



ISSUE OF PLACEMENT SHARES

Further to the announcement dated 25 November 2015 Variscan Mines Limited (ASX: "VAR" or "the Company") is pleased to advise that it has today issued a total of 58,695,652 Ordinary Shares at 2.3 cents per share to raise \$1,350,000 ("Placement").

Attached is a section 708A(5) Notice and an Appendix 3B for the issue.

Of the total shares issued 45,967,159 have been issued under the Company's placement facility pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 7.1 and the balance of 12,728,493 have been issued pursuant to Listing Rule 7.1A.

The Company provides the following information relating to the shares issued under Listing Rule 7.1A as required under Listing Rule 3.10.5A in respect of those share issues:

(a) Dilution to existing shareholders as a result of the issue of securities under LR 7.1A:

The 12,728,493 shares issued today under Listing Rule 7.1A represent 3.49% of the post issue ordinary share capital.

(b) Reasons why the securities have issued as a Placement and not an entitlement offer to shareholders:

The Company completed a pro-rata entitlement issue of Ordinary Shares in May 2015. The shares were issued at 1.5 cents each which represented a 46.32% discount to the 5 day VWAP to 20 March 2015 being the date prior to the announcement of the entitlement offer. The offer also entitled subscribers to 1 new option for each share subscribed at an exercise price of 1.5 cents each with a two year expiry.

Given that shareholders were provided with an opportunity in the entitlement offer mentioned above and that the Company announced on 25 November that with the Placement it will also undertake a Share Purchase Plan to eligible shareholders at 2.31 cents per share being a price similar to the Placement price, the Company's directors are of the view that the Placement is in the best interest of shareholders.

(c) No underwriting arrangements were applicable to the above issues

(d) Patersons Securities Limited acted as Lead Manager to the Placement. A capital raising fee of 6.0% + GST was charged for funds raised under 7.1A.



1 December 2015

**NOTICE UNDER SECTION 708A(5)
OF THE CORPORATIONS ACT**

Variscan Mines Limited (“Variscan”) has issued 58,695,652 ordinary shares at 2.3 cents per share on 1 December 2015.

Accordingly the Company gives notice under Section 708(5)(e)(i) of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth) (“Act”) that:

1. the abovementioned shares were issued without disclosure to investors under Part 6D.2 of the Act.
2. as at the date of this notice the Company has complied with:
 - (a) the provisions of Chapter 2M of the Act as they apply to the Company; and
 - (b) section 674 of the Act; and
3. as at the date of this notice there is no information to be disclosed which is “excluded information” as defined in subsection 708A(7) and (8) of the Act that is reasonable for investors and their professional advisors to find in a disclosure document.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ivo Polovineo'.

Ivo Polovineo
Company secretary

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.

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Name of entity

VARISCAN MINES LIMITED

ABN

16 003 254 395

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).

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| 1 | +Class of +securities issued or to be issued | Ordinary Shares |
| 2 | Number of +securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued | 58,695,652 |
| 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) | Per existing Ordinary Shares |

<p>4 Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing +class of quoted +securities?</p> <p>If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 	<p>Rank equally with existing ordinary shares.</p>
<p>5 Issue price or consideration</p>	<p>\$0.023 per Ordinary Share to raise \$1,350,000</p>
<p>6 Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)</p>	<p>Placement of shares announced on 25 November 2015 to fund the completion of a JORC Compliant Resource for the company's high grade Porte-aux-Moines zinc deposit (located within the Merleac licence), progress the Company's exploration activities within its key tenements in France and provide working capital. The Placement Shares entitle the subscribers to one unlisted option (exercisable at 5 cents per share with a two year expiry) for every two shares issued. The issue of the options will be subject to approval by shareholders at a general meeting to be convened as soon as practicable.</p>
<p>6a Is the entity an +eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A?</p> <p>If Yes, complete sections 6b – 6h in relation to the +securities the subject of this Appendix 3B, and comply with section 6i</p>	<p>Yes</p>

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6b	The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed	25 November 2015
6c	Number of +securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	45,967,159
6d	Number of +securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	12,728,493
6e	Number of +securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	Nil
6f	Number of securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	Nil
6g	If securities issued under rule 7.1A, was issue price at least 75% of 15 day VWAP as calculated under rule 7.1A.3? Include the issue date and both values. Include the source of the VWAP calculation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) 15 Day VWAP to close of business on 24 November 2015 (day before price was agreed) was 2.943 cents b) Source – Patersons Securities Limited c) Issue price represents 78.15% of a) above
6h	If securities were issued under rule 7.1A for non-cash consideration, state date on which valuation of consideration was released to ASX Market Announcements	N/A
6i	Calculate the entity's remaining issue capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A – complete Annexure 1 and release to ASX Market Announcements	Refer Annexure 1
7	Dates of entering +securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates	1 December 2015

	Number	+Class
8	365,143,582	Ordinary Shares
	130,655,138	Options exercisable at \$0.015 expiring on 4 May 2017

	Number	+Class
9	10,000,000	4 December 2017 Directors Options –exercise price 7 cents
	5,650,000	4 December 2017 Options – Employee Share Option Plan - exercise price 7 cents

10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	N/A
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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	
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	

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- 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 offer 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 offer documents will be sent to persons entitled
- 27 If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders
- 28 Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)
- 29 Date rights trading will end (if applicable)

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 +Issue 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

The Entitlement Options will form a new class of security and the details below will be provided at the time of issue.

Tick to indicate you are providing the information or documents

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 If the +securities are +equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional +securities setting out the number of holders in the categories
1 - 1,000
1,001 - 5,000

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5,001 - 10,000
 10,001 - 100,000
 100,001 and over

37 A copy of any trust deed for the additional +securities

Entities 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)

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

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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.
- 4 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.

Sign here:



Company secretary

Date 1 December 2015

Print name: Ivo Polovineo

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Appendix 3B – Annexure 1

Calculation of placement capacity under rule 7.1 and rule 7.1A for eligible entities

Introduced 01/08/12

Part 1

Rule 7.1 – Issues exceeding 15% of capital	
Step 1: Calculate “A”, the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated	
Insert number of fully paid ordinary securities on issue 12 months before date of issue or agreement to issue	175,737,592
<p>Add the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number of fully paid ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period under an exception in rule 7.2 • Number of fully paid ordinary securities issued in that 12 month period with shareholder approval • Number of partly paid ordinary securities that became fully paid in that 12 month period <p><i>Note:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Include only ordinary securities here – other classes of equity securities cannot be added</i> • <i>Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</i> • <i>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</i> 	<p>130,682,738 – issued on 4 May 2015 7,600 – issued on 28 May 2015 20,000 – issued on 4 June 2015</p> <p>Nil</p> <p>Nil</p> <p>Nil</p>
Subtract the number of fully paid ordinary securities cancelled during that 12 month period	Nil
“A”	306,447,930

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Step 2: Calculate 15% of “A”	
“B”	0.15 <i>[Note: this value cannot be changed]</i>
Multiply “A” by 0.15	45,967,189
Step 3: Calculate “C”, the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1 that has already been used	
<p>Insert number of equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period <i>not counting</i> those issued:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Under an exception in rule 7.2 • Under rule 7.1A • With security holder approval under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4 <p><i>Note:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>This applies to equity securities, unless specifically excluded – not just ordinary securities</i> • <i>Include here (if applicable) the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</i> • <i>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</i> 	45,967,189 – part of this issue – see item 6(c)
“C”	
Step 4: Subtract “C” from [“A” x “B”] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1	
“A” x 0.15 <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2</i>	45,967,189
Subtract “C” <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3</i>	45,967,189
Total [“A” x 0.15] – “C”	Nil <i>[Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1]</i>

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Part 2

Rule 7.1A – Additional placement capacity for eligible entities	
Step 1: Calculate “A”, the base figure from which the placement capacity is calculated	
“A” <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 1 of Part 1</i>	306,447,930
Step 2: Calculate 10% of “A”	
“D”	0.10 <i>Note: this value cannot be changed</i>
Multiply “A” by 0.10	30,644,793
Step 3: Calculate “E”, the amount of placement capacity under rule 7.1A that has already been used	
Insert number of equity securities issued or agreed to be issued in that 12 month period under rule 7.1A <i>Notes:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>This applies to equity securities – not just ordinary securities</i> • <i>Include here – if applicable – the securities the subject of the Appendix 3B to which this form is annexed</i> • <i>Do not include equity securities issued under rule 7.1 (they must be dealt with in Part 1), or for which specific security holder approval has been obtained</i> • <i>It may be useful to set out issues of securities on different dates as separate line items</i> 	12,728,493 – part of this issue – see item 6(d)
“E”	12,728,493

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Step 4: Subtract “E” from [“A” x “D”] to calculate remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A	
“A” x 0.10 <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 2</i>	30,644,793
Subtract “E” <i>Note: number must be same as shown in Step 3</i>	12,728,493
Total [“A” x 0.10] – “E”	17,916,300 <i>Note: this is the remaining placement capacity under rule 7.1A</i>

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