

**October 11, 2010****ASX & TSX: WSA****News Release****WESTERN AREAS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESULTS**

In accordance with ASX Listing Rule 3.13.2 and Section 251AA of the Corporations Act 2001, Western Areas NL announces the results of the Annual General Meeting of shareholders held on Friday 8th October 2010. All resolutions were passed on a show of hands.

Proxy votes exercisable by all proxies validly appointed were as follows:

	FOR	AGAINST	CHAIRMAN	ABSTAINED	TOTAL RECEIVED
Resolution 1	79,844,052	6,832,859	531,724	3,628,996	90,837,631
Resolution 2	64,714,830	23,830,201	540,634	1,751,966	90,837,631
Resolution 3	88,189,448	2,087,994	537,644	22,545	90,837,631

Western Areas would like to thank all the shareholders that attended the AGM. The AGM presentation can be viewed at the Company's website at www.westernareas.com.au.

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