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# ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

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# **COMPLETION OF SHARE ISSUE AND APPENDIX 3B**

Sino Gas & Energy Holdings Limited (Sino Gas; ASX: SEH) advises that settlement of the first tranche of the Placement announced on 24 October 2011 was completed on 26 October 2011 via the issue of 90,000,000 shares at 4 cents per share to raise A\$3,600,000 (gross). Attached is the requisite Appendix 3B and Cleansing Statement under section 708A of the Corporations Act.

The Share Purchase Plan (**SPP**) offer document to enable existing Sino Gas shareholders (on the record date of 21 October 2011) the opportunity to subscribe for up to A\$15,000 worth of shares at 4 cents per share will be dispatched on or about 28 October 2011, with the offer scheduled to close on 25 November 2011. The Company is also pleased to confirm that Patersons Securities Limited have agreed to underwrite the SPP to \$2,000,000, subject to shareholder approval, at a shareholders meeting to be held in early December 2011. Meeting documentation will follow early next week.

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### About Sino Gas & Energy Holdings Limited

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The PSC's are located in Shanxi province in the Ordos Basin and cover an area of 3,000km². The Ordos Basin is the second largest onshore oil and gas producing basin in China. The area has mature field developments with an established pipeline infrastructure to major markets. Rapid economic development is being experienced in the provinces in which Sino Gas's PSC's are located and natural gas is seen as a key component of clean energy supply in China.

On Sino Gas's Tuban prospect, 11 wells have been drilled, the latest being SJB1 during October 2011. Extensive seismic and other subsurface studies have also been conducted. Multiple wells have been flow tested with commercial flow rates achieved on many of the wells, including significant commercial rates on its TB07, TB09 and TB04 wells. The gas flow rates in this release are estimated at 200 psi Flowing Tubing Head Pressure (THP) unless otherwise noted.

The statements of resources in this Release have been independently determined to Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE) Petroleum Resource Management Systems (SPE PRMS) standards by internationally recognized oil and gas consultants RISC Pty Ltd. All resource figures quoted are mid case - 100%.

Additional information on Sino Gas can be found at www.sinogasenergy.com



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# Notice under Section 708A(5)(e) Corporations Act

On 26 October 2011, Sino Gas & Energy Holdings Limited ("**the Company**") issued 90,000,000 fully paid ordinary shares to various sophisticated and exempt investors, as announced to the market on 24 October 2011.

Accordingly the Company gives notice under section 708A(5)(e) of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth) (the "Corporations Act") that:

- 1. the abovementioned ordinary shares were issued without disclosure to investors under Part 6D.2 of the *Corporations Act*;
- 2. as at the date of this notice the Company has complied with:
  - (a) the provisions of Chapter 2M Corporations Act as they apply to the Company; and
  - (b) section 674 Corporations Act; and
- 3. as at the date of this notice there is no "excluded information" (as defined in subsection 708A(7) of the *Corporations Act*) which is required to be disclosed by the Company.

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# **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.

Introduced 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 5. Amended 1/7/98, 1/9/99, 1/7/2000, 30/9/2001, 11/3/2002, 1/1/2003, 24/10/2005.

Name of entity		
Sino	Gas & Energy Holdings Limited	
ACN 124	242 422	
We (	(the entity) give ASX the following i	nformation.
. ~.	t 1 - All issues must complete the relevant sections (attack	n sheets if there is not enough space).
1	<sup>+</sup> Class of <sup>+</sup> securities issued or to be issued	Ordinary fully paid shares
2	Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued	90,000,000 Ordinary fully paid shares
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)	Ordinary fully paid shares
4	Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities?	Yes, the Ordinary fully paid shares rank pari passu with existing Ordinary fully paid shares.
	If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:	
+ Sec	e chapter 19 for defined terms.	

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- · 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
- 5 Issue price or consideration

\$0.04

6 Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets) Funds raised for appraisal program, repayment to Springtree and working capital.

7 Dates of entering \*securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates

26 October 2011

8 Number and \*class of all \*securities quoted on ASX (*including* the securities in clause 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
1,060,417,120	Ordinary fully paid shares
31,644,345	SEHOA: Options exercisable at \$0.50 with an expiry date of 31 December 2011
334,283,757	SEHOC: Options exercisable at \$0.125 with an expiry date of 31 December 2012

9 Number and <sup>+</sup>class of all <sup>+</sup>securities not quoted on ASX (*including* the securities in clause 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
1,310,000	Options exercisable at \$0.50 with an expiry date of 13 March 2013
8,750,000	Options exercisable

		November 2013
10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	n/a
Part :	2 - Bonus issue or pro	rata issue
11	Is security holder approval required?	n/a
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	n/a
13	Ratio in which the *securities will be offered	n/a
14	<sup>+</sup> Class of <sup>+</sup> securities to which the offer relates	n/a
15	<sup>+</sup> Record date to determine entitlements	n/a
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	n/a
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	n/a
18	Names of countries in which the entity has *security holders who will not be sent new issue documents	n/a
	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	n/a
20	Names of any underwriters	n/a
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	n/a

at \$0.0793 with an expiry date of 25

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22	Names of any brokers to the issue	n/a
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	n/a
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of *security holders	n/a
25	If the issue is contingent on *security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	n/a
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled	n/a
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	n/a
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	n/a
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	n/a
30	How do *security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker?	n/a
31	How do *security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	n/a
32	How do *security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?	n/a
33	<sup>+</sup> Despatch date	n/a

# 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) **Securities described in Part 1** (a) (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 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 If the \*securities are \*equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional 36 \*securities setting out the number of holders in the categories 1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 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)

Number of securities for which

Class of \*securities for which

<sup>+</sup>quotation is sought

quotation is sought

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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 <sup>+</sup> class of all <sup>+</sup> securities quoted on ASX ( <i>including</i> the securities in clause 38)		

# **Quotation agreement**

- <sup>+</sup>Quotation of our additional <sup>+</sup>securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the <sup>+</sup>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.
- 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.
- 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:

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Date: 27 October 2011

(Director)

Print name: Stephen J Lyons

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