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## SUMMARY

- **Cash position:** Cash (and investments in listed securities) position remains strong at \$7.5 million (31 March 2009) compared with Alara's (undiluted) market capitalisation of \$3 million (based on the closing price of 3.7 cents as at 31 March 2009).
- **Strategic Decision:** The global financial crisis continues with significant adverse effects on capital markets and the aspirations of resource exploration companies such as Alara. Whilst Alara is in a relatively sound cash position, it has undertaken a strategic decision to conserve cash for high priority/value opportunities within Alara's existing portfolio and new opportunities arising in the resource sector.
- **Bigrlyi Uranium:** Alara has entered into a heads of agreement with Thundellara Exploration Ltd (**THX**) for THX to earn a 70% interest in EL 24879, EL 24928 and EL 24929 by incurring \$750,000 of expenditure on these tenements over 5 years and a 70% interest in EL 24927 (application) by incurring \$750,000 of expenditure on this tenement over 5 years. This is pending execution of formal farm-out/joint venture documentation.
- **Mt James Uranium:** Completed a review of regional airborne spectrometer and magnetic data which has identified 2 areas of approximately 15 square kilometres on EL 09/1195 and EL 09/1196 beside the Gascoyne River which appear to be favourable for calcrete hosted uranium deposits. A total 900 metres drilling programme is proposed to test 2 calcrete targets in the current June quarter.
- **Other Projects:** No field work is planned at this stage in the Crucero, Canning Well, Santa Rosa, Pampacolca and Coasa Project areas, to conserve cash for other more advanced opportunities within Alara's existing portfolio and new opportunities.
- New Projects: Alara has reviewed and discounted a number of exploration opportunities and is undertaking an on-going investigation of a number of prospective opportunities in the resources sector throughout the world. This includes applying for mineral concessions, entering into joint ventures and taking options over and acquiring concessions or tenements.



# **COMPANY PROFILE**



Alara Resources Limited (ASX Code: AUQ) is an Australian based mineral exploration and development company with a portfolio of uranium, gold and mineral sands exploration projects in Peru and Australia (Northern Territory and Western Australia):

PRO	JECTS	LOCATION	AREA (HECTARES)
(1)	Bigrlyi South Uranium	Northern Territory	166,565
(2)	Mt James Uranium	Gascoyne, Western Australia	99,861
(3)	Canning Well Base Metals/Uranium	Pilbara, Western Australia	26,400
(4)	Crucero Uranium	Peru	4,100
(5)	Kimberley Phosphate	Kimberley, Western Australia	132,701
(6)	King Sound Mineral Sands	Kimberley, Western Australia	65,200
(7)	Santa Rosa Uranium	Peru	4,400
(8)	Pampacolca Uranium	Peru	4,400
(9)	Coasa Uranium	Peru	9,600

The global financial crisis continues with significant adverse effects on capital markets and the aspirations of resource exploration companies such as Alara. Whilst Alara is in a relatively sound cash position (\$7.75 million), it has undertaken a strategic decision to conserve cash for high priority/value opportunities within Alara's existing portfolio and new opportunities arising in the resource sector. Alara has therefore reduced exploration expenditure on existing projects deemed to be of lower priority "grass roots" value – being the Crucero, Canning Well, Santa Rosa, Pampacolca and Coasa Project areas.

Alara has reviewed and discounted a number of exploration opportunities and is undertaking an on-going investigation of a number of prospective opportunities in the resources sector throughout the world. This includes applying for mineral concessions, entering into joint ventures and taking options over and acquiring concessions or tenements.

The Alara Board comprises members with extensive experience in the resources sector, being **Chairman, Dr John Stephenson**, previously Exploration Director for Rio Tinto Australasia with more than 35 years experience in mineral exploration and **Managing Director**, **Mr H. Shanker Madan**, an experienced senior geologist with more than 30 years of world-wide experience in the exploration and evaluation of mineral deposits for various commodities and **Executive Director**, **Mr Farooq Khan** who has extensive experience in corporate law, the securities industry, capital markets and the executive management of ASX listed companies.

Alara currently has the following securities on issue:

	Quoted	Not Quoted or Subject to Escrow	Total
Fully paid ordinary shares	56,011,285	24,496,215	80,507,500
\$0.25 (30 June 2009) Listed Options	60,367,500	-	60,367,500
\$0.55 (26 July 2012) Unlisted Employees' Options	-	500,000	500,000
\$0.35 (16 September 2013) Unlisted Executive Directors' Options	-	16,400,000	16,400,000
\$0.35 (16 September 2013) Unlisted Non-Executive Director's Options	-	900,000	900,000
\$0.35 (16 September 2013) Unlisted Employees' Options		1,485,000	1,485,000
Total	116,378,785	43,781,215	160,160,000

# **PROJECT LOCATION**



### **AUSTRALIAN PROJECTS**

The location of Alara's Australian projects in the Northern Territory and Western Australia are shown on the map below.



### **PERUVIAN PROJECTS**

The location of Alara's uranium project areas in Peru are shown on the map to the right.





## 1. BIGRLYI SOUTH (NORTHERN TERRITORY)

The project tenements are located principally in the northern part of the Ngalia Basin in the Northern Territory (located approximately 390 kilometres north-west of Alice Springs).

Alara has completed an airborne radiometric and magnetic survey in exploration licences EL 24879, EL 24928, EL 24929 and EL24930. Results indicate that the Southwark Granite Suite has a strong radiometric signature in all channels. These are "hot" granites and are potentially good source rocks for sedimentarystyle uranium deposits in the overlying younger sediments – as being the probable source of mineralisation in the Bigrlyi uranium deposits located immediately north of Alara's Bigrlyi South tenements. Field verification of Alara's radiometric anomalies within EL24879, EL24928 and EL24929 identified several uranium anomalies coinciding with the outcropping Mt Eclipse Sandstone unit (host to the Bigrlyi deposits). The majority of the other anomalies were located within predominantly sand covered terrain.



During the quarter, Alara entered into a heads of agreement with Thundellara Exploration Ltd (**THX**) for THX to earn a 70% interest in EL 24879, EL 24928 and EL 24929 by incurring \$750,000 of expenditure on these tenements over 5 years and a 70% interest in EL 24927 (application) by incurring \$750,000 of expenditure on this tenement over 5 years. THX would be required to meet minimum expenditure commitments imposed by the Northern Territory Department of Mines to keep the tenements in good standing and can withdraw after the first year (or within 2 years if EL 24927 (application) is not granted within this period). After THX has earned its 70% interest in the tenements, Alara can contribute its share of on-going expenditure or convert to a 10% interest which is free carried under a decision to mine. This farm-out/joint venture transaction is conditional on the execution of formal documentation.



## 2. MT JAMES (GASCOYNE, WESTERN AUSTRALIA)

Alara is exploring for uranium using detailed structural analysis coupled with aerial and ground radiometric surveys.

The exploration focus was on high priority radiometric anomalies selected from an airborne geophysical survey conducted during 2008. In addition, known historical workings (drill holes and costeans) that encountered uranium mineralisation and the untested anomalies identified by AGIP Nucleare (Australia) Pty Ltd (**AGIP**), (a subsidiary of Italian multi-national energy group ENI) will be the target of detailed ground prospecting followed by drilling.



#### **Exploration Activities and Programme**

During the quarter, Alara:

- (i) Completed a ground traverse and rapid ground scintillometer survey of the historic AGIP drill sites. As a results of these surveys and a review of AGIP's historic reports and maps and regional airborne data, Alara has concluded that the anomalies in this area are discrete bodies with limited depth and strike extensions and unlikely to host high grade economic uranium deposits;
- (ii) Completed a review of regional airborne spectrometer and magnetic data which has identified 2 areas of approximately 15 square kilometres on EL 09/1195 and EL 09/1196. The 2 anomalies identified have above background airborne uranium channel responses and lie alongside the Gascoyne River and its major tributaries. These tributaries drain a large area of uranium enriched older rocks and have numerous calcrete hosted uranium occurrences along the banks and flood plains like the Minindi and Wabli Creek deposits of U3O8 Limited which lie 5 to 15kms to the south. A single north-south drill traverse line on each of these 2 calcrete areas is proposed.

The proposed exploration programme for the June 2009 quarter is to conduct a 900 metre drilling programme to test the calcrete targets on EL 09/1195 and EL 09/1196, subject to receipt of regulatory approvals.



### 3. CANNING WELL (PILBARA, WESTERN AUSTRALIA)

The project area is located approximately 80 kilometres west of the Kintyre uranium deposit and covers approximately 20 kilometres of the north-south trending Canning Fault and associated splay and intersecting faults. Alara is exploring for uranium, gold, copper and base metal mineralisation within the project tenements.

A mag/lag sampling programme targeting gold and copper anomalies has been completed and analysis highlights include 52ppb Au, 16ppb Au, 1690ppm Pb, 580ppm Zn, 98ppm Cu and 9.6% Mn. An RC drilling programme totalling 800m in 8 holes has been completed. An anomalous level of Silver averaging 0.19g/tonne over a mean thickness of 50m and having a positive correlation with Arsenic, Copper and Uranium was intersected. The widespread nature of the sulphides and low Silver levels indicate a prolonged basin infill providing a positive environment for metal concentrations. Delineating this target would require high resolution ground geophysics followed by close spaced drilling

No field work is presently proposed to be undertaken in the area, to conserve cash for other more advanced opportunities within Alara's existing portfolio and new opportunities.

## 4. CRUCERO PROJECT (PERU)

The Crucero Project concessions are located 45 kilometres southeast of the town of Crucero, in the Macusani district in southern Peru.

Alara is targeting uranium mineralisation hosted by rhyolitic ignimbrites and ash flows of the Picotani Formation of Miocene-Pliocene age. This formation hosts several occurrences of uranium in the Macusani district.

No field work is presently proposed to be undertaken in the area, to conserve cash for other more advanced opportunities within Alara's existing portfolio and new opportunities.

## 5. KIMBERLEY PHOSPHATE PROJECT (KIMBERLEY, WESTERN AUSTRALIA)

Alara has identified areas of the West Kimberley region of Western Australia as being a favourable geological environment for economic phosphate deposits. Alara has applied for five exploration licences (E04/1855-59) that now form the Kimberley Phosphate Project. Within Alara's E04/1859 tenement application, the Geological Survey of Western Australia reports on a WAPET Barlee bore that intersected a 10 metre interval of the Jarlemai Siltstone containing an elevated interval of P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> averaging 5.7% P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>. A previous explorer in 1967, Mines Exploration Pty Ltd, reported a phosphatic nodule bed at Langey Crossing. Price rises in phosphate at the time of tenement application led Alara to revisit this vicinity as being a region of potential economic significance. Alara proposes to conduct reconnaissance RC drilling to test the potential for phosphate upon the grant of these tenements.

## 6. KING SOUND MINERAL SANDS PROJECT (KIMBERLEY, WESTERN AUSTRALIA)

Alara has through a joint venture (**JV**) with ASX listed Strike Resources Limited (**Strike**) a 70% interest in the King Sound Mineral Sands Project, currently comprising three tenement applications covering a total area of 652 square kilometres, located approximately 10 kilometres west of the port town of Derby in the West Kimberley region of Western Australia. The JV has identified the King Sound area as being prospective for the accumulation of heavy minerals, such as zircon, rutile and ilmenite. The tenements are not yet granted and the joint venture will assess its exploration objectives in relation to this project when these applications have been granted.



## 7. SANTA ROSA PROJECT (PERU)

The Santa Rosa Project comprises six concessions covering an area of 4,400 hectares. The concessions are located between 2 and 5 kilometres northwest of the town of Santa Rosa, in the Macusani district of southern Peru.

Rhyolitic lava flows of the Permian Mitu Group lie adjacent to an unconformity with Lower Paleozoic schist. The lavas are the main targets for uranium mineralisation. Large geochemical anomalies of over 1500ppm uranium have been reported by IPEN from chip samples adjacent to the unconformity in the region.

No field work is presently proposed to be undertaken in the area, to conserve cash for other more advanced opportunities within Alara's existing portfolio and new opportunities.

## 8. PAMPACOLCA PROJECT (PERU)

The Pampacolca Project comprises seven concessions covering an area of approximately 4,400 hectares. The concessions are situated approximately 4 to 12 kilometres south of the town of Pampacolca, which is located approximately 136 kilometres northwest of the city of Arequipa in southern Peru.

The Pampacolca Project comprises structurally controlled occurrences of uranium, tantalum and rare earths in pegmatite veins and dykes hosted by quartz-muscovite-feldspar schist. These occurrences lie within Pre-Cambrian gneissic terrain with known tantalum mineralisation.

No field work is presently proposed to be undertaken in the area, to conserve cash for other more advanced opportunities within Alara's existing portfolio and new opportunities.

## 9. COASA PROJECT (PERU)

The Coasa Project comprises 11 concessions covering an area of 9,600 hectares. The concessions are centred on the town of Coasa, located in the Macusani district in southern Peru.

The target is pegmatite veins and dykes. Historic IPEN data indicate anomalies up to 1900ppm uranium within the project area. Reconnaissance mapping and sampling has identified pegmatitic zones of several metres width with two rock chip samples returning 500ppm and 470ppm uranium.

No field work is presently proposed to be undertaken in the area, to conserve cash for other more advanced opportunities within Alara's existing portfolio and new opportunities.

The information in this report that relates to Exploration Results, Mineral Resources or Ore Reserves has been compiled by Mr Hem Shanker Madan who is a Member of The Australian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr Madan is the Managing Director of the Company. Mr Madan has sufficient experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity which he is undertaking, to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2004 Edition of the "Australasian Code for Reporting of Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves (the JORC Code)." Mr Madan consents to the inclusion in this report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

# CORPORATE



## **Cash Position**

The Alara group's cash (and investments in listed securities) position as at 31 March 2009 was \$7.5 million.

The Alara group have a relatively small exposure to the United States dollar and Peruvian Nuevo Soles foreign currencies.

These foreign currencies are applicable to and facilitates Alara group operations and activities in Peru.

## Conversion of Listed Options (ASX Code: AUQO)

During the quarter ending 31 March 2009, no listed \$0.25 (30 June 2009) options were exercised and converted into shares.



# **AUSTRALIAN TENEMENTS**

Brojact	Statua	Tonomont	Grant / Application		Area	Area	Area	Location / Property	Stata	Company's Interest
Project Bigrlyi	Status	Tenement		Date	(Blocks)	(km²)	(hectares)	Name Mount	State	100% (75% held by Alara
South	Granted	EL 24879	15/08/06	14/08/12	82	260.5	26,050	Doreen	NT	Operations Pty Ltd and 25% held by Hume Mining NL)
	Application	EL 24927	12/09/05	N/A	338	998.7	99,870	Haasts Bluff	NT	100% (75% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd and 25% held by Hume Mining NL)
	Granted	EL 24928	24/08/06	23/08/12	15	34.95	3,495	Mount Doreen	NT	100% (75% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd and 25% held by Hume Mining NL)
	Granted	EL 24929	24/08/06	23/08/12	26	56.8	5,680	Mount Doreen	NT	100% (75% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd and 25% held by Hume Mining NL)
	Granted	EL 24930	24/08/06	23/08/12	99	314.7	31,470	Mount Doreen	NT	100% (75% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd and 25% held by Hume Mining NL)
Mt James	Granted	EL 09/1195	28/03/06	27/03/11	70	TBD	21,784.43	Mt James	WA	Right to earn up to a 60% interest (from Epsilon Energy Limited)
	Granted	EL 09/1196	28/03/06	27/03/11	70	TBD	21,757.06	Mt James	WA	Right to earn up to a 60% interest (from Epsilon Energy Limited)
	Application	E09/1527	28/04/08	N/A	49	152	15,220	Mt James	WA	100% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd
	Granted	E 09/1253	29/06/06	28/06/11	49	147	14,700	Mt James	WA	100% (75% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd and 25% held by Hume Mining NL)
	Granted	E 09/1245	23/03/07	22/03/11	35	105	10,500	Rubberoid Well	WA	70% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd (30% retained by Uranium Oil & Gas Limited/Helen Mary Ansell)
	Granted	E 09/1257	28/06/06	27/06/11	27	81	8,100	Injinu Hills	WA	100% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd
	Granted	E 09/1258	29/09/06	28/09/11	26	78	7,800	Mortimer Hills	WA	100% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd
Canning Well	Granted	E 46/629	02/08/05	01/08/10	19	57	5,700	Canning Well	WA	100% (75% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd and 25% held by Hume Mining NL)
	Application	E 46/585	17/10/03	N/A	69	207	20,700	Canning Well	WA	Right to earn 85% (excluding all manganese mineral rights) (63.75% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd and 21.25% held by Hume Mining NL)
King Sound Mineral Sands	Application	E 04/1657	26/02/07	N/A	43	141	14,100	King Sound	WA	Right to earn 70% (100% held by Strike Resources Limited)
	Application	E 04/1658	26/02/07	N/A	58	190	19,000	King Sound		Right to earn 70% (100% held by Strike Resources Limited)
	Application	E 04/1659	26/02/07	N/A	98	321	32,100	King Sound	WA	Right to earn 70% (100% held by Strike Resources Limited)
Kimberley Phosphate	Application	E 04/1855	14/08/08	N/A	150	490	48,992	Kimberley	WA	100% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd
•	Application	E 04/1856	14/08/08	N/A	45	146	14,649	Kimberley	WA	100% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd
	Application	E 04/1857	14/08/08	N/A	95	309	30,922	Kimberley	WA	100% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd
	Application	E 04/1858	14/08/08	N/A	75	245	24,456	Kimberley	WA	100% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd
	Application	E 04/1859	14/08/08	N/A	42	137	13,682	Kimberley	WA	100% held by Alara Operations Pty Ltd



# **PERUVIAN CONCESSIONS**

### Crucero Project (4,100 hectares):

Concession	Code	Code Application/Grant		National Map	LOCATION			
		Date	(Hectares)		District	Province	Department	
Lituania 1	01-02481-07	31 July 2007	600	29-X	Crucero	Carabaya	Puno	
Lituania 2	01-02482-07	10 September 2007	1000	29-X	Crucero	Carabaya	Puno	
Lituania 3	01-02483-07	25 September 2007	1000	29-X	Crucero	Carabaya	Puno	
Lituania 8	10029708	27 June 2008	500	29-X	Putina	Sn.Antonio de Putina	Puno	
Rosita Dos 2007*	01-00306-07		1000	29-X	Crucero	Carabaya	Puno	

\* 100% of uranium rights and vanadium, phosphates, and other radioactive mineral rights associated with uranium production

#### Santa Rosa Project (4,400 hectares):

Concession	Code	Application/Grant	Area	National	LOCATION			
		Date	(Hectares)	Мар	District	Province	Department	
Sayana 1	01-02465-07	5 September 2007	400	30-U	Santa Rosa	Melgar	Puno	
Quimsa 1	01-02480-07	7 September 2007	1000	30-U	Santa Rosa	Melgar	Puno	
Quimsa 2	01-02460-07	9 August 2007	1000	30-U	Santa Rosa	Melgar	Puno	
Cunurana 1	01-02451-07	7 September 2007	300	30-U	Santa Rosa	Melgar	Puno	
Panca 1	01-02479-07	5 September 2007	700	30-U	Santa Rosa	Melgar	Puno	
Santa Rosa Sur	01-03647-07	2 July 2007	1,000	30-U	Santa Rosa, Macarí	Melgar	Puno	

### Pampacolca Project (4,400 hectares):

Concession	Code	Application/Grant Area		National	LOCATION			
		Date	(Hectares)	Мар	District	Province	Department	
Pampacolca 1	01-01084-07	21 October 2008	900	32Q	Pampacolca / Tipan Aplao	Castilla	Arequipa	
Pampacolca 2	01-01085-07	29 May 2008	600	32Q	Aplao / Iray	Castilla / Condesuyos	Arequipa	
Pampacolca 3	01-01852-07	18 July 2008	700	32Q	Pampacolca	Castilla	Arequipa	
Pampacolca 4	01-01851-07	9 August 2007	500	32Q	Pampacolca	Castilla	Arequipa	
Pampacolca 5	01-03649-07	12 May 2008	200	32Q	Pampacolca	Castilla	Arequipa	
Pampacolca 7	01-04637-07	29 August 2007 (application)	600	32Q	Aplao	Castilla	Arequipa	
Pampacolca 10	01-06361-07	19 November 2008	900	32Q	Aplao	Castilla	Arequipa	

#### Coasa Project (9,600 hectares):

Concession	Code	Application/Grant	Area	National		LOCATION			
		Date	(Hectares)	Мар	District	Province	Department		
Cochacucho 1	01-02461-07	5 September 2007	800	28-V	Ituata/Coasa	Carabaya	Puno		
Cochacucho 2	01-02463-07	31 July 2007	800	28-V	Coasa/Ituata	Carabaya	Puno		
Cochacucho 3	01-02463-07	31 July 2007	800	28-V	Ituata/Coasa	Carabaya	Puno		
Umachullo 1	01-02449-07	31 July 2007	1000	29-V	Coasa	Carabaya	Puno		
Umachullo 2	01-02450-07	14 August 2007	1000	29-V	Coasa	Carabaya	Puno		
Uchumallo 3	01-02445-07	14 August 2007	1000	29-V	Coasa	Carabaya	Puno		
Uchumallo 4	01-02447-07	31 July 2007	1000	29-V	Coasa	Carabaya	Puno		
Uchumallo 5	01-02446-07	6 September 2007	1000	29-V	Coasa / Usicayos	Carabaya	Puno		
Coasa 1	01-02464-07	31 July 2007	400	28-X	Coasa	Carabaya	Puno		
Lituania 4	01-02484-07	5 September 2007	800	29-X	Coasa	Carabaya	Puno		
Hualahuani 1	01-02448-07	10 September 2007	1000	29-X	Usicayos / Coasa	Carabaya	Puno		



## SECURITIES INFORMATION as at 31 March 2009

### **ISSUED SECURITIES**

	Quoted	Not Quoted or Subject to Escrow	Total
Fully paid ordinary shares	56,011,285	24,496,215 <sup>1</sup>	80,507,500
\$0.25 (30 June 2009) Listed Options <sup>2</sup>	60,367,500	_	60,367,500
\$0.55 (27 July 2012) Unlisted Directors' Options <sup>3</sup>	-	18,550,000	18,550,000
\$0.55 (27 July 2012) Unlisted Employees' Options <sup>3</sup>	-	1,425,000	1,425,000
Total	116,378,785	44,471,215	160,850,000

### SUMMARY OF UNLISTED DIRECTORS' AND EMPLOYEE OPTIONS

Date of Issue	Description of Unlisted Options	Exercise Price	Expiry Date	Vesting Criteria <sup>4</sup>	No. of Options
27 July 2007	\$0.55 (27 July 2012) Employees' Options	\$0.55	26 July 2012	1/3 <sup>rd</sup> on 27 January 2008, 1/3 <sup>rd</sup> on 27 July 2008 and 1/3 <sup>rd</sup> on 27 January 2009	500,000
17 September 2008	\$0.35 (16 September 2013) Unlisted Executive Directors' Options	\$0.35	16 September 2013	75% on grant and 25% on 17 September 2009	16,400,000
17 September 2008	\$0.35 (16 September 2013) Unlisted Non-Executive Director's Options	\$0.35	16 September 2013	75% on grant and 25% on 17 September 2009	900,000
17 September 2008	\$0.35 (16 September 2013) Unlisted Employees' Options	\$0.35	16 September 2013	50% on 17 March 2009, 25% on 17 September 2009 and 25% on 17 March 2010	1,485,000

<sup>1</sup> Escrowed shares comprise:

<sup>(</sup>i) 4,488,750 shares held by related parties and promoters (founding shareholders) escrowed until 24 May 2009;

 <sup>(</sup>ii) 12,750,000 vendor shares issued to Strike Resources Limited pursuant to settlement of the Strike Uranium and Peru Sale Agreements, as defined in the IPO Prospectus, escrowed until 24 May 2009;

<sup>(</sup>iii) 1,007,465 (formerly vendor shares issued to Strike Resources Limited pursuant to settlement of the Strike Uranium and Peru Sale Agreements, as defined in the IPO Prospectus) distributed in specie under a capital return effected by Strike Resources Limited on 13 December 2007 to various related parties and promoters of Strike Resources Limited and Alara Uranium Limited (and their associates), escrowed until 24 May 2009; and

<sup>(</sup>iv) 6,250,000 vendor shares issued to Orion Equities Limited pursuant to settlement of the Hume Sale Agreement, as defined in the IPO Prospectus, escrowed until 24 May 2009.

<sup>2</sup> Terms and conditions of \$0.25 (30 June 2009) listed options are set out in a <u>Rights Issue Options Prospectus dated 3 September</u> 2007 and in an <u>ASX Appendix 3B New Issue Announcement lodged on 3 September 2007</u>

<sup>3</sup> Terms and conditions of issue are set out in a <u>Notice of Meeting and Explanatory Statement dated 21 June 2007</u> for a General Meeting held on 7 July 2007 and in an <u>ASX Appendix 3B New Issue Announcement lodged on 3 August 2007</u>

<sup>4</sup> Options which have vested may be exercised at any time thereafter, up to their expiry date

## SECURITIES INFORMATION as at 31 March 2009



### DISTRIBUTION OF LISTED AND UNLISTED ORDINARY FULLY PAID SHARES

Spread	of	Holdings	Number of Holders	Number of Units	% of Total Issue Capital
1	-	1,000	1,560	716,909	0.890
1,001	-	5,000	535	1,289,243	1.601
5,001	-	10,000	398	3,382,131	4.201
10,001	-	100,000	535	16,480,615	20.471
100,001	-	and over	107	58,638,602	72.836
Total			3,135	80,507,500	100%

### TOP 20 LISTED AND UNLISTED ORDINARY FULLY PAID SHAREHOLDERS

Rank	Shareholder		Total Shares	% Issued Capital
1	STRIKE RESOURCES LIMITED		12,750,000	15.837
2	ORION EQUITIES LIMITED		9,332,744	11.592
3	BRW CONSULTING SERVICES PTY LTD	219,269		
	KATANA EQUITY PTY LTD	1,681,383		
	LISA SHALLARD AND LINDA SALA TENNA	2,824,144		
	CLASSIC CAPITAL PTY LTD	1,287,304		
	KB33 CAPITAL PTY LTD	200,000		
		Sub-total	6,212,100	7.716
4	DATABASE SYSTEMS LIMITED		2,712,021	3.369
5	KATANA ASSET MANAGEMENT LTD		2,244,240	2.788
6	ANZ NOMINEES LIMITED		1,717,599	2.133
7	RAMSA PTY LTD		1,071,925	1.331
8	CHARLES FOTI CORPORATION PTY LTD		925,000	1.1496
9	BLUE CRYSTAL PTY LTD		829,751	1.031
10	MS ROSANNA DE CAMPO		800,000	0.994
11	MR JOHN CECCON & MS MARIE LYNN MCLEAN		814,026	1.011
12	TWINLAND HOLDINGS PTY LTD		781,024	0.970
13	CITYSIDE INVESTMENTS PTY LTD		727,210	0.903
14	MANNHEIM INVESTMENTS PTY LTD		725,000	0.901
15	RENMUIR HOLDINGS LIMITED		668,402	0.830
16	MR ALAN BRIEN & MRS MELINDA BRIEN		657,002	0.816
17	S JONES & R JONES & C JONES		603,708	0.750
18	ZHIVAN PTY LTD		566,814	0.704
19	M & K KORKIDAS PTY LTD		566,562	0.704
20	MR BRIAN PETER BYASS		518,537	0.644
Total			45,223,665	56.1736

## SECURITIES INFORMATION as at 31 March 2009



## DISTRIBUTION OF LISTED \$0.25 (30 JUNE 2009) OPTIONS

Spread	of	Holdings	Number of Holders	Number of Units	% of Total Issue Capital
1	-	1,000	4	2,045	0.003
1,001	-	5,000	51	151,963	0.252
5,001	-	10,000	368	2,311,571	3.829
10,001	-	100,000	254	7,775,537	12.880
100,001	-	and over	49	50,126,384	83.035
Total			726	60,367,500	100%

### TOP 20 LISTED \$0.25 (30 JUNE 2009) OPTIONS

Rank	Optionholder		Total Options	% Total Options On Issue
1	STRIKE RESOURCES LIMITED		21,562,500	35.719
2	ORION EQUITIES LIMITED		9,131,205	15.126
3	RENMUIR HOLDINGS LIMITED		3,200,475	5.302
4	BRW CONSULTING SERVICES PTY LTD	112,500		
	KATANA EQUITY PTD LTD	423,600		
	LISA SHALLARD AND LINDA SALA TENNA	1,537,500		
	CLASSIC CAPITAL PTY LTD	750,000		
	KB33 CAPITAL PTY LTD	75,000		
		Sub-total	2,898,600	4.802
5	CASTLE BAILEY PTY LTD		2,000,000	3.313
6	M & K KORKIDAS PTY LTD		1,724,876	2.857
7	MR TABREZ PASHA		981,900	1.627
8	DATABASE SYSTEMS LIMITED		730,430	1.210
9	MS ROSANNA DE CAMPO		600,000	0.994
10	CITYSIDE INVESTMENTS PTY LTD		506,250	0.839
11	MS SUE LYNN WONG		426,000	0.497
12	MR VINCENZO BRIZZI & MRS RITA LUCIA BRIZZI		410,000	0.679
13	BLUE CRYSTAL PTY LTD		375,000	0.621
14	MR BRIAN PETER BYASS		375,000	0.621
15	TWINLAND HOLDINGS PTY LTD		360,767	0.598
16	MR KIERAN ARNOLD		300,000	0.497
17	EZR SYSTEMS PTY LTD		270,625	0.448
18	MRS JOANNE JOHNSON		267,500	0.443
19	HSBC CUSTODY NOMINEES (AUSTRALIA) LIMITED		250,833	0.416
20	MR ROB FOTI & MRS SUE FOTI		240,000	0.398
Tota			46,611,961	77.007%

## Appendix 5B Mining Exploration Entity Quarterly Report

Alara	a Resources Limited and controlled entities		
ACN	or ARBN	Quarter	Ended
122	892 719	31 Marc	h 2009
Cor	nsolidated statement of cash flows	Consol	idated
		Current Quarter Mar 2009 \$' 000	Year to Date 9 months \$' 000
Cas	h flows related to operating activities		•
1.1	Receipts from product sales and related debtors	-	-
1.2	Payments for		
	(a) exploration and evaluation	(310)	(1,289)
	(b) development	-	-
	(c) production	-	-
	(d) administration	(189)	(603)
1.3	Dividends received		-
1.4	Interest and other items of a similar nature received	96	391
1.5	Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6	Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
	Net operating cash flows	(403)	(1,501)

		Conso	lidated
		Current Quarter	Year to Date
		Mar 2009 \$' 000	9 months \$' 000
		\$ 000	φ 000
1.8	Net operating cash flows (carried forward)	(403)	(1,501)
	Cash flows related to investing activities		
1.9	Payment for purchases of:		
	(a) prospects	-	-
	(b) equity investments	(340)	(787)
	(c) other fixed assets	· - ´	(18)
		-	-
1.10	Proceeds from sale of:		
	(a) prospects		-
	(b) equity investments	-	-
	(c) other fixed assets	-	-
1.11	Loans to other entities	_	-
1.12	Loans repaid by other entities	-	-
	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
	- Acquisition Cost - Resources Projects	-	(151)
	Net investing cash flows	(340)	(956)
	Total operating and investing cash flows	(743)	(2,457)
	Cash flows related to financing activities		
1.15	Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc.	-	-
1.16	Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares	-	-
1.17	Proceeds from borrowings		151
1.18	Repayment of borrowings	(151)	(151)
1.19	Dividends paid	-	-
1.20	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
	Net financing cash flows	(151)	-
	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(894)	(2,457)
1.21	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	7,669	9,239
	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	28	21
1.23	Cash at end of quarter	6,803	6,803

	yments to directors of the entity and associates of the dire yments to related entities of the entity and associates of th	
rela	ated entities	Current Quarter
		Mar 2009 \$' 000
1.24	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	(92)
1.25	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	-
1.26	Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions	

Directors' fees, salaries and superannuation for the quarter.

## Non-cash financing and investing activities

2.1 Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows

None.	

2.2 Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their share in projects in which the reporting entity has an interest

None.

Fin	ancing facilities available	Amount available \$' 000	Amount used \$' 000
3.1	Loan facilities	-	-
3.2	Credit standby arrangements	-	-

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Est	timated cash outflows for next quarter	Next Quarter \$' 000
4.1	Exploration and evaluation	(100)
4.2	Development	-
	Total	(100)

Re	conciliation of cash	Consolidated		
	nciliation of cash at the end of the month (as shown in the consolidated statement h flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows	Current Quarter \$' 000	Previous Quarter \$' 000	
5.1	Cash on hand and at bank	898	520	
5.2	Deposits at call	5,905	7,149	
5.3	Bank overdraft	-	-	
5.4	Other (Bank Bills)	-	-	
	Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	6,803	7,669	

## Changes in interests in mining tenements

••••							
	_	Tenement	Nature of interest	Interest at beginning of	Interest at end of		
		reference	(note (4))	quarter	quarter		
6.1	Interests in mining tenements relinquished, reduced or lapsed						
6.2	Interests in mining tenements acquired or increased	Refer to Quarterly Activities Report					

## Issued and quoted securities at end of current quarter

7.1   Preference securities+   Image during quarter     (a) Increases through returns of capital, buy-backs, redemptions   80,507,500   56,011,285   25 cents     7.3   Ordinary securities+   80,507,500   56,011,285   25 cents   25 cents     7.4   Changes during quarter   (a) Increases through issues   (b) Decreases through issues   (c) Decreases through returns of capital, buy-backs   25 cents   25 cents     7.5   Convertible debt securities+   7.6   Changes during quarter   (a) Increases through issues   (b) Decreases through issues   (b) Decreases through securities+     7.6   Changes during quarter   (a) Increases through securities+   60,367,500   60,367,500   25 cents   30 June 2009     7.7   Options   Exercise price   Expiry date   26 July 2012   26 July 2012     Employees' Options   60,367,500   60,367,500   25 cents   30 June 2009   30 June 2009     Unlisted \$0.35 (16 September   16,400,000   -   35 cents   16 September 2013   16 September 2013     7.8   Issued during quarter   -   -   -   -   -     7.9   Exercised during quarter		•			Issue price per security	Amount paid up per
7.2   Changes during quarter     (a) Increases through issues   (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy-backs, redemptions     7.3   Ordinary securities+   80,507,500   56,011,285   25 cents   25 cents     7.4   Changes during quarter   (a) Increases through issues   (b) Decreases through issues   25 cents   25 cents     (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy-backs   (a) Increases through returns of capital, buy-backs   25 cents   25 cents     7.5   Convertible debt securities+   (a) Increases through issues   (b) Decreases through securities+   (b) Decreases through securities+   (c) Decreases through securities+     7.6   Changes during quarter   (a) Increases through securities+   (b) Decreases through securities+   (c) Decreases through securities+   (c) Decreases through securities+     7.7   Options   (b) Decreases through securities+   (c) S0(26 July 2012)   (c) S0(26 July 2012)   (c) S0(00 -   25 cents   30 June 2009     Unlisted \$0.35 (16 September   16(A00,000 -   35 cents   16 September 2013   16 September 2013     Unlisted \$0.35 (26 July 2012)   1,485,000 -   35 cents   16 September 2013   16 September 2013     7.8   Issued during quarter<			Total number	Number quoted	(see note 5) (cents)	security (see note 5)
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	7.11	Debentures (totals only)				
7.12 Unsecured notes	7.12	Unsecured notes				

## **Compliance statement**

- 1 This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Act or other standards acceptable to ASX (see note 4).
- 2 This statement **does** give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Victor Ho Company Secretary

Notes:

30 April 2009

31-Mar-09

The  $\underline{\textbf{Company}}$  currently holds the following listed share investments:

	No Shares	% Interest	Last Closing Price	Market Value
Shares (Other)				\$728,996
				\$728,996

Share investments are regarded as liquid assets to supplement the Company's cash reserves.

+ See Chapter 19 for defined terms

## NOTES

- 1) The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity wanting to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note
- 2) The "Nature of interest" (items 6.1 and 6.2) includes options in respect of interests in mining tenements acquired, exercised or lapsed during the reporting period. If the entity is involved in a joint venture agreement and there are conditions precedent
- 3) Issued and quoted securities The issue price and amount paid up is not required in items 7.1 and 7.3 for fully paid securities.
- 4) The definitions in, and provisions of, AASB 1022: Accounting for Extractive Industries and AASB 1026: Statement of Cash Flows apply to this report.
- 5) Accounting Standards ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Accounting Standards for foreign entities. If the standards used do not address a topic, the Australian standard on that topic (if any) must be complied with.
- 6) The Company holds foreign currencies denominated in US dollars and Peruvian Nuevo Soles. Fluctuations in foreign exchange rates have been accounted for in this cashflow report using the exchange rate as at 31 March 2009.