Appendix 5B

Rule 5.3

Year to date

(12 months) \$A'000

Mining exploration entity quarterly report

Introduced 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 8. Amended 1/7/97, 1/7/98, 30/9/2001.

Name of entity

BLACK RANGE MINERALS LIMITED

ABN

86 009 079 047

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

30 June 2006

Current quarter

\$A'000

Consolidated statement of cash flows

Cash flows related to operating activities

1.1	Receipts from product sales and related debtor	s -	-
1.2	Payments for (a exploration and		
	evaluation	(638)	(1,336)
	(b) development	-	-
	(c) production	-	-
	(d) administration	(236)	(651)
1.3	Dividends received	-	-
1.4	Interest and other items of a similar na received	ture 22	78
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	(852)	(1,909)
	Cash flows related to investing activities		
1.8	Payment for purchases of: (a)prospects	-	-
	(b)equity investme	ents -	_
	(c) other fixed asso		(9)
1.9	Proceeds from sale of: (a)prospects	-	-
	(b)equity investme	ents -	-
	(c)other fixed asse		-
1.10	Loans to other entities	-	-
1.11	Loans repaid by other entities	-	-
1.12	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
	Net investing cash flows	(3)	(9)
1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (car forward)	ried (855)	(1,918)

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1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows		
	(brought forward)	(855)	(1,918)
	Cash flows related to financing activities		
1.14	Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc.	3	2,479
1.15	Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares	-	-
1.16	Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
1.17	Repayment of borrowings	-	-
1.18	Dividends paid	-	-
1.19	Other (provide details if material)		
	Fundraising costs	-	(83)
	Net financing cash flows	3	2,396
		5	2,570
	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(852)	478
1.20	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	1,988	658
1.20	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	1,988	058
1.41	Exchange rate aujustments to item 1.20	-	-
1.22	Cash at end of quarter	1,136	1,136

Payments to directors of the entity and associates of the directors Payments to related entities of the entity and associates of the related entities

		Current quarter \$A'000
1.23	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	\$120k
1.24	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	-

1.25 Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions

Payments for rent, secretarial, staff and use of serviced office – \$26k Payments for Directors Fees - \$45k Reimbursement at cost for geological and accounting staff - \$49k

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

Nil

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

Nil

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Financing facilities available Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position.

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

Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

		\$A'000
4.1	Exploration and evaluation	250
4.2	Development	-
		250
	Total	230

Reconciliation of cash

Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.		Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1	Cash on hand and at bank	1,136	1,988
5.2	Deposits at call	-	_
5.3	Bank overdraft	-	-
5.4	Other (provide details)	-	-
	Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	1,136	1,988

Changes in interests in mining tenements

		Tenement reference	Nature of interest (note (2))	Interest at beginning of quarter	Interest at end of quarter
6.1	Interests in mining tenements relinquished, reduced or lapsed	-	-	-	-
6.2	Interests in mining tenements acquired or increased	-	-	-	-

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Issued and quoted securities at end of current quarter Description includes rate of interest and any redemption or conversion rights together with prices and dates.

		Total number	Number quoted	Issue price per security (see note 3) (cents)	Amount paid up per security (see note 3) (cents)
7.1	Preference ⁺ securities				
7.2	<i>(description)</i> Changes during				
	quarter (a) Increases				
	through issues (b) Decreases				
	through returns of capital, buy-backs,				
	redemptions	100 001 501			
7.3	⁺ Ordinary securities	438,394,524	438,394,524		
7.4	Changes during quarter				
	(a) Increases through issues				
	- Placement				
	- Pursuant to a prospectus				
	- Option conversion	76,705		\$0.045	\$0.045
	(b) Decreases				
	through returns of capital, buy-backs				
7.5	⁺ Convertible debt				
	securities (description)				
7.6	Changes during quarter				
	(a) Increases through issues				
	(b) Decreases				
	through securities matured, converted				
7.7	Options - Shareholder	109,503,209	109,503,209	Exercise price \$0.045	<i>Expiry date</i> 28/02/11
	- Shareholder	125,000	-	\$0.20	29/10/07
	- Employee	500,000	-	\$0.08	16/06/11
7.8	Issued during quarter:	500,000	-	\$0.08	16/06/11
7.9	Exercised during quarter	76,705	-	\$0.045	28/02/11
7.10	Expired during quarter	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,			
7.11	Debentures (totals only)				1
7.12	Unsecured notes (totals only)				

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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.

Sign here:Tim Flavel....... Date:.31 July 2006..... (Company Secretary)

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 or notes attached to this report.
- 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 which will change its percentage interest in a mining tenement, it should disclose the change of percentage interest and conditions precedent in the list required for items 6.1 and 6.2.
- 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.

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