Rule 2.7, 3.10.3, 3.10.4, 3.10.5

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.

Name of entity		
Focus Minerals Ltd ("Focus')		

ABN

56 005 470 799

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).

- *Class of *securities issued or to be issued
 - Expiry of unlisted staff options
- Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued

Expiry of 28,233,846 unlisted options.

Principal terms of the 3 +securities if options, (eg, exercise price and expiry date; if +securities, partly paid amount outstanding and due dates if for payment; securities, +convertible the conversion price and dates for conversion)

Expiry of 14,116,923 unlisted Options exercisable at 7.5 cents on or before 31/12/2012

Expiry of 14,116,923 unlisted Options exercisable at 7.8 cents on or before 31/12/2012

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4	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	N/A
5	Issue price or consideration	Expiry of options
6	Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	Expiry of options
6a	Is the entity an *eligible entity that has obtained security holder approval under rule 7.1A? If Yes, complete sections 6b – 6h in relation to the *securities the subject of this Appendix 3B, and comply with section 6i	N/A
6b	The date the security holder resolution under rule 7.1A was passed	N/A
6c	Number of *securities issued without security holder approval under rule 7.1	N/A

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6d	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.1A	N/A	
6e	Number of *securities issued with security holder approval under rule 7.3, or another specific security holder approval (specify date of meeting)	N/A	
6f	Number of securities issued under an exception in rule 7.2	N/A	
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.	N/A	
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	N/A	
7	Dates of entering *securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates	Expiry on 31 December	2012
		Number	+Class
8	Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in section 2 if applicable)	8,822,771,352	Ordinary fully paid shares

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9 Number and *class of all *securities not quoted on ASX (including the securities in section 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
23,500,000	Options exercisable
	at 12.3 cents on or before 30/06/2014

Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)

No formal policy at this stage.

Part 2 - Bonus issue or pro rata issue - Not applicable

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?	
	•	
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 issue documents	
	Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.	
	Cross reference, mule = =	

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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 prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement 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)
30	How do *security holders sell their entitlements in full through a broker?
31	How do ⁺ security holders sell part of their entitlements

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	through a broker and accept for the balance?
32	How do *security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?
33	⁺ Despatch date
	3 - Quotation of securities – N/A d only complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities 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

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Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

Additional securities forming a new class of securities - Not applicable

Tick to docum	e you are providing the information or
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 additiona *securities setting out the number of holders in the categories 1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 100,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over
37	A copy of any trust deed for the additional *securities

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Entities that have ticked box 34(b) – Not applicable Number of securities for which 38 ⁺quotation is sought Class of *securities for which 39 quotation is sought Do the *securities rank equally in 40 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 interest or payment Reason for request for quotation 41 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 Number and +class of 42 quoted on +securities ASX (including the securities in clause 38)

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Quotation agreement

- [†]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.
- 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:

Date: 3 January 2013

Company secretary

Print name: Paul Fromson

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