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Dear Sir,

#### ACTIVITIES REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDED MARCH 31, 2015 – HIGHLIGHTS

#### • Group Consolidated Financial Result:

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Recent knowledge gained from bulk test trials has resulted in the need for minor changes to the Pilot Plant design. Minor plant modifications will result in more efficient chemical usage and then chemical re-usage.

Anticipated processing costs per tonne to produce a concentrate are expected to be fairly similar to a standard carbon in leach gold extraction processes.

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#### 1. GROUP CONSOLIDATED RESULT TO MARCH 31, 2015

Haoma Mining NL Consolidated Profit & Loss	2013/14 3rd Qtr (\$m)	2013/14 Full Year (\$m)	2014/15 1st Qtr (\$m)	2014/15 2nd Qtr (\$m)	2014/15 3rd Qtr (\$m)	2014/15 YTD (\$m)
Operating Revenue:						
Royalties	0.01	0.19	0.23	0.28	0.17	0.68
Retail Sales & Misc.	0.02	0.16	0.05	0.03	0.02	0.10
Other Income	-	0.01	-	0.04	-	0.04
Operating Revenue	0.03	0.36	0.28	0.35	0.19	0.82
Operating profit (loss) before interest,						
depreciation, amortisation, exploration &						
development costs:	(0.13)	(0.76)	(0.21)	0.02	(0.09)	(0.28)
Interest	(0.84)	(3.32)	(0.92)	(0.95)	(0.92)	(2.79)
Depreciation & amortization	(0.05)	(0.20)	(0.05)	(0.06)	(0.05)	(0.16)
Exploration, development & test work	(1.04)	(4.35)	(0.79)	(0.31)	(0.79)	(1.89)
Operating (loss) before tax	(2.06)	(8.63)	(1.97)	(1.30)	(1.85)	(5.12)

#### 1.1 Haoma's Group Consolidated Result

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#### 1.2 Funding of Operations

At present, funding for Haoma's operations is being provided by The Roy Morgan Research Centre Pty Ltd, a company owned and controlled by Haoma's Chairman, Gary Morgan.

At March 31, 2015 the principal debt to The Roy Morgan Research Centre Pty Ltd was \$32.83 million. Haoma has approved payment of interest on this debt at the 30 day commercial bill rate plus a facility margin of 4%. Interest will accrue until such time as the Board determines that the company is in a position to commence interest payments. Interest accrued for the 3 months to March 31, 2015 was \$907,958. Total interest accrued and unpaid to March 31, 2015 is \$25.43 million.

#### 2.0 RECENT ACTIVITIES AT BAMBOO CREEK

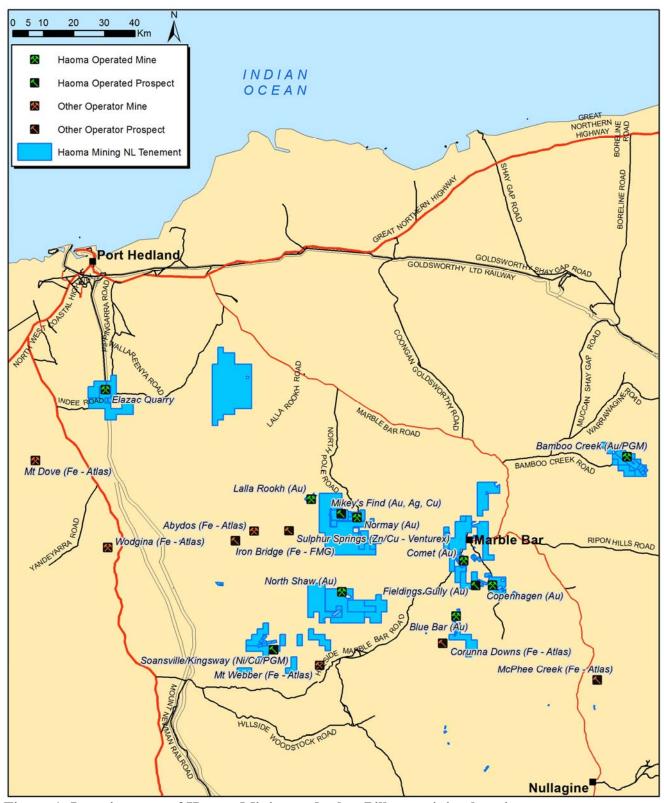


Figure 1: Location map of Haoma Mining and other Pilbara mining locations.

#### 2.1 Test Work at Bamboo Creek<sup>1</sup> (See Note 1 below)

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Haoma is awaiting confirmation assays from an Independent European Laboratory.

Haoma shareholders were advised in <u>Haoma's March 2014 Quarterly Report</u> that significant precious metal grades were measured by an Independent European Laboratory. (See results for Bamboo Creek 10, Table 1 below.) The concentrate recovered was 10.66% of the Bamboo Creek Tailings ore. **The total concentrate precious metal grade was 10,090g/t.** With this test the concentrate extraction process used a combination of traditional leaching and smelting.

The test was repeated and the **total concentrate precious metal grade was 9,860g/t.** (See results for Bamboo Creek 11, Table 1 below). The concentrate recovered was 17.79% of the Bamboo Creek Tailings ore. **The concentrate extraction process used traditional chemical leaching** (hydrometallurgical) and applied heat but no smelting.

Note 1: The information & data in Section 2 of this report as it relates to Metallurgical Results is based on information compiled by Mr. Peter Cole who is an expert in regard to this type of metallurgical test work. The results relate to testing the effectiveness of a new method of assaying for gold and other mineral content (the Refined Elazac *Assay* Method) and a new method for extraction of gold and other minerals from the ore (the Refined Elazac *Extraction* Method). These methods are together referred to as the Elazac Process. The information reported relates solely to ongoing test work in relation to bringing the Elazac Process to commercial realisation. Mr. Cole has worked in the mining industry for over 30 years and has been associated with the development of the Elazac Process over a long period (approximately 15 years). Mr. Cole is one of only a few people with sufficient relevant knowledge and experience to report results in relation to test work on the Refined Elazac *Assay* Method and Refined Elazac *Extraction* Method. Mr. Cole has consented to the inclusion in this report of the information and data in the form and context in which it appears.

Table 1: Previous Precious Metal Assays Measured in Bamboo Creek Tailing Concentrates:

Sample ID number	Bamboo Creek 10	Bamboo Creek 11
Sample size tested	1 tonne	10 kg
Concentrate as a % of	10.66%	17.79%
Ramboo Creek sample	10.00%	17.7970

Dames creek sample	Concentrate <u>Assays</u>	<u>Calculated</u> <u>Head Grade</u>	Concentrate Assays	<u>Calculated</u> <u>Head Grade</u>
Gold/Silver & PGM grades	g/t	g/t	g/t	g/t
Au	940	100	210	37
Ag	360	38	640	114
Pt	2,920	311	6,050	1,076
Pd	5,800	618	2,420	430
Ir	20	2	190	34
Ru	50	5	270	48
Rh	-	-	80	14
Total Gold/Silver & PGM grades	10,090	1,074	9,860	1,753

In the current Quarter 4kg samples of Normay Vat material (approx. 110,000 tonnes available), Comet Mine Tailings (approx. 30,000 tonnes available) and Bamboo Creek Valley ore will be processed at Bamboo Creek. Samples from Concentrates produced will be assayed by an Independent European Laboratory.

#### 2.2 Atlas Iron and Mt Webber Deposit:

On April 9, 2015 Haoma advised Atlas Iron of recent **Mt Webber** drill chip sample assays when test work was conducted to measure and extract precious metals from Mt Webber. The tests used the Elazac Process and were conducted at Haoma's Laboratories and at an Independent European Laboratory.

Significant grades of precious metals were measured in a Mt Webber concentrate sample (8%) from a Mt Webber drill chip sample:

Pt 860 g/t Pd 740 g/t Au 150 g/t Ag 220 g/t

Fe grade was 41%.

#### 3. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ACTIVITIES IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA

As part of the ongoing examination of geological setting and mineralisation styles, particularly in the context of the Haoma's metallurgical test work program, exploration within tenements operated by Haoma in the East Pilbara Mineral Field is currently focussed on locating iron-rich lithologies and mineralised zones.

#### 3.1 Bamboo Creek Goldfield – M45/480 and M45/481

Metallurgical test work at the Bamboo Creek Laboratory has identified significant concentrations of gold (Au), silver (Ag) and Platinum Group Metals (PGM) in tailings produced by the Bamboo Creek Processing Plant during previous mining operations.

Currently an investigation is underway into the origin of PGM within the Bamboo Creek Mineral Field. Komatiite ultramafic flow deposits are commonly associated with PGM mineralisation in greenstones worldwide. Komatiite at Bamboo Creek Mineral Field hosts known gold mineralisation in hydrothermal systems and is considered the most likely source of PGM.

Affinity of PGM and sulphide minerals of Pyrrhotite, Chalcopyrite and Arsenopyrite is well documented and defines the first phase of this program. Collection of whole rock samples containing sulphides from stockpiles, mullock and outcrop within the Bamboo Creek Mineral Field is ongoing. To date 33 samples have been submitted to the Bamboo Creek laboratory for testing. Results are pending.

Geological review has identified additional prospective mineralised zones within the Project area. Lithologies hosting mineralisation extend beyond the zone of historical gold production. One of the mineralisation styles significant within the Bamboo Creek mineral field is characterised by fault displacement of contacting Komatiite and Chert units. During mineral deposition enriched hydrothermal fluids flowed through faults generating alteration haloes of moderate to intense silicification and localised mineralised zones hosting ore grade gold and silver. Surface geochemical anomalies identified during the 1990's correlate well with fault and Komatiite/Chert intersections.

Additional areas considered prospective have recently been identified using aerial imagery. Detailed geological mapping and sampling has commenced.

#### 3.2 <u>Soansville Project - E45/4174, E45/4179 and E45/4181</u>

Haoma has added three tenements to the Soansville Project. Currently this group comprises 21 tenements in the area around the Soansville Mining Centre and Mt Webber, approximately 150km south-southeast of Port Hedland.

Prospective areas within the group are dominated by Archean Greenstones hosting ultramafic assemblages, including Komatiitic flow deposits. These rocks are unconformably overlaid by Proterozoic banded iron formations, similar to the geological setting at Mt Webber.

Exploration activity is targeting mineralisation associated with the Archean Greenstones particularly in areas proximal to the Kingsway Prospect, Pool Valley Syncline, Mt Webber Mine and Tambina Prospect. Magnetic anomalies occurring where ultramafic sills, interleaved Cherts, acid volcanics and gabbros are displaced by faults and folds define zones of primary interest. Potential for nickel sulphide, PGM and gold mineralisation is being evaluated particularly in the context of known mineralisation at the Kingsway Prospect reported in <a href="Haoma's December 2005 Quarterly Activities Report.">Haoma's December 2005 Quarterly Activities Report.</a>

# 3.4 <u>Cookes Hill (E45/2983 (previously E45/1562), M45/1005, M45/1031-1036) - Including BGC</u> Tribute Agreement to Mine Dolerite from Haoma's Cookes Hill Quarry

The Haoma Quarry at Cookes Hill is operated by BGC Contracting Pty Ltd. BGC Contracting mine and crush dolerite aggregate which is then supplied to customers for infrastructure construction including new railway lines in the Pilbara.

Haoma receives a royalty of \$0.84 per tonne for railway ballast and \$0.45 per tonne for by-product.

During the Quarter 188,843 tonnes of ballast and by-product rock were mined from the Cookes Hill Quarry for which Haoma earned \$161,762 in royalties.

Haoma has since been advised by BGC Contracting that due to a poor demand outlook for ballast material, the mining and crushing operations at Cookes Hill have been suspended. The facility at Cookes Hill has been locked and is being monitored by BGC Contracting on care and maintenance.

Yours sincerely,

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Gary C Morgan, CHAIRMAN

#### Appendix 1 JORC Code, 2012 Edition - Table 1

#### **Competent Persons Statement**

The information in this report that relates to Exploration Results is based on information compiled by David Mellor who is a full-time employee of the Company and is a Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy (AusIMM). David Mellor has sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity being undertaken to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the 'Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves'. David Mellor consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

#### **Forward-looking Statements**

This document may include forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements concerning Haoma Mining NL's planned exploration program and other statements that are not historical facts. When used in this document, the words such as "could", "plan", "estimate", "expect", "intend", "may", "potential", "should" and similar expressions are forward-looking statements. Although Haoma Mining NL believes that its expectations reflected in these forward-looking statements are reasonable, such statements involve risks and uncertainties and no assurance can be given that actual results will be consistent with these forward-looking statements.

Appendix 2
Mining Tenements at March 31, 2015 – Listing Rule
Requirement 5.3.3

Tenement No.	Status	Location	Interest	Tenement No.	Status	Location	Interest
M45/14	Granted	WA	100%	M45/847	Granted	WA	100%
M45/16	Granted	WA	100%	M45/873	Granted	WA	100%
M45/235	Granted	WA	100%	M45/874	Granted	WA	100%
M45/238	Granted	WA	100%	M45/906	Granted	WA	100%
M45/240	Granted	WA	100%	M46/160	Granted	WA	100%
M45/284	Granted	WA	100%	M46/177	Granted	WA	100%
M45/296	Granted	WA	100%	M46/43	Granted	WA	100%
M45/297	Granted	WA	100%	M46/44	Granted	WA	100%
M45/302	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/328	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/329	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/346	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/357	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/385	Granted	WA	100%	MC 2205	Granted	Qld	100%
M45/395	Granted	WA	100%	MC 2206	Granted	Qld	100%
M45/411	Granted	WA	100%	ML 10275	Granted	Qld	100%
M45/438	Granted	WA	100%	ML 10315	Granted	Qld	100%
M45/442	Granted	WA	100%	ML 1325	Granted	Qld	100%
M45/453	Granted	WA	100%	ML 1326	Granted	Qld	100%
M45/459	Granted	WA	100%	ML 1330	Granted	Qld	100%
M45/478	Granted	WA	100%	ML 1415	Granted	Qld	100%
M45/480	Granted	WA	100%	ML 1483	Granted	Qld	100%
M45/481	Granted	WA	100%	ML 1529	Granted	Qld	100%
M45/490	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/514	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/515	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/521	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/547	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/554	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/57	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/588	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/591	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/606	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/607	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/648	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/649	Granted	WA	100%				
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M45/651	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/655	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/665	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/671	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/672	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/678	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/679	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/680	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/682	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/692	Granted	WA	100%				
M45/76	Granted	WA	100%				
M26/534	Granted	WA		Haoma retains royalty	interest		
M45/1186	Granted	WA	100%	BGC Contracting open		<b>)</b> uarry	
M45/1197-I	Granted	WA		All minerals other than		-	

31st Mar 2015

Rule 5.5

# Appendix 5B

# Mining exploration entity and oil and gas exploration entity quarterly report

Introduced 01/07/96 Origin Appendix 8 Amended 01/07/97, 01/07/98, 30/09/01, 01/06/10, 17/12/10, 01/05/2013

Name of entity

HAOMA MINING NL

ABN

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

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Consolidated statement of cash flows

#### Current quarter Year to date Cash flows related to operating activities (9 months) \$A'ooo \$A'ooo Receipts from product sales and related 353 902 1.1 debtors 1.2 Payments for (a) exploration & evaluation (684)(1,553)(b) development (c) production (1,103)(148)(d) administration Dividends received 1.3 Interest and other items of a similar nature 1.4 received Interest and other costs of finance paid (4) (16)1.5 1.6 Income taxes paid Other (provide details if material) 45 1.7 (483)(1,725)**Net Operating Cash Flows** Cash flows related to investing activities 1.8 Payment for purchases of:(a) prospects (23)(7) (b) equity investments (5) (140)(c) other fixed assets Proceeds from sale of: (a) prospects 1.9 (b) equity investments (c) other fixed assets Loans to other entities 1.10 Loans repaid by other entities 1.11 Other (provide details if material) 1.12 (28)(147)Net investing cash flows Total operating and investing cash flows 1.13 (511)(1,872)(carried forward)

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (brought forward)	(511)	(1,872)
1.14 1.15 1.16 1.17 1.18 1.19	Cash flows related to financing activities Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc. Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares Proceeds from borrowings Repayment of borrowings Dividends paid Other (provide details if material)	507 7	1,920 (35)
	Net financing cash flows	514	1,885
	Net increase (decrease) in cash held	3	13
1.20 1.21	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	23	13
1,22	Cash at end of quarter	26	26

# Payments to directors of the entity, associates of the directors, 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	
1.24	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	
1.25	Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions	
	Nil.	

# 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.

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<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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.								

# Financing facilities available

 $Add\ notes\ as\ necessary\ for\ an\ understanding\ of\ the\ position.$ 

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

# Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

		\$A'ooo
4.1	Exploration and evaluation	500
4.2	Development	
4.3	Production	100
4.4	Administration	100
	Total	700
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## Reconciliation of cash

show	nciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as on in the consolidated statement of cash flows) e related items in the accounts is as follows.	Current quarter \$A'ooo	Previous quarter \$A'ooo
5.1	Cash on hand and at bank	23	63
5.2	Deposits at call		
5.3	Bank overdraft		
5.4	Other (provide details)		
Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)		23	63

<sup>+</sup> See chapter 19 for defined terms.

## Changes in interests in mining tenements and petroleum tenements

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

## 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 (description)				-
7.2	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buybacks, redemptions				
7.3	<sup>+</sup> Ordinary securities	190,143,665	190,143,665		
7.4	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through returns of capital, buybacks	Nil. 	Nil. 		
7.5	*Convertible debt securities (description)				

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7.6	Changes during quarter (a) Increases through issues (b) Decreases through securities matured, converted				
7.7	Options (description and conversion factor)			Exercise price	Expiry date
7.8	Issued during quarter				
7.9	Exercised during quarter				
7.10	Expired during quarter				
7.11	<b>Debentures</b> (totals only)	N/A	N/A		
7.12	Unsecured notes (totals only)	N/A	N/A		

# Compliance statement

- 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 5).
  - 2 This statement does /does not\* (*delete one*) give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Mr. Gary C Morgan

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Chairman

30/04/2015

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#### **Notes**

- 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.
- The "Nature of interest" (items 6.1 and 6.2) includes options in respect of interests in mining tenements and petroleum 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 or petroleum tenement, it should disclose the change of percentage interest and conditions precedent in the list required for items 6.1 and 6.2.
- 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.
- The definitions in, and provisions of, AASB 6: Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources and AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows apply to this report.
- Accounting Standards ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Financial Reporting 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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