.1A Mandate.

Number of				
Shares on Issue (Variable A in	Dilution	\$0.002	\$0.004	\$0.008
Listing Rule 7.1A.2)		50% decrease in Issue Price	Issue Price	100 % increase in Issue Price
24,725,420,561 (Current)	Issue Price	2,472,542,056 Shares	2,472,542,056 Shares	2,472,542,056 Shares
	Funds Raised	\$4,945,084	\$9,890,168	\$19,780,336
37,088,130,842 (50% increase)*	Shares issued	3,708,813,084 Shares	3,708,813,084 Shares	3,708,813,084 Shares
(50% increase)	Funds raised	\$7,417,626	\$14,835,252	\$29,670,505
49,450,841,122 (100%	Shares issued	4,945,084,112 Shares	4,945,084,112 Shares	4,945,084,112 Shares
increase)*	Funds raised	\$9,890,168	\$19,780,336	\$39,560,672

<sup>\*</sup>The number of Shares on issue (Variable A in the formula) could increase as a result of the issue of Shares that do not require Shareholder approval (such as under a prorata rights issue conversion of options or scrip issued under a takeover offer) or that are issued with Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 7.1.

#### The table above uses the following assumptions:

- 1. There are currently 24,725,420,561 existing Shares on issue as at the date of this Notice.
- 2. The issue price set out above is the closing price of the Shares on the ASX on 12 February 2024 (being \$0.004).
- 3. The Company issues the maximum possible number of Equity Securities under the 7.1A Mandate.
- 4. The Company has not issued any Equity Securities in the 12 months prior to the Meeting that were not issued under an exception in ASX Listing Rule 7.2 or with approval under ASX Listing Rule 7.1.
- 5. The issue of Equity Securities under the 7.1A Mandate consists only of Shares. It is assumed that no Convertible Securities vest into Shares before the date of issue of the Equity Securities.

- 6. The calculations above do not show the dilution that any one particular Shareholder will be subject to. All Shareholders should consider the dilution caused to their own shareholding depending on their specific circumstances.
- 7. This table does not set out any dilution pursuant to approvals under ASX Listing Rule 7.1 unless otherwise disclosed.
- 8. The 10% voting dilution reflects the aggregate percentage dilution against the issued share capital at the time of issue. This is why the voting dilution is shown in each example as 10%.
- 9. The table does not show an example of dilution that may be caused to a particular Shareholder by reason of placements under the 7.1A Mandate, based on that Shareholder's holding at the date of the Meeting.

Shareholders should note that there is a risk that:

- (i) the market price for the Company's Shares may be significantly lower on the issue date than on the date of the Meeting; and
- (ii) the Shares may be issued at a price that is at a discount to the market price for those Shares on the date of issue.

#### (e) Allocation policy under the 7.1A Mandate

The recipients of the Equity Securities to be issued under the 7.1A Mandate have not yet been determined. However, the recipients of Equity Securities could consist of current Shareholders or new investors (or both), none of whom will be related parties of the Company.

The Company will determine the recipients at the time of the issue under the 7.1A Mandate, having regard to the following factors:

- (i) the purpose of the issue;
- (ii) alternative methods for raising funds available to the Company at that time, including, but not limited to, an entitlement issue, share purchase plan, placement or other offer where existing Shareholders may participate;
- (iii) the effect of the issue of the Equity Securities on the control of the Company;
- (iv) the circumstances of the Company, including, but not limited to, the financial position and solvency of the Company;
- (v) prevailing market conditions; and
- (vi) advice from corporate, financial and broking advisers (if applicable).

#### (f) Previous Approval under ASX Listing Rule 7.1A

The Company previously obtained approval from its Shareholders pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.1A at its annual general meeting held on 11 May 2023 (**Previous Approval**).

During the 12-month period preceding the date of the Meeting, being on and from 2 May 2023, the Company issued 2,066,093,857 Shares pursuant to the Previous Approval (**Previous Issue**), which represent approximate 10.01% of the total diluted number of Equity Securities on issue in the Company on 2 May 2023, which was 20,643,410,268.

Further details of the issues of Equity Securities by the Company pursuant to Listing Rule 7.1A.2 during the 12-month preceding the date of the Meeting are set out below.

The following information is provided in accordance with Listing Rule 7.3A.6(b) in respect of the Previous Issue:

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Date of Issue and Appendix 2A	8 September 2023				
Recipients	Domestic and international institutional and sophisticated investors as part of a shortfall offer placement announced on 31 August 2023. The participants were identified through a bookbuild process, which involved Euroz Hartleys Limited as lead manager and bookrunner, Cenkos Securities Plc as nominated adviser and broker to the placement in the United Kingdom, and Inyati Capital as co-manager to the offer, seeking expressions of interest to participate in the placement from non-related parties of the Company.				
	None of the participants in the placement were material investors that are required to be disclosed under Guidance Note 21.				
Number and Class of Equity Securities Issued	782,716,470 Shares <sup>2</sup>				
Issue Price and discount to Market Price <sup>1</sup> (if any)	A $0.006/£0.0031$ per Share (at a discount 25% to Market Price).				
Total Cash	<b>Amount raised</b> : \$4,696,299				
Consideration and Use of Funds	<b>Amount spent</b> : \$3,548,429 (at 29 Feb 24)				
	<b>Use of funds</b> : to provide the Company with further capital to fund 88E's share of the Hickory-1 well flow test at Project Phoenix, and for the permitting and planning for a potential new well at Project Leonis and working capital				
	Amount remaining: \$1,147,870				
	<b>Proposed use of remaining funds</b> <sup>3</sup> : to progress exploration activities at Project Phoenix and Project Leonis and working capital.				
Date of Issue and Appendix 2A	8 December 2023				
Recipients	Domestic and international institutional and sophisticated investors as part of a Placement announced on 29 November 2023. The Placement participants were identified through a bookbuild process, which involved Euroz Hartleys Limited as lead manager and bookrunner to the placement, Cenkos Securities Plc as nominated adviser and broker in the United Kingdom, and Inyati Capital as co-manager to the placement, seeking expressions of interest to participate in the placement from non-related parties of the Company.				
	None of the participants in the placement were material investors that are required to be disclosed under Guidance Note 21.				

Number and Class of Equity Securities Issued	1,283,377,387 Shares <sup>2</sup>			
Issue Price and discount to Market Price <sup>1</sup> (if any)	A $0.0045$ £ $0.0023$ per Share (at a discount 12.5% to Market Price).			
Total Cash	<b>Amount raised</b> : \$5,775,198			
Consideration and Use of Funds	<b>Amount spent</b> : \$873,975 (at 29 Feb 24)			
	<b>Use of funds</b> : to fund the upcoming flow testing operations at the Project Phoenix Hickory-1 well, initial farm-in exploration activities at the recently acquired Owambo Basin acreage in Namibia and contingencies and working capital.			
	Amount remaining: \$4,901,223			
	<b>Proposed use of remaining funds</b> <sup>3</sup> : to progress exploration activities at Project Phoenix, Owombo Basin and working capital.			

#### Notes:

- Market Price means the closing price of Shares on ASX (excluding special crossings, overnight sales and exchange traded option exercises). For the purposes of this table the discount is calculated on the Market Price on the last trading day on which a sale was recorded prior to the date of issue of the relevant Equity Securities.
- 2. Fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Company, ASX Code: 88E (terms are set out in the Constitution).
- 3. This is a statement of current intentions as at the date of this Notice. As with any budget, intervening events and new circumstances have the potential to affect the manner in which the funds are ultimately applied. The Board reserves the right to alter the way the funds are applied on this basis.

#### 4.3 Voting Exclusion

A voting exclusion statement is included in Resolution 3 of this Notice.

#### 5. RESOLUTION 4 – ADOPTION OF PERFORMANCE RIGHTS PLAN

#### 5.1 General

Resolution 4 seeks Shareholder approval to establish and maintain an employee incentive performance rights plan (**Plan**) to provide ongoing incentives to Directors, executives and employees of the Company and for the issue of up to a maximum of 2,472,542,056 Performance Rights (10% of the existing Shares issued by the Company) under the Plan in accordance with Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13(b)).

Shareholders approved a performance rights plan on 15 October 2018 (Former Plan) and re-approved the Former Plan on 8 November 2021. Subsequently, on 1 October 2022, the employee shares scheme that the Former Plan was regulated under, ASIC Class Order 14/1000 (Employee Incentive Scheme), was replaced by an analogous new Division 1A of Part 7.12 of the Corporations Act (Corporations Act Exemption). The Company seeks to adopt the new Plan to align with the Corporations Act Exemption.

The reason for the adoption of a new Plan is to create a stronger link between employee and executive performance, and reward achievement of business objectives and Shareholder value creation.

The objective of the Plan is to provide the Company with a remuneration mechanism, through the issue of securities in the capital of the Company, to motivate and reward the performance of the Directors and employees in achieving specified performance milestones within a specified performance period. The Board will ensure that the performance milestones attached to the securities issued pursuant to the Plan are aligned with the successful growth of the Company's business activities.

The Directors and employees of the Company have been, and will continue to be, instrumental in the growth of the Company. The Directors consider that the Plan is an appropriate method to:

- (a) reward executives and employees for their past performance;
- (b) provide long term incentives for participation in the Company's future growth;
- (c) motivate executives and generate loyalty from senior employees; and
- (d) assist to retain the services of valuable executives and employees.

The Plan will be used as part of the remuneration planning for executive directors and employees. The Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations published by the ASX Corporate Governance Council recommend that executive remuneration packages involve a balance between fixed and incentive pay reflecting short and long-term performance objectives appropriate to the company' circumstances and goals.

#### 5.2 ASX Listing Rule 7.1

Broadly speaking, and subject to a number of exceptions, Listing Rule 7.1 limits the amount of equity securities that a listed company can issue without the approval of its shareholders over any 12 month period to 15% of the fully paid ordinary shares it had on issue at the start of that period.

Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13(b)) provides that Listing Rule 7.1 does not apply to an issue of securities under an employee incentive scheme if, within three years before the date of issue of the securities, the holders of the entity's ordinary securities have approved the issue of equity securities under the scheme as exception to Listing Rule 7.1.

Exception 13(b) is only available if and to the extent that the number of equity securities issued under the scheme does not exceed the maximum number set out in the entity's notice of meeting dispatched to shareholders in respect of the meeting at which shareholder approval was obtained pursuant to Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13(b). Exception 13(b) also ceases to be available if there is a material change to the terms of the scheme from those set out in the notice of meeting.

If Resolution 4 is passed, the Company will be able to issue Performance Rights under the Plan to eligible participants over a period of 3 years. The issue of any Performance Rights to eligible participants under the Plan (up to the maximum number of Performance Rights stated in Section 7.3(d) below) will be excluded from the calculation of the number of equity securities that the Company can issue without Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 7.1.

For the avoidance of doubt, the Company must seek Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 10.14 in respect of any future issues of Performance Rights under

the Plan to a related party or a person whose relationship with the company or the related party is, in ASX's opinion, such that approval should be obtained.

If Resolution 4 is not passed, the Company will be able to proceed with the issue of Performance Rights under the Plan to eligible participants, but any issues of Performance Rights will reduce, to that extent, the Company's capacity to issue equity securities without Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 7.1 for the 12 month period following the issue of the Performance Rights.

#### 5.3 Technical information required by Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13)

Pursuant to and in accordance with Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13), the following information is provided in relation to Resolution 4:

- (a) a summary of the Plan is set out in Schedule 1;
- (b) the Company has not issued any Performance Rights under the Plan as this is the first time that Shareholder approval is being sought for the adoption of the Plan;
- (c) the Company is seeking Shareholder approval to adopt the Plan to include the new terms and conditions required by Division 1A of Part 7.12 of the Corporations Act, which replaced the previous relief provided by ASIC Class Order 14/1000 (Employee Incentive Scheme); and
- (d) the maximum number of Performance Rights proposed to be issued under the Plan, following Shareholder approval, is 2,472,542,056 Performance Rights. It is not envisaged that the maximum number of Securities for which approval is sought will be issued immediately.

## 6. RESOLUTION 5 - RE-INSERTION OF PROPORTIONAL TAKEOVER PROVISIONS IN THE CONSTITUTION

#### 6.1 General

A proportional takeover bid is a takeover bid where the offer made to each shareholder is only for a proportion of that shareholder's shares.

Pursuant to section 648G of the Corporations Act, an entity may include a provision in its constitution whereby a proportional takeover bid for shares may only proceed after the bid has been approved by a meeting of shareholders held in accordance with the terms set out in the Corporations Act.

In accordance with section 648G(1) of the Corporations Act, such clause will cease to apply the end of 3 years from adoption or renewal as appropriate unless otherwise specified. When this clause ceases to apply, the constitution will be modified by omitting the clause.

A company may renew its proportional takeover approval provisions in the same manner in which a company can modify its constitution (i.e., by special resolution of shareholders).

The proportional takeover provisions contained in clause 22 of the Constitution are no longer operative as it has been more than three years since they were last approved by Shareholders.

Resolution 5 is a special resolution which will enable the Company to modify its Constitution by re-inserting proportional takeover provisions into the Constitution

in the form of clause 22. The new clause 22 is in the same form as the existing clause 22 (as set out in Annexure A of this Notice).

A copy of the Amended Constitution is available for review by Shareholders at the office of the Company. A copy of the Amended Constitution can also be sent to Shareholders upon request to the Company Secretary. Shareholders are invited to contact the Company if they have any queries or concerns.

#### Information required by section 648G of the Corporations Act

Effect of proposed proportional takeover provisions

Where offers have been made under a proportional off-market bid in respect of a class of securities in a company, the registration of a transfer giving effect to a contract resulting from the acceptance of an offer made under such a proportional off-market bid is prohibited unless and until a resolution to approve the proportional off-market bid is passed.

Reasons for proportional takeover provisions

A proportional takeover bid may result in control of the Company changing without Shareholders having the opportunity to dispose of all their Shares. By making a partial bid, a bidder can obtain practical control of the Company by acquiring less than a majority interest. Shareholders are exposed to the risk of being left as a minority in the Company and the risk of the bidder being able to acquire control of the Company without payment of an adequate control premium. These amended provisions allow Shareholders to decide whether a proportional takeover bid is acceptable in principle, and assist in ensuring that any partial bid is appropriately priced.

Knowledge of any acquisition proposals

As at the date of this Notice, no Director is aware of any proposal by any person to acquire, or to increase the extent of, a substantial interest in the Company.

Potential advantages and disadvantages of proportional takeover provisions

The Directors consider that the proportional takeover provisions have no potential advantages or disadvantages for them and that they remain free to make a recommendation on whether an offer under a proportional takeover bid should be accepted.

The potential advantages of the proportional takeover provisions for Shareholders include:

- (a) the right to decide by majority vote whether an offer under a proportional takeover bid should proceed;
- (b) assisting in preventing Shareholders from being locked in as a minority;
- (c) increasing the bargaining power of Shareholders which may assist in ensuring that any proportional takeover bid is adequately priced; and
- (d) each individual Shareholder may better assess the likely outcome of the proportional takeover bid by knowing the view of the majority of Shareholders which may assist in deciding whether to accept or reject an offer under the takeover bid.

The potential disadvantages of the proportional takeover provisions for Shareholders include:

- (a) proportional takeover bids may be discouraged;
- (b) lost opportunity to sell a portion of their Shares at a premium; and
- (c) the likelihood of a proportional takeover bid succeeding may be reduced.

#### Recommendation of the Board

The Directors do not believe the potential disadvantages outweigh the potential advantages of re-inserting the proportional takeover provisions and as a result consider that re-insertion of the proportional takeover provision in the Constitution is in the interest of Shareholders and unanimously recommend that Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 5.

#### 7. RESOLUTION 6 – CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR

#### 7.1 Background

On 8 February 2024, in accordance with section 327C of the Corporations Act 2001, the Company appointed BDO Audit Pty Ltd (**BDO Audit**) as auditor of the Company following ASIC's consent to the resignation of the previous auditor of the Company, BDO Audit (WA) Pty Ltd, in accordance with Section 329(5) of the Corporations Act 2001.

Following the above appointment, and in accordance with section 327C(2) of the Corporations Act, BDO Audit holds office as auditor of the Company until the Company's next Annual General Meeting, being the meeting the subject of this Notice of Meeting.

In accordance with section 327B(1)(b), the Company now seeks Shareholder approval for the ongoing appointment of BDO Audit as auditor of the Company and its controlled entities.

In accordance with section 328B of the Corporations Act 2001, notice in writing nominating BDO Audit as auditor has been given to the Company by a Shareholder. A copy of this notice is attached to this Notice of Meeting as Annexure B.

BDO Audit has provided to the Company, and has not withdrawn, its written consent to act as auditor of the Company, in accordance with section 328A(1) of the Corporations Act.

If this Resolution 6 is passed, the appointment of BDO Audit as the Company's auditor will take effect at the close of this Meeting.

#### 7.2 Board Recommendation

The Board recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of this Resolution 6. The Chairman of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of this Resolution.

#### **GLOSSARY**

\$ or \$A means Australian dollars.

£ means United Kingdom pound.

**7.1A Mandate** has the meaning given in Section 4.1.

**Annual General Meeting** or **Meeting** means the meeting convened by the Notice.

**ASIC** means the Australian Securities & Investments Commission.

**ASX** means ASX Limited (ACN 008 624 691) or the financial market operated by ASX Limited, as the context requires.

**BDO Audit** means BDO Audit Pty Ltd.

**Board** means the current board of directors of the Company.

**Business Day** means Monday to Friday inclusive, except New Year's Day, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Christmas Day, Boxing Day, and any other day that ASX declares is not a business day.

**Brokers** means Euroz Hartleys, Cenkos and Inyati.

**BST** means British Summer Time as observed in the United Kingdom.

Cenkos means Cenkos Securities Plc.

Chair means the chair of the Meeting.

**Closely Related Party** of a member of the Key Management Personnel means:

- (a) a spouse or child of the member;
- (b) a child of the member's spouse;
- (c) a dependent of the member or the member's spouse;
- (d) anyone else who is one of the member's family and may be expected to influence the member, or be influenced by the member, in the member's dealing with the entity;

- (e) a company the member controls; or
- (f) a person prescribed by the Corporations Regulations 2001 (Cth) for the purposes of the definition of 'closely related party' in the Corporations Act.

**Company** or **88E** means 88 Energy Limited (ACN 072 964 179).

**Constitution** means the Company's constitution.

**Corporations Act** means the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth).

**DI** means a depository interest representing a Share listed (or to be listed) on the AIM Market of the London Stock Exchange.

DI Holder means a holder of a DI.

**Directors** means the current directors of the Company.

**Equity Securities** includes a Share, a right to a Share or Option, an Option, a convertible security and any security that ASX decides to classify as an Equity Security.

**Euroz Hartleys** means Euroz Hartleys Limited (ACN 104 195 057) (AFSL 230052).

**Explanatory Statement** means the explanatory statement accompanying the Notice.

**Inyati** means Inyati Capital Pty Ltd (ABN 83 642 351 193).

Key Management Personnel has the same meaning as in the accounting standards issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board and means those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company, or if the Company is part of a consolidated entity, directly or indirectly, including any director (whether executive or otherwise)

of the Company, or if the Company is part of a consolidated entity, of an entity within the consolidated group.

**Listing Rules** means the Listing Rules of ASX.

**Notice** or **Notice of Meeting** means this notice of meeting including the Explanatory Statement and the Proxy Form.

**Option** means an option to acquire a Share.

**Optionholder** means a holder of an Option.

**Performance Rights** means an instrument exercisable into Shares upon achievement of a vesting condition or milestone (as applicable).

**Proxy Form** means the proxy form accompanying the Notice.

**Plan** means the Company's performance rights plan.

**Remuneration Report** means the remuneration report set out in the Director's report section of the Company's annual financial report for the year ended 31 December 2023.

**Resolutions** means the resolutions set out in the Notice, or any one of them, as the context requires.

**Section** means a section of the Explanatory Statement.

**Share** means a fully paid ordinary share in the capital of the Company.

**Shareholder** means a registered holder of a Share.

**Variable A** means "A" as set out in the formula in Listing Rule 7.1A.2.

**VWAP** means volume weighted average price.

**WST** means Western Standard Time as observed in Perth, Western Australia.

#### ANNEXURE A - PROPORTIONAL TAKEOVER APPROVAL (CLAUSE 22)

#### 22. Proportional takeover approval

#### 22.1 Definitions

In this rule 21:

**offer period** has the meaning given to that expression in section 9 of the Corporations Act;

**relevant day** in relation to a proportional takeover bid, means the day that is the 14th day before the last day of the offer period;

**proportional takeover bid** has the meaning given to that expression in section 9 of the Corporations Act;

a reference to a person associated with another person has the meaning given to the expression associate reference in sections 10, 11, 12 and 15 of the Corporations Act.

#### 22.2 Offers under a proportional takeover bid

If offers have been made under a proportional takeover bid for securities of the Company:

- (a) the registration of a transfer giving effect to a takeover contract for the bid is prohibited unless and until a resolution (in this rule referred to as an **approving resolution**) to approve the bid is passed in accordance with the provisions of this Constitution;
- (b) a person (other than the bidder or an associate of the bidder) who, as at the end of the day on which the first offer under the bid was made, held bid class securities is entitled to vote on an approving resolution;
- (c) an approving resolution must be voted on at a meeting, convened and conducted by the Company, of the persons entitled to vote on the resolution; and
- (d) an approving resolution that has been voted on, is taken to have been passed if the proportion that the number of votes in favour of the resolution bears to the total number of votes on the resolution is greater that 50%, and otherwise is taken to have been rejected.

#### 22.3 Meeting procedures

All the provisions of this Constitution as to general meetings apply, with such modifications as the circumstances require, to a meeting that is convened under this rule.

#### 22.4 Board to ensure resolution is voted on

If offers have been made under a proportional takeover bid then the Board must ensure that a resolution to approve the bid is voted on in accordance with this rule before the approving resolution deadline in relation to the bid.

#### 22.5 Deemed approval

If no resolution to approve the proportional takeover bid has been voted on in accordance with this rule as at the end of the day before the approving resolution

deadline, a resolution to approve the bid is taken, for the purposes of this rule, to have been passed in accordance with this rule.

#### 22.6 When this rule ceases

Rule 22 ceases to have effect on the third anniversary of the adoption or last renewal of this rule.

#### ANNEXURE B - NOMINATION OF AUDITOR LETTER

18 March 2024

Sarah Smith Company Secretary 88 Energy Limited

I, Dr Stephen Staley, being a member of 88 Energy Limited (**Company**), nominate BDO Audit Pty Ltd in accordance with section 328B(1) of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth) (**Act**) to fill the office of auditor of the Company.

Please distribute copies of this notice of this nomination as required by section 328B(3) of the Act.

Signed and dated 18 March 2024:

Dr Stephen Staley

#### SCHEDULE 1 - SUMMARY OF EMPLOYEE INCENTIVE PERFORMANCE RIGHTS PLAN

A summary of the material terms of the Company's employee incentive performance

A summary of the morights plan ( <b>Plan</b> ) is set	aterial terms of the Company's employee incentive performance out below.		
Eligible Participant	<b>Eligible Participant</b> means a person that is a 'primary participant (as that term is defined in Division 1A of Part 7.12 of the Corporations Act) in relation to the Company or an Associated Body Corporate (as defined in the Corporations Act) and has been determined by the Board to be eligible to participate in the Plan from time to time		
Purpose	The purpose of the Plan is to:		
	(a) assist in the reward, retention and motivation of Eligible Participants;		
	(b) link the reward of Eligible Participants to Shareholder value creation; and		
	align the interests of Eligible Participants with shareholders of the Group (being the Company and each of its Associated Bodies Corporate), by providing an opportunity to Eligible Participants to receive an equity interest in the Company in the form of performance rights (Performance Rights).		
Maximum number of Performance Rights	The Company will not make an invitation under the Plan which involves monetary consideration if the number of Shares that may be issued, or acquired upon exercise of Performance Rights offered under an invitation, when aggregated with the number of Shares issued or that may be issued as a result of all invitations under the Plan during the 3 year period ending on the day of the invitation, will exceed 5% of the total number of issued Shares at the date of the invitation (unless the Constitution specifies a different percentage and subject to any limits approved by Shareholders under Listing Rule 7.2 Exception 13(b).		
	The maximum number of equity securities proposed to be issued under the Plan in reliance on Listing Rule 7.2 (Exemption 13(a)) following Shareholder approval, is 2,472,542,056 Performance Rights. It is not envisaged that the maximum number of Performance Rights will be issued immediately.		
Plan administration	The Plan will be administered by the Board. The Board may exercise any power or discretion conferred on it by the Plan rules in its sole and absolute discretion (except to the extent that it prevents the Participant relying on the deferred tax concessions under Subdivision 83A-C of the <i>Income Tax Assessment Act 1997</i> (Cth)). The Board may delegate its powers and discretion.		
Eligibility, invitation	The Board may from time to time determine that an Eligible		

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Participant may participate in the Plan and make an invitation to that Eligible Participant to apply for Performance Rights provided under the Plan on such terms and conditions as the Board decides.

and application

On receipt of an invitation, an Eligible Participant may apply for the Performance Rights the subject of the invitation by sending a completed application form to the Company. The Board may accept an application from an Eligible Participant in whole or in part.

If an Eligible Participant is permitted in the invitation, the Eligible Participant may, by notice in writing to the Board, nominate a party in whose favour the Eligible Participant wishes to renounce the invitation.

## Grant of Performance Rights

The Company will, to the extent that it has accepted a duly completed application, grant the Participant (as defined in the Plan) the relevant number and type of Performance Rights, subject to the terms and conditions set out in the invitation, the Plan rules and any ancillary documentation required.

#### Rights attaching to Performance Rights

Prior to a Performance Right being exercised, the holder:

- (a) does not have any interest (legal, equitable or otherwise) in any Share the subject of the Performance Right other than as expressly set out in the Plan;
- (b) is not entitled to receive notice of, vote at or attend a meeting of the shareholders of the Company;
- (c) is not entitled to receive any dividends declared by the Company; and
- (d) is not entitled to participate in any new issue of Shares (see Adjustment of Performance Rights section below).

### Restrictions on dealing with Performance Rights

Performance Rights issued under the Plan cannot be sold, assigned, transferred, have a security interest granted over or otherwise dealt with unless in Special Circumstances as defined under the Plan (including in the case of death or total or permanent disability of the holder) with the consent of the Board in which case the Performance Rights may be exercisable on terms determined by the Board.

A holder must not enter into any arrangement for the purpose of hedging their economic exposure to a Performance Right that has been granted to them.

## Vesting of Performance Rights

Any vesting conditions applicable to the Performance Rights will be described in the invitation. If all the vesting conditions are satisfied and/or otherwise waived by the Board, a vesting notice will be sent to the Participant by the Company informing them that the relevant Performance Rights have vested. Unless and until the vesting notice is issued by the Company, the Performance Rights will not be considered to have vested. For the avoidance of doubt, if the vesting conditions relevant to a Performance Right are not satisfied and/or otherwise waived by the Board, that security will lapse.

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# Forfeiture o Performance Rights

Performance Rights will be forfeited in the following circumstances:

- in the case of unvested Performance Rights only, where the holder ceases to be an Eligible Participant (e.g. is no longer employed or their office or engagement is discontinued with the Company and any Associated Bodies Corporate (as defined in the Corporations Act) (the **Group**);
- (b) where a Participant acts fraudulently, dishonestly, negligently, in contravention of any Group policy or wilfully breaches their duties to the Group and the Board exercises its discretion to deem some or all of the Convertible Securities held by a Participant to have been forfeited;
- (c) where there is a failure to satisfy the vesting conditions in accordance with the Plan;
- (d) on the date the Participant becomes insolvent; or
- (e) on the expiry date of the Performance Rights,

subject to the discretion of the Board.

Restriction periods and restrictions on transfer of Shares on exercise If the invitation provides that any Shares issued upon the valid exercise of a Performance Right are subject to any restrictions as to the disposal or other dealing by a Participant for a period, the Board may implement any procedure it deems appropriate to ensure the compliance by the Participant with this restriction.

Additionally, Shares issued on exercise of the Performance Rights are subject to the following restrictions:

- (a) if the Company is required but is unable to give ASX a notice that complies with section 708A(5)(e) of the Corporations Act, Shares issued on exercise of the Performance Rights may not be traded until 12 months after their issue unless the Company, at its sole discretion, elects to issue a prospectus pursuant to section 708A(11) of the Corporations Act;
- (b) all Shares issued on exercise of Performance Rights are subject to restrictions imposed by applicable law on dealing in Shares by persons who possess material information likely to affect the value of the Shares and which is not generally available; and
- (c) all Shares issued on exercise of the Performance Rights are subject to the terms of the Company's Securities Trading Policy.

Rights attaching to Shares on exercise All Shares issued upon exercise of Performance Rights will rank equally in all respects with the then Shares of the Company.

#### Change of control

If a change of control event occurs (being an event which results in any person (either alone or together with associates) owning more than 50% of the Company's issued capital), the Board may in its discretion determine the manner in which any or all of the holder's Performance Rights will be dealt with, including, without limitation, in a manner that allows the holder to participate in and/or benefit from any transaction arising from or in connection with the change of control event. The Board may specify in the Invitation how the Performance Rights will be treated on a change of control event occurring, or the Board determining that such event is likely to occur, which may vary depending upon circumstances in which the Participant becomes a leaver and preserve some or all of the Board's discretion under this rule.

## Participation entitlements bonus issues

in and Subject always to the rights under the following two paragraphs, Participants will not be entitled to participate in new issues of capital offered to holders of Shares such as bonus issues and entitlement issues.

## Adjustment bonus issue

for

If Shares are issued by the Company by way of bonus issue (other than an issue in lieu of dividends or by way of dividend reinvestment), the Participant is entitled, upon exercise of the Performance Rights, to receive an issue of as many additional Shares as would have been issued to the holder if the holder held Shares equal in number to the Shares in respect of which the Performance Rights are exercised.

#### Reorganisation

If there is a reorganisation of the issued share capital of the Company (including any subdivision, consolidation, reduction, return or cancellation of such issued capital of the Company), the rights of each Participant holding Performance Rights will be changed to the extent necessary to comply with the ASX Listing Rules applicable to a reorganisation of capital at the time of the reorganisation.

#### Employee Share Trust

The Board may in its sole and absolute discretion use an employee share trust or other mechanism for the purposes of holding Performance Rights for holders under the Plan and delivering Shares on behalf of holders upon exercise of Performance Rights.

#### Amendment of Plan

Subject to the following paragraph, the Board may at any time amend any provisions of the Plan rules, including (without limitation) the terms and conditions upon which any Performance Rights have been granted under the Plan and determine that any amendments to the Plan rules be given retrospective effect, immediate effect or future effect.

No amendment to any provision of the Plan rules may be made if the amendment materially reduces the rights of any Participant as they existed before the date of the amendment, other than an amendment introduced primarily for the purpose of complying with legislation or to correct manifest error or mistake, amongst other things, or is agreed to in writing by all Participants.

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#### Plan duration

The Plan continues in operation until the Board decides to end it. The Board may from time to time suspend the operation of the Plan for a fixed period or indefinitely and may end any suspension. If the Plan is terminated or suspended for any reason, that termination or suspension must not prejudice the accrued rights of the Participants.

If a Participant and the Company (acting by the Board) agree in writing that some or all of the Performance Rights granted to that Participant are to be cancelled on a specified date or on the occurrence of a particular event, then those Performance Rights may be cancelled in the manner agreed between the Company and the Participant.

## Income Tax Assessment Act

The Plan is a plan to which Subdivision 83A-C of the *Income Tax* Assessment Act 1997 (Cth) applies (subject to the conditions in that Act) except to the extent an invitation provides otherwise.



#### Need assistance?



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#### YOUR VOTE IS IMPORTANT

For your proxy appointment to be effective it must be received by 10:00am (AWST) on Saturday, 11 May 2024.

## **Proxy Form**

#### How to Vote on Items of Business

All your securities will be voted in accordance with your directions.

#### APPOINTMENT OF PROXY

**Voting 100% of your holding:** Direct your proxy how to vote by marking one of the boxes opposite each item of business. If you do not mark a box your proxy may vote or abstain as they choose (to the extent permitted by law). If you mark more than one box on an item your vote will be invalid on that item.

**Voting a portion of your holding:** Indicate a portion of your voting rights by inserting the percentage or number of securities you wish to vote in the For, Against or Abstain box or boxes. The sum of the votes cast must not exceed your voting entitlement or 100%.

**Appointing a second proxy:** You are entitled to appoint up to two proxies to attend the meeting and vote on a poll. If you appoint two proxies you must specify the percentage of votes or number of securities for each proxy, otherwise each proxy may exercise half of the votes. When appointing a second proxy write both names and the percentage of votes or number of securities for each in Step 1 overleaf.

A proxy need not be a securityholder of the Company.

#### SIGNING INSTRUCTIONS FOR POSTAL FORMS

Individual: Where the holding is in one name, the securityholder must sign.

**Joint Holding:** Where the holding is in more than one name, all of the securityholders should sign.

**Power of Attorney:** If you have not already lodged the Power of Attorney with the registry, please attach a certified photocopy of the Power of Attorney to this form when you return it.

Companies: Where the company has a Sole Director who is also the Sole Company Secretary, this form must be signed by that person. If the company (pursuant to section 204A of the Corporations Act 2001) does not have a Company Secretary, a Sole Director can also sign alone. Otherwise this form must be signed by a Director jointly with either another Director or a Company Secretary. Please sign in the appropriate place to indicate the office held. Delete titles as applicable.

#### PARTICIPATING IN THE MEETING

#### **Corporate Representative**

If a representative of a corporate securityholder or proxy is to participate in the meeting you will need to provide the appropriate "Appointment of Corporate Representative". A form may be obtained from Computershare or online at www.investorcentre.com/au and select "Printable Forms".

#### **Lodge your Proxy Form:**



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Lodge your vote online at www.investorvote.com.au using your secure access information or use your mobile device to scan the personalised QR code.

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**PLEASE NOTE:** For security reasons it is important that you keep your SRN/HIN confidential.

You may elect to receive meeting-related documents, or request a particular one, in electronic or physical form and may elect not to receive annual reports. To do so, contact Computershare.

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I/We being a r	nember/s of 88 Energ	y Limited hereby appoint	:					
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Resolution 1	Adoption of Remuner	ation Report			Fo	)r   	Against	Abstain
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Resolution 2	Re-election of Mr Phil	ip Byrne as a Director				<u>_</u>		
Resolution 3	Approval of 7.1A Man	date				<u> </u>		
Resolution 4	Adoption of Performa	nce Rights Plan						
Resolution 5	Re-insertion of Propo	rtional Takeover Provisions	in the Constitution	n				
Resolution 6	Confirmation of Appoi	intment of Auditor						
	signature of	to vote undirected proxies oting intention on any resolu  Securityholder(s	ution, in which cas	-			ces, the Cr	nairman
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Sole Director &	Sole Company Secretary	y Director		Director/Company Secreta	ry	_	Dat	.e

Change of address. If incorrect,





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Mobile Number

Update your communication details (Optional)

**Email Address**