

7 March 2025

Dear Shareholder

## GENERAL MEETING

Desert Metals Limited A.C.N 617 947 172 (**Desert Metals, DM1, or the Company**) advises that a General Meeting ("**Meeting**") of the Company will be held in person at 2.30pm (WST) on Tuesday, 8 April 2025 at Level 2, 389 Oxford Street, Mount Hawthorn, Western Australia 6016.

In accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth), the Company will not be sending hard copies of the Notice of Meeting to shareholders unless a shareholder has previously requested a hard copy. The Notice of Meeting can be viewed and downloaded at [www.desertmetals.com.au](http://www.desertmetals.com.au) or from the ASX website at <https://www2.asx.com.au/markets/company/DM1>.

If you have nominated an email address and have elected to receive electronic communications from the Company, you will also receive an email to your nominated email address with a link to an electronic copy of the notice of meeting. If you have not elected to receive electronic communications from the Company, a copy of your personalised proxy form together with this letter will be posted to you.

The Company **strongly encourages Shareholders to lodge a directed proxy form online or otherwise in accordance with the instructions set out in the proxy form, by no later than 2.30pm (AWST) on 6 April 2025**. Questions should also be submitted in advance of the Meeting as this will provide management with the best opportunity to prepare for the Meeting, for example by preparing answers in advance to Shareholders questions. However, votes and questions may also be submitted during the Meeting.

The outcome of the resolutions, including details of votes received by poll, will be released to the Company's ASX announcements platform following conclusion of the meeting.

If you are unable to access any of the Meeting documents online please contact the Company Secretary, Paul Jurman, on +618 9383 9997 or via email at [admin@desertmetals.com.au](mailto:admin@desertmetals.com.au)

### ***Shareholder communications***

Receiving your shareholder communications electronically is the best way to stay informed and will assist the Company with minimising paper usage. If you haven't already, we encourage you to make the switch to paperless communications and provide us with your email address

The Corporations Amendment (Meetings and Documents) Act 2022 (Amendment Act) includes a requirement for public companies and listed companies to give shareholders notice of their right to elect to be sent documents electronically or physically by the company in section 110K of the Corporations Act.

There are new options for how Desert Metal shareholders receive communications. Desert Metals will no longer send physical meeting documents unless a shareholder requests a copy to be mailed.

Desert Metals encourages all shareholders to provide an email address so we can provide investor communications electronically when they become available online, which includes items such as meeting documents and annual reports.

By providing your email address, you will:

- Support the company by reducing the cost of mailing/postage
- Receive your investor communications faster and in a more secure way
- Help the environment through the need for less paper

#### **How do I update my communications preferences?**

Shareholders can still elect to receive some or all of their communications in physical or electronic form or elect not to receive certain documents such as annual reports. To review your communications preferences, or sign up to receive your shareholder communications via email, please update your communication preferences at <https://investor.automic.com.au/>

If you are a shareholder and would like a physical copy of a communication, need further information about the options available to you or have questions about your holding, visit <https://investor.automic.com.au/> or contact our share registry:

**Telephone (within Australia):** 1300 288 664

**Telephone (outside Australia):** +61 2 9698 5414

**Email:** [hello@automicgroup.com.au](mailto:hello@automicgroup.com.au)

**Website:** <https://investor.automic.com.au/>

**By order of the board**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Paul Jurman', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Mr Paul Jurman  
Company Secretary

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**DESERT METALS LIMITED**  
**ACN 617 947 172**  
**NOTICE OF GENERAL MEETING**

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Notice is given that the Meeting will be held at:

**TIME:** 2.30pm (WST)

**DATE:** 8 April 2025

**PLACE:** Level 2, Suite 9, 389 Oxford Street, Mount Hawthorn, Western Australia 6016

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

***This Notice 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.***

***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 4.00pm (WST) on 6 April 2025.***

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## BUSINESS OF THE MEETING

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### AGENDA

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**1. RESOLUTION 1 – RATIFICATION OF PRIOR ISSUE OF TRANCHE 1 PLACEMENT SHARES UNDER LISTING RULE 7.1**

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

*“That, for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.4 and for all other purposes, Shareholders ratify the issue of 31,652,315 Shares that were issued to Unrelated Placement Participants on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement.”*

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**2. RESOLUTION 2 – RATIFICATION OF PRIOR ISSUE OF TRANCHE 1 PLACEMENT SHARES UNDER LISTING RULE 7.1A**

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

*“That, for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.4 and for all other purposes, Shareholders ratify the issue of 26,742,569 Shares that were issued to Unrelated Placement Participants on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement.”*

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**3. RESOLUTION 3 – APPROVAL TO ISSUE TRANCHE 2 PLACEMENT SHARES**

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

*“That, for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.1 and for all other purposes, approval is given for the Company to issue 103,932,040 Shares to Unrelated Placement Participants on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement.”*

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**4. RESOLUTION 4 – APPROVAL TO ISSUE PLACEMENT SHARES TO MR PATRICK FLINT**

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

*“That, for the purposes of section 195(4) of the Corporations Act, Listing Rule 10.11 and for all other purposes, approval is given for the Company to issue up to 750,000 Shares to Mr Patrick Flint (or his nominee(s)) on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement.”*

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**5. RESOLUTION 5 – APPROVAL TO ISSUE PLACEMENT SHARES TO MR STEPHEN ROSS**

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

*“That, for the purposes of section 195(4) of the Corporations Act, Listing Rule 10.11 and for all other purposes, approval is given for the Company to issue up to 2,564,102 Shares to Mr Stephen Ross (or his nominee(s)) on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement.”*

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**6. RESOLUTION 6 – APPROVAL TO ISSUE PLACEMENT SHARES TO MS FATOU GUEYE**

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

*“That, for the purposes of section 195(4) of the Corporations Act, Listing Rule 10.11 and for all other purposes, approval is given for the Company to issue up to 1,025,641 Shares to Ms Fatou Gueye (or her nominee(s)) on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement.”*

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**7. RESOLUTION 7 – APPROVAL TO ISSUE OPTIONS TO CPS CAPITAL**

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

*“That, for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.1 and for all other purposes, approval is given for the Company to issue 26,500,000 Options to CPS Capital Pty Ltd (or its nominee(s)) on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement.”*

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**Dated: 4 March 2025**

## Voting Exclusion Statements

In accordance with Listing Rule 14.11, the Company will disregard any votes cast in favour of the Resolution set out below by or on behalf of the following persons:

<b>Resolution 1 – Ratification of prior issue of Tranche 1 Placement Shares under Listing Rule 7.1</b>	Unrelated Placement Participants or any other person who participated in the issue or an associate of that person or those persons.
<b>Resolution 2 – Ratification of prior issue of Tranche 1 Placement Shares under Listing Rule 7.1A</b>	Unrelated Placement Participants or any other person who participated in the issue or an associate of that person or those persons.
<b>Resolution 3 – Approval to issue Tranche 2 Placement Shares</b>	Unrelated Placement Participants or any other 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).
<b>Resolution 4 – Approval to issue Placement Shares to Mr Patrick Flint</b>	Mr Patrick Flint (or his nominee(s)) and any other person who will obtain a material benefit as a result of the issue of the securities (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.
<b>Resolution 5 – Approval to issue Placement Shares to Mr Stephen Ross</b>	Mr Stephen Ross (or his nominee(s)) and any other person who will obtain a material benefit as a result of the issue of the securities (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.
<b>Resolution 6 – Approval to issue Placement Shares to Ms Fatou Gueye</b>	Ms Fatou Gueye (or her nominee(s)) and any other person who will obtain a material benefit as a result of the issue of the securities (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.
<b>Resolution 7 – Approval to issue Options to CPS Capital</b>	CPS Capital Group Pty Ltd (or its nominee(s)) or any other person who participated in the issue 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:
- (d) 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
- (e) the holder votes on the Resolution in accordance with directions given by the beneficiary to the holder to vote in that way.

## **Voting by proxy**

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To vote by proxy, please complete Proxy Form and sign the enclosed Proxy Form and return by the time and in accordance with the instructions set out on the Proxy Form.

In accordance with section 249L of the Corporations Act, Shareholders are advised that:

- each Shareholder has a right to appoint a proxy;
- the proxy need not be a Shareholder of the Company; and
- a Shareholder who is entitled to cast two or more votes may appoint two proxies and may specify the proportion or number of votes each proxy is appointed to exercise. If the Shareholder appoints two proxies and the appointment does not specify the proportion or number of the member's votes, then in accordance with section 249X(3) of the Corporations Act, each proxy may exercise one-half of the votes.

Shareholders and their proxies should be aware that:

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

## **Voting in person**

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To vote in person, attend the Meeting at the time, date and place set out above.

***Should you wish to discuss the matters in this Notice please do not hesitate to contact the Company Secretary on +61 8 9383 9997.***

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## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

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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. BACKGROUND TO RESOLUTIONS 1 TO 7

On 19 February 2025, the Company announced that it had received firm commitments for a private placement to sophisticated and institutional investors to raise up to approximately \$3.25 million through the issue of 166,666,667 fully paid ordinary shares (**Shares**) at \$0.0195 per Share (**Placement**).

The Placement comprises:

- (a) Tranche 1: 58,394,884 Shares issued to sophisticated and institutional investors unrelated to the Company (**Unrelated Placement Participants**) on 27 February 2025 comprising:
  - (i) 31,652,315 Shares under the Company's placement capacity under Listing Rule 7.1, which the Company is seeking to ratify under Resolution 1; and
  - (ii) 26,742,569 Shares Listing Rule 7.1A, which the Company is seeking to ratify under Resolution 2;
- (b) Tranche 2: 103,932,040 Shares to be issued to the Unrelated Placement Participants, subject to obtaining Shareholder approval under Resolution 3; and
- (c) 4,339,743 Shares to be issued to Mr Patrick Flint, Mr Stephen Ross and Ms Fatou Gueye (**Related Party Participants**) (or their nominee(s)), subject to obtaining Shareholder approval under Resolutions 4 to 6.

In addition to the Placement, the Company will issue 26,500,000 Options to CPS Capital Group Pty Ltd (**CPS Capital**) (subject to obtaining Shareholder approval under Resolution 7) pursuant to the Lead Manager Mandate (as defined below).

### 1.2 Lead Manager

On or about 15 February 2025, the Company entered into a mandate with CPS Capital pursuant to which CPS Capital was engaged by the Company to act as lead manager to the Placement (**Lead Manager Mandate**).

In accordance with the terms of the Lead Manager Mandate, in respect of the Placement, the Company has agreed to pay CPS Capital (or its nominee(s)) the following fees (exclusive of GST):

- (a) a management fee of 2% of the total funds raised under the Placement; and
- (b) a placement fee of 4% of the total funds raised under the Placement.

In addition to the above, the Company has agreed to issue 26,500,000 Options exercisable at \$0.035 on or before the date that is 3 years from the date of issue, subject to receipt of Shareholder approval.

Pursuant to the Lead Manager Mandate the Company is to pay CPS Capital a monthly corporate advisory fee of \$5,000 (plus GST) for a minimum term of 12 months from the date of execution of the Lead Manager Mandate. This corporate advisory fee will be renewed on the same terms, at the expiry of each 12 month period, unless otherwise notified by the Company.

Other than as noted above, the Lead Manager Mandate contains terms which are standard for an agreement of this type.

### 1.3 Use of funds

The funds raised from the Placement are intended to be used towards funding the costs of the offer, general working capital and the Company's ongoing and planned exploration programs at the Company's existing projects including the:

- (a) 5,000-metre diamond drilling program at Adzope;
- (b) ground geophysics, auger sampling, stream sediment sampling at Adzope; and
- (c) 3,500-metre aircore drilling program at Tengrela South.

## **2. RESOLUTIONS 1 AND 2 – RATIFICATION OF PRIOR ISSUE OF TRANCHE 1 PLACEMENT SHARES**

### **2.1 General**

These Resolutions seek Shareholder ratification for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.4 for the issue of Shares to the Unrelated Placement Participants.

### **2.2 Listing Rules 7.1 and 7.1A**

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 securities it had on issue at the start of that 12 month period.

Under Listing Rule 7.1A however, an Eligible Entity can seek approval from its members, by way of a special resolution passed at its annual general meeting, to increase this 15% limit by an extra 10% to 25%. The Company obtained this approval at its annual general meeting held on 28 November 2024.

The issue does not fit within any of the exceptions set out in Listing Rule 7.2 and, as it has not yet been approved by Shareholders, it effectively uses up part of the 25% limit in Listing Rules 7.1 and 7.1A, reducing the Company's capacity to issue further equity securities without Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 7.1 and 7.1A for the 12 month period following the date of the issue.

### **2.3 Listing Rule 7.4**

Listing Rule 7.4 allows the shareholders of a listed company to approve an issue of equity securities after it has been made or agreed to be made. If they do, the issue is taken to have been approved under Listing Rule 7.1 and so does not reduce the company's capacity to issue further equity securities without shareholder approval under that rule.

The Company wishes to retain as much flexibility as possible to issue additional equity securities in the future without having to obtain Shareholder approval for such issues under Listing Rule 7.1. Accordingly, the Company is seeking Shareholder ratification pursuant to Listing Rule 7.4 for the issue.

### **2.4 Technical information required by Listing Rule 14.1A**

If these Resolutions are passed, the issue will be excluded in calculating the Company's combined 25% limit in Listing Rules 7.1 and 7.1A, effectively increasing the number of equity securities the Company can issue without Shareholder approval over the 12 month period following the date of the issue.

If these Resolutions are not passed, the issue will be included in calculating the Company's combined 25% limit in Listing Rules 7.1 and 7.1A, effectively decreasing the number of equity securities the Company can issue without Shareholder approval over the 12 month period following the date of the issue.

### **2.5 Technical information required by Listing Rules 7.4 and 7.5 in respect of Resolutions 1 and 2**

<b>REQUIRED INFORMATION</b>	<b>DETAILS</b>
<b>Names of persons to whom Securities were issued or the basis on which those persons were identified/selected</b>	The Shares were issued to professional and sophisticated investors who were identified through a bookbuild process, which involved CPS Capital seeking expressions of interest to participate in the capital raising from non-related parties of the Company.
<b>Number and class of Securities issued</b>	31,652,315 Shares were issued pursuant to Listing Rule 7.1 and 26,742,569 Shares were issued pursuant to Listing Rule 7.1A.
<b>Terms of Securities</b>	The Shares were fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Company issued on the same terms and conditions as the Company's existing Shares.



REQUIRED INFORMATION	DETAILS
<b>Date(s) on or by which the Securities were issued</b>	27 February 2025.
<b>Price or other consideration the Company received for the Securities</b>	\$0.0195 per Share.
<b>Purpose of the issue, including the intended use of any funds raised by the issue</b>	Refer to Section 1.3 for details of the proposed use of funds.
<b>Summary of material terms of agreement to issue</b>	The Shares were not issued pursuant to an agreement.
<b>Voting Exclusion Statement</b>	A voting exclusion statement applies to this Resolution.
<b>Compliance</b>	The issue did not breach Listing Rule 7.1.

### 3. RESOLUTION 3 – APPROVAL TO ISSUE TRANCHE 2 PLACEMENT SHARES

#### 3.1 General

This Resolution seeks Shareholder approval for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.1 for the issue of 103,932,040 Shares to the Unrelated Placement Participants.

#### 3.2 Listing Rules 7.1

A summary of Listing Rule 7.1 is set out in Section 2.2 above.

The proposed issue does not fall within any of the exceptions set out in Listing Rule 7.2 and exceeds the 15% limit in Listing Rule 7.1. It therefore requires the approval of Shareholders under Listing Rule 7.1.

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

If this Resolution is passed, the Company will be able to proceed with the issue. In addition, the issue 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.

If this Resolution is not passed, the Company will not be able to proceed with the issue and as such will not raise the further \$2,026,675 under the Placement.

#### 3.4 Technical information required by Listing Rule 7.3

REQUIRED INFORMATION	DETAILS
<b>Names of persons to whom Securities were issued or the basis on which those persons were identified/selected</b>	The Shares will be issued to the same professional and sophisticated investors identified in Section 2.5 above. The Company confirms that no Material Persons will be issued more than 1% of the issued capital of the Company.
<b>Number and class of Securities issued</b>	103,932,040 Shares will be issued.
<b>Terms of Securities</b>	The Shares will be fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Company issued on the same terms and conditions as the Company's existing Shares.
<b>Date(s) on or by which the Securities were issued</b>	The Company expects to issue the Shares within 5 Business Days of the Meeting. In any event, the Company will not issue any Shares later than three months after the date of the Meeting (or such later date to the extent

REQUIRED INFORMATION	DETAILS
	permitted by any ASX waiver or modification of the Listing Rules).
<b>Price or other consideration the Company received for the Securities</b>	\$0.0195 per Share
<b>Purpose of the issue, including the intended use of any funds raised by the issue</b>	Refer to Section 1.3 for details of the proposed use of funds.
<b>Summary of material terms of agreement to issue</b>	The Shares will not be issued pursuant to an agreement.
<b>Voting Exclusion Statement</b>	A voting exclusion statement applies to this Resolution.

#### 4. RESOLUTIONS 4 TO 6 – APPROVAL TO ISSUE SHARES TO RELATED PARTY PARTICIPANTS

##### 4.1 General

To enable the Directors to participate in the Company's Placement on the same terms as the Unrelated Placement Participants, Resolutions 4 to 6 seek Shareholder approval for the purposes of Listing Rule 10.11 for the issue of up to an aggregate of 4,339,743 Shares to the Related Party Participants (or their nominee(s)) on the terms and conditions set out below.

Further details in respect of the intended participation of the Related Party Participants (or their nominee(s)) are set out in the table below.

RECIPIENT	RESOLUTION	PARTICIPATION	
		QUANTUM SHARES	FUNDS RAISED
Mr Patrick Flint	4	750,000	\$14,625
Mr Stephen Ross	5	2,564,102	\$50,000
Ms Fatou Gueye	6	1,025,641	\$20,000
<b>Total</b>		<b>4,339,743</b>	<b>\$84,625</b>

##### 4.2 Chapter 2E of the Corporations Act

Chapter 2E of the Corporations Act requires that for a public company, or an entity that the public company controls, to give a financial benefit to a related party of the public company, the public company or entity must:

- (a) obtain the approval of the public company's members in the manner set out in sections 217 to 227 of the Corporations Act; and
- (b) give the benefit within 15 months following such approval,

unless the giving of the financial benefit falls within an exception set out in sections 210 to 216 of the Corporations Act.

The issue of Shares under the Placement to the Related Party Participants (or their nominee(s)) constitutes giving a financial benefit and each of the Related Party Participants is a related party of the Company by virtue of being a Director.

The Directors consider that Shareholder approval pursuant to Chapter 2E of the Corporations Act is not required in respect of the issue because the Shares will be issued to the Related Party Participants (or their nominee(s)) on the same terms as Shares issued to the Unrelated Placement Participants and as such the giving of the financial benefit is on arm's length terms.

### 4.3 Listing Rule 10.11

Listing Rule 10.11 provides that unless one of the exceptions in Listing Rule 10.12 applies, a listed company must not issue or agree to issue equity securities to:

- 10.11.1 a related party;
- 10.11.2 a person who is, or was at any time in the 6 months before the issue or agreement, a substantial (30%+) holder in the company;
- 10.11.3 a person who is, or was at any time in the 6 months before the issue or agreement, a substantial (10%+) holder in the company and who has nominated a director to the board of the company pursuant to a relevant agreement which gives them a right or expectation to do so;
- 10.11.4 an associate of a person referred to in Listing Rules 10.11.1 to 10.11.3; or
- 10.11.5 a person whose relationship with the company or a person referred to in Listing Rules 10.11.1 to 10.11.4 is such that, in ASX's opinion, the issue or agreement should be approved by its shareholders,

unless it obtains the approval of its shareholders.

The issue falls within Listing Rule 10.11.1 and does not fall within any of the exceptions in Listing Rule 10.12. It therefore requires the approval of Shareholders under Listing Rule 10.11.

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

If these Resolutions are passed, the Company will be able to proceed with the issue within one month after the date of the Meeting (or such later date as permitted by any ASX waiver or modification of the Listing Rules). As approval pursuant to Listing Rule 7.1 is not required for the issue (because approval is being obtained under Listing Rule 10.11), the issue will not use up any of the Company's 15% annual placement capacity.

If these Resolutions are not passed, the Company will not be able to proceed with the issue. Accordingly, the Company will not raise a further \$84,625 under the Placement.

### 4.5 Technical Information required by Listing Rule 10.13 and section 219 of the Corporations Act in respect of Resolutions 4,5 and 6

REQUIRED INFORMATION	DETAILS
<b>Name of the persons to whom Securities will be issued</b>	The Shares will be issued to Mr Patrick Flint, Mr Stephen Ross and Ms Fatou Gueye (or their nominee(s)).
<b>Categorisation under Listing Rule 10.11</b>	Each of the proposed recipients falls within the category set out in Listing Rule 10.11.1 as they are each a related party of the Company by virtue of being a Director.  Any nominee(s) of the proposed recipients who receive Shares may constitute 'associates' for the purposes of Listing Rule 10.11.4.
<b>Number of Securities and class to be issued</b>	The maximum number of Shares to be issued is 4,339,743 Shares in the allocations set out in Section 4.1.
<b>Terms of Securities</b>	The Shares will be fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Company issued on the same terms and conditions as the Company's existing Shares.
<b>Date(s) on or by which the Securities will be issued</b>	The Company expects to issue the Shares within 5 Business Days of the Meeting. In any event, the Company will not issue any Shares later than one month after the date of the Meeting (or such later date to the extent permitted by any ASX waiver or modification of the Listing Rules).
<b>Price or other</b>	\$0.0195 per Share.

REQUIRED INFORMATION	DETAILS
<b>consideration the Company will receive for the Securities</b>	Refer to the table set out in Section 4.1.
<b>Purpose of the issue, including the intended use of any funds raised by the issue</b>	Refer to Section 1.3 for details of the proposed use of funds.
<b>Summary of material terms of agreement to issue</b>	The Shares will not be issued pursuant to an agreement.
<b>Voting exclusion statements</b>	Voting exclusion statements apply to these Resolutions.

## 5. RESOLUTION 7 – APPROVAL TO ISSUE OPTIONS TO CPS CAPITAL

### 5.1 General

This Resolution seeks Shareholder approval for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.1 for the issue of 26,500,000 Options to CPS Capital (or its nominee(s)) in consideration for its lead manager services provided under the Placement.

### 5.2 Listing Rule 7.1

A summary of Listing Rule 7.1 is set out in Section 2.2 above.

The proposed issue falls within exception 17 of Listing Rule 7.2. It therefore requires the approval of Shareholders under Listing Rule 7.1.

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

If this Resolution is passed, the Company will be able to proceed with the issue. In addition, the issue 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.

If the Resolution is not passed, the Company will not be able to proceed with the issue. Accordingly, the Company would have to pay its fees owing to CPS Capital for its lead manager services in cash which would further deplete the Company's existing cash reserves.

### 5.4 Technical information required by Listing Rule 7.3

REQUIRED INFORMATION	DETAILS
<b>Names of persons to whom Securities will be issued or the basis on which those persons were or will be identified/selected</b>	The Options will be issued to CPS Capital (or its nominee(s)).
<b>Number of Securities and class to be issued</b>	26,500,000 Options will be issued to CPS Capital (or its nominee(s)).
<b>Terms of Securities</b>	The Options will be issued on the terms and conditions set out in Schedule 1.
<b>Date(s) on or by which the Securities will be issued</b>	The Company expects to issue the Options within 5 Business Days of the Meeting. In any event, the Company will not issue any of the Options later than three months after the date of the Meeting (or such later date to the extent permitted by any ASX waiver or modification of the Listing Rules).

REQUIRED INFORMATION	DETAILS
<b>Price or other consideration the Company will receive for the Securities</b>	The Options will be issued at a nominal issue price of \$0.00001, in consideration for lead manager services provided by CPS Capital under the Placement.
<b>Purpose of the issue, including the intended use of any funds raised by the issue</b>	The purpose of the issue is to satisfy the Company's obligations under the Lead Manager Mandate.
<b>Summary of material terms of agreement to issue</b>	The Options are being issued under the Lead Manager Mandate, a summary of the material terms of which are set out in Section 1.2.
<b>Voting exclusion statement</b>	A voting exclusion statement applies to this Resolution.

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## GLOSSARY

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**\$** means Australian dollars.

**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.

**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.

**Chair** means the chair of the Meeting.

**Company** means Desert Metals Limited (ACN 617 947 172).

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

**CPS Capital** means CPS Capital Group Pty Ltd.

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

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

**Lead Manager Mandate** has the meaning given in Section 1.2.

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

**Material Person** means a related party of the Company, member of the Key Management Personnel, substantial holder of the Company, adviser of the Company or associate of any of these parties.

**Meeting** means the meeting convened by the Notice.

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

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

**Placement** has the meaning given in Section 1.

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

**Related Party Participants** has the meaning given in Section 1.

**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.

**Unrelated Placement Participants** has the meaning given in Section 1.

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

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## SCHEDULE 1 – TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OPTIONS

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(a) **Entitlement**

Each Option entitles the holder to subscribe for one Share upon exercise of the Option.

(b) **Exercise Price**

Subject to paragraph (j), the amount payable upon exercise of each Option and will be \$0.035 (**Exercise Price**).

(c) **Expiry Date**

Each Option will expire at 5:00 pm (WST) on the date that is 3 years from the date of issue (**Expiry Date**). An Option not exercised before the Expiry Date will automatically lapse on the Expiry Date.

(d) **Exercise Period**

The Options are exercisable at any time on or prior to the Expiry Date (**Exercise Period**).

(e) **Notice of Exercise**

The Options may be exercised during the Exercise Period by notice in writing to the Company in the manner specified on the Option certificate (**Notice of Exercise**) and payment of the Exercise Price for each Option being exercised in Australian currency by electronic funds transfer or other means of payment acceptable to the Company.

(f) **Exercise Date**

A Notice of Exercise is only effective on and from the later of the date of receipt of the Notice of Exercise and the date of receipt of the payment of the Exercise Price for each Option being exercised in cleared funds (**Exercise Date**).

(g) **Timing of issue of Shares on exercise**

Within five Business Days after the Exercise Date, the Company will:

- (i) issue the number of Shares required under these terms and conditions in respect of the number of Options specified in the Notice of Exercise and for which cleared funds have been received by the Company;
- (ii) if required, give ASX a notice that complies with section 708A(5)(e) of the Corporations Act, or, if the Company is unable to issue such a notice, lodge with ASIC a prospectus prepared in accordance with the Corporations Act and do all such things necessary to satisfy section 708A(11) of the Corporations Act to ensure that an offer for sale of the Shares does not require disclosure to investors; and
- (iii) if admitted to the official list of ASX at the time, apply for official quotation on ASX of Shares issued pursuant to the exercise of the Options.

If a notice delivered under (g)(ii) for any reason is not effective to ensure that an offer for sale of the Shares does not require disclosure to investors, the Company must, no later than 20 Business Days after becoming aware of such notice being ineffective, lodge with ASIC a prospectus prepared in accordance with the Corporations Act and do all such things necessary to satisfy section 708A(11) of the Corporations Act to ensure that an offer for sale of the Shares does not require disclosure to investors.

(h) **Shares issued on exercise**

Shares issued on exercise of the Options rank equally with the then issued shares of the Company.

(i) **Quotation of Shares issued on exercise**

Application will be made by the Company to ASX for quotation of the Shares issued upon exercise of the Options.

(j) **Reconstruction of capital**

If at any time the issued capital of the Company is reconstructed, all rights of an Optionholder are to be changed in a manner consistent with the Corporations Act and the ASX Listing Rules at the time of the reconstruction.

(k) **Participation in new issues**

There are no participation rights or entitlements inherent in the Options and holders will not be entitled to participate in new issues of capital offered to Shareholders during the currency of the Options without exercising the Options.

(l) **Change in exercise price**

An Option does not confer the right to a change in Exercise Price or a change in the number of underlying securities over which the Option can be exercised.

(m) **Transferability**

The Options are transferable subject to any restriction or escrow arrangements imposed by ASX or under applicable Australian securities laws.



Your proxy voting instruction must be received by **2.30pm (AWST) on Sunday, 06 April 2025**, being **not later than 48 hours** before the commencement of the Meeting. Any Proxy Voting instructions received after that time will not be valid for the scheduled Meeting.

## SUBMIT YOUR PROXY

Complete the form overleaf in accordance with the instructions set out below.

### YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS

The name and address shown above is as it appears on the Company's share register. If this information is incorrect, and you have an Issuer Sponsored holding, you can update your address through the investor portal: <https://investor.automic.com.au/#/home> Shareholders sponsored by a broker should advise their broker of any changes.

### STEP 1 – APPOINT A PROXY

If you wish to appoint someone other than the Chair of the Meeting as your proxy, please write the name of that Individual or body corporate. A proxy need not be a Shareholder of the Company. Otherwise if you leave this box blank, the Chair of the Meeting will be appointed as your proxy by default.

### DEFAULT TO THE CHAIR OF THE MEETING

Any directed proxies that are not voted on a poll at the Meeting will default to the Chair of the Meeting, who is required to vote these proxies as directed. Any undirected proxies that default to the Chair of the Meeting will be voted according to the instructions set out in this Proxy Voting Form, including where the Resolutions are connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of Key Management Personnel.

### STEP 2 - VOTES ON ITEMS OF BUSINESS

You may direct your proxy how to vote by marking one of the boxes opposite each item of business. All your shares will be voted in accordance with such a direction unless you indicate only a portion of voting rights are to be voted on any item by inserting the percentage or number of shares you wish to vote in the appropriate box or boxes. If you do not mark any of the boxes on the items of business, your proxy may vote as he or she chooses. If you mark more than one box on an item your vote on that item will be invalid.

### APPOINTMENT OF SECOND PROXY

You may appoint up to two proxies. If you appoint two proxies, you should complete two separate Proxy Voting Forms and specify the percentage or number each proxy may exercise. If you do not specify a percentage or number, each proxy may exercise half the votes. You must return both Proxy Voting Forms together. If you require an additional Proxy Voting Form, contact Automic Registry Services.

### SIGNING INSTRUCTIONS

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

**Joint holding:** Where the holding is in more than one name, either Shareholder may 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 Proxy Voting Form when you return it.

**Companies:** To be signed in accordance with your Constitution. Please sign in the appropriate box which indicates the office held by you.

**Email Address:** Please provide your email address in the space provided.

**By providing your email address, you elect to receive all communications despatched by the Company electronically (where legally permissible) such as a Notice of Meeting, Proxy Voting Form and Annual Report via email.**

### CORPORATE REPRESENTATIVES

If a representative of the corporation is to attend the Meeting the appropriate 'Appointment of Corporate Representative' should be produced prior to admission. A form may be obtained from the Company's share registry online at <https://automicgroup.com.au>.

### Lodging your Proxy Voting Form:

#### Online

Use your computer or smartphone to appoint a proxy at <https://investor.automic.com.au/#/loginsah> or scan the QR code below using your smartphone

**Login & Click on 'Meetings'. Use the Holder Number as shown at the top of this Proxy Voting Form.**



#### BY MAIL:

Automic  
GPO Box 5193  
Sydney NSW 2001

#### IN PERSON:

Automic  
Level 5, 126 Phillip Street  
Sydney NSW 2000

#### BY EMAIL:

[meetings@automicgroup.com.au](mailto:meetings@automicgroup.com.au)

#### BY FACSIMILE:

+61 2 8583 3040

#### All enquiries to Automic:

#### WEBSITE:

<https://automicgroup.com.au>

#### PHONE:

1300 288 664 (Within Australia)  
+61 2 9698 5414 (Overseas)

## STEP 1 - How to vote

**APPOINT A PROXY:**

I/We being a Shareholder entitled to attend and vote at the General Meeting of Desert Metals Limited, to be held at **2.30pm (AWST) on Tuesday, 08 April 2025 at Level 2, Suite 9, 389 Oxford Street, Mt Hawthorn Western Australia 6016** hereby:

**Appoint the Chair of the Meeting (Chair)** OR if you are not appointing the Chair of the Meeting as your proxy, please write in the box provided below the name of the person or body corporate you are appointing as your proxy or failing the person so named or, if no person is named, the Chair, or the Chair's nominee, to vote in accordance with the following directions, or, if no directions have been given, and subject to the relevant laws as the proxy sees fit and at any adjournment thereof.

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**The Chair intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of all Resolutions in which the Chair is entitled to vote.**  
 Unless indicated otherwise by ticking the "for", "against" or "abstain" box you will be authorising the Chair to vote in accordance with the Chair's voting intention.

## STEP 2 - Your voting direction

Resolutions		For	Against	Abstain
1	Ratification of prior issue of Tranche 1 Placement Shares under Listing Rule 7.1	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Ratification of prior issue of Tranche 1 Placement Shares under Listing Rule 7.1A	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	Approval to issue Tranche 2 Placement Shares	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	Approval to issue Placement Shares to Mr Patrick Flint	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	Approval to issue Placement Shares to Mr Stephen Ross	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	Approval to issue Placement Shares to Ms Fatou Gueye	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	Approval to issue Options to CPS Capital	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

*Please note: If you mark the abstain box for a particular Resolution, you are directing your proxy not to vote on that Resolution on a show of hands or on a poll and your votes will not be counted in computing the required majority on a poll.*

## STEP 3 – Signatures and contact details

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