Rule 2.7, 3.10.3, 3.10.4, 3.10.5

Appendix 3B

New issue announcement, application for quotation of additional securities and agreement

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

Introduced 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 5. Amended 1/7/98, 1/9/99, 1/7/2000, 30/9/2001, 11/3/2002, 1/1/2003, 24/10/2005.

Name of entity

Avalon Minerals Limited

ABN

68 123 184 412

We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

Part 1 - All issues

You must complete the relevant sections (attach sheets if there is not enough space).

1 +Class of +securities issued or to be issued Unlisted Director Options.

- 2 Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued
- 3 Principal terms of the *securities (eg, if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid *securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if *convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)

5,400,000 Unlisted Director Options.

2,700,000 Unlisted Director Options vesting on or before 27 April 2012, expiring 27 April 2014 and exercisable at 30 cents.

2,700,000 Unlisted Director Options vesting on or before 27 April 2013, expiring 27 April 2015 and exercisable at 30 cents.

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

4	Do the ⁺ securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing ⁺ class of quoted ⁺ securities?	Yes	
	 If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state: the date from which they do the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment 		
	• the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment		
_	Issue price or consideration	Nil	
5	issue price of consideration	1111	
6	Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	Options issued und conditions of the Dir approved by shareho Meeting on 3 May 2011	ector Option Plan as Iders at the General
7	Dates of entering ⁺ securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates	31 May 2011	
		Number	+Class
8	Number and ⁺ class of all ⁺ securities quoted on ASX (<i>including</i> the securities in clause 2 if applicable)	209,238,002	Ordinary

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		Number	+Class
9	Number and ⁺ class of all	100,000	Employee Options
	*securities not quoted on ASX		exercisable at 20 cents and
	(<i>including</i> the securities in		expiring 31 July 2011
	clause 2 if applicable)	500,000	Employee Options
			exercisable at 30 cents and
			expiring 31 January 2013
		500,000	Employee Options
			exercisable at 30 cents and
			expiring 1 July 2014
		1,000,000	Employee Options
			exercisable at 40 cents and
			expiring 31 January 2014
		500,000	Employee Options
			exercisable at 40 cents and
			expiring 1 July 2015
		2,700,000	Director Options exercisable
			at 30 cents and expiring 27
			April 2014
		2,700,000	Director Options exercisable
			at 30 cents and expiring 27
			April 2015

10 Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)

No change.

Part 2 - Bonus issue or pro rata issue

11	Is security holder approval required?
12	Is the issue renounceable or non- renounceable?
13	Ratio in which the *securities will be offered
14	⁺ Class of ⁺ securities to which the offer relates
15	⁺ Record date to determine entitlements

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16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	
18	Names of countries in which the entity has ⁺ security holders who will not be sent new issue documents Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.	
	Cross reference: rule 7.7.	
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	
20	Names of any underwriters	
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of ⁺ security holders	
25	If the issue is contingent on ⁺ security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled	

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- 28 Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)
- 29 Date rights trading will end (if applicable)
- 30 How do ⁺security holders sell their entitlements *in full* through a broker?
- 31 How do ⁺security holders sell *part* of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?
- 32 How do ⁺security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?

33 ⁺Despatch date



Part 3 - Quotation of securities

You need only complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities

- 34 Type of securities (*tick one*)
- (a) [

Securities described in Part 1

(b) [

All other securities

Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities

Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

Additional securities forming a new class of securities

Tick to indicate you are providing the information or documents

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35	If the *securities are *equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional *securities, and the number and percentage of additional *securities held by those holders	
36		securities, a distribution schedule of the additional mber of holders in the categories
37	A copy of any trust deed for t	he additional ⁺ securities
Entiti	es that have ticked box 34(b)	
38	Number of securities for which ⁺ quotation is sought	
39	Class of ⁺ securities for which quotation is sought	
40	Do the ⁺ securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing ⁺ class of quoted ⁺ securities?	
	 If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state: the date from which they do the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment 	
41	Reason for request for quotation now Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period	
	(if issued upon conversion of another security, clearly identify that other security)	

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		Number
42	Number and ⁺ class of all	
	⁺ securities quoted on ASX	
	(including the securities in clause	
	38)	

Number	+Class

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Quotation agreement

- ¹ ⁺Quotation of our additional ⁺securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the ⁺securities on any conditions it decides.
- 2 We warrant the following to ASX.
 - The issue of the +securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
 - There is no reason why those +securities should not be granted +quotation.
 - An offer of the ⁺securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty

- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any *securities to be quoted and that no-one has any right to return any *securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the ⁺securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the ⁺securities be quoted.
- 3 We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.
- We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document not available now, will give it to ASX before 'quotation of the 'securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

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Sign here: (Company Secretary) Date: 31 May 2011

Print name: Paul Bridson

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