# Energy Transition Minerals Limited ACN 118 463 004

# **Notice of Annual General Meeting**

Notice is given that the Annual General Meeting will be held at:

**Time**: 11:00am (WST)

**Date**: 30<sup>th</sup> May 2023

 Place:
 Virtual only

 Please refer to the following URL address:

 www.advancedshare.com.au/virtual-meeting

 Please also refer to the user guide relating the online meeting portal

#### Important

The business of the Meeting affects your shareholding and your vote is important.

This Notice of Meeting should be read in its entirety. If Shareholders are in doubt as to how they should vote, they should seek advice from their professional advisers prior to voting.

The Directors have determined pursuant to Regulation 7.11.37 of the Corporations Regulations 2001 (Cth) that the persons eligible to vote at the Meeting are those who are registered Shareholders at 7:00pm (Sydney time) on 28 May 2023.

# Agenda

# 1. Financial Statements and Reports

To table and consider the Annual Report of the Company and its controlled entities for the financial year ended 31 December 2022, which includes the Financial Report, the Directors' Report, the Remuneration Report, and the Auditor's Report.

# 2. Resolution 1 – Adoption of Remuneration Report

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as a **non-binding resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of section 250R(2) of the Corporations Act and for all other purposes, approval is given for the adoption of the Remuneration Report as contained in the Annual Report for the financial year ended 31 December 2022."

Note: The vote on this Resolution is advisory only and does not bind the Directors or the Company.

#### **Voting Prohibition Statement:**

#### A vote on this Resolution must not be cast (in any capacity) by or on behalf of either of the following persons:

- (a) a member of the Key Management Personnel, details of whose remuneration are included in the Remuneration Report; or
- (b) a Closely Related Party of such a member.

# However, a person (the voter) described above may cast a vote on this Resolution as a proxy if the vote is not cast on behalf of a person described above and either:

- (a) the voter is appointed as a proxy by writing that specifies the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution; or
- (b) the voter is the Chair and the appointment of the Chair as proxy:
  - (i) does not specify the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution; and
  - (ii) expressly authorises the Chair to exercise the proxy even though this Resolution is connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of a member of the Key Management Personnel.

# 3. Resolution 2 – Election of Director – Mr Mark Saxon

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of ASX Listing Rule 14.4, clause 15.4(a) of the Constitution, and for all other purposes, Mark Saxon, a Director who was appointed as an additional director on 24 August 2022, retires, and being eligible, is re-elected as a Director."

# 4. Resolution 3 – Modification of Constitution

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as a **special resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of section 136(2) of the Corporations Act and for all other purposes, approval is given for the Company to modify its existing Constitution by making the amendments contained in the document tabled at this Meeting and signed by the Chair for the purposes of identification, with effect from the date this Resolution is passed."

# 5. Resolution 4 – Enable the issue of Equity Incentives under an Employee Incentive Scheme – Equity Incentive Plan

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without amendment, the following resolution as an **ordinary resolution**:

"That, for the purposes of ASX Listing Rule 7.2 (Exception 13) and for all other purposes, approval is given to enable the Company to issue Equity Incentives under the employee incentive scheme titled "Equity Incentive Plan", on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement."

**Voting Exclusion**: The Company will disregard any votes cast in favour of this Resolution by or on behalf of any person who is eligible to participate in the Equity Incentive Plan, or any of their associates.

**Voting Prohibition Statement:** A person appointed as a proxy must not vote, on the basis of that appointment, on this Resolution if:

- (a) the proxy is either:
  - (i) a member of the Key Management Personnel; or
  - (ii) a Closely Related Party of such a member; and
- (b) the appointment does not specify the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution.

However, the above prohibition does not apply if:

- (a) the proxy is the Chair; and
- (b) the appointment expressly authorises the Chair to exercise the proxy even though this Resolution is connected directly or indirectly with remuneration of a member of the Key Management Personnel.

Dated: 27 April 2023 By order of the Board

Miles Guy Company Secretary

# **Voting Exclusion Statements**

Each Voting Exclusion Statement that applies to a Resolution as noted in the Agenda, does not apply to a vote cast in favour of that Resolution by:

- (a) a person as proxy or attorney for a person who is entitled to vote on the Resolution, in accordance with the directions given to the proxy or attorney to vote on the Resolution in that way; or
- (b) the chair of the meeting as proxy or attorney for a person who is entitled to vote on the Resolution, in accordance with a direction given to the chair to vote on the Resolution as the chair decides; or
- (c) a holder acting solely in a nominee, trustee, custodial or other fiduciary capacity on behalf of a beneficiary provided the following conditions are met:
  - (i) the beneficiary provides written confirmation to the holder that the beneficiary is not excluded from voting, and is not an associate of a person excluded from voting, on the Resolution; and
  - (ii) the holder votes on the Resolution in accordance with directions given by the beneficiary to the holder to vote in that way.

# Virtual meeting information

The Meeting will be held virtually.

Shareholders can participate in the Meeting via the online meeting platform through the following URL: <u>www.advancedshare.com.au/virtual-meeting</u>

Participating in the Meeting virtually will enable Shareholders to view the Meeting live, ask questions and cast votes in the real time poll during the Meeting.

Shareholders will be able to log in to the online platform from 10:45 am (WST) on the date of the Meeting.

You will need the following information to access the Meeting:

- The meeting ID.
- Your Shareholder ID specific to each shareholding.

Both IDs can be found on your personalised Proxy Form.

Further information on how to vote and participate in the Meeting is contained in the Online Voting User Guide provided with this Notice.

# Voting by proxy

To vote by proxy, please complete and sign the enclosed Proxy Form and return by the time and in accordance with the instructions set out on the Proxy Form.

In accordance with section 249L of the Corporations Act, Shareholders are advised that:

- (a) each Shareholder has a right to appoint a proxy;
- (b) the proxy need not be a Shareholder; and
- (c) a Shareholder who is entitled to cast 2 or more votes may appoint 2 proxies and may specify the proportion or number of votes each proxy is appointed to exercise. If the member appoints 2 proxies and the appointment does not specify the proportion or number of the member's votes, then in accordance with section 249X(3) of the Corporations Act, each proxy may exercise one-half of the

votes.

Shareholders and their proxies should be aware that:

- (a) if proxy holders vote, they must cast all directed proxies as directed; and
- (b) any directed proxies which are not voted will automatically default to the Chair, who must vote the proxies as directed.

Should you wish to discuss the matters in this Notice of Meeting please do not hesitate to contact the Company Secretary at miles@etransmin.com or by telephone on + 61 8 9383 2322.

# **Explanatory Statement**

This Explanatory Statement has been prepared to provide information which the Directors believe to be material to Shareholders in deciding whether or not to pass the Resolutions.

# 1. Financial Statements and Reports

Shareholders will be offered the opportunity to discuss the Annual Report at the Meeting. The Company will not provide a hard copy of the Annual Report to Shareholders unless specifically requested to do so. The Annual Report is available on the Company's website at <u>https://etransmin.com/</u>.

There is no requirement for Shareholders to approve the Annual Report. However, the Chair will allow a reasonable opportunity for Shareholders to ask questions or make comments about the Annual Report and the management of the Company. Shareholders will also be given an opportunity to ask the auditor questions as permitted by the Corporations Act.

# 2. Resolution 1 – Adoption of Remuneration Report

#### 2.1 General

The Corporations Act requires that at a listed company's annual general meeting, a resolution that the remuneration report be adopted must be put to the shareholders. However, such a resolution is advisory only and does not bind the company or the directors of the company.

The remuneration report sets out the company's remuneration arrangements for the directors and senior management of the company. The remuneration report is part of the directors' report contained in the annual financial report of the company for a financial year.

The chair of the meeting must allow a reasonable opportunity for its shareholders to ask questions about or make comments on the remuneration report at the annual general meeting.

#### 2.2 Voting consequences

The vote on Resolution 1 is advisory only and does not bind the Company or its Directors. However, the Board will consider the outcome of the vote and comments made by Shareholders on the Remuneration Report when reviewing the Company's future remuneration policies and practices.

A company is required to put to its shareholders a resolution proposing the calling of another meeting of shareholders to consider the appointment of directors of the company (**Spill Resolution**) if, at consecutive annual general meetings, at least 25% of the votes cast on a remuneration report resolution are voted against adoption of the remuneration report and at the first of those annual general meetings a Spill Resolution was not put to vote. If required, the Spill Resolution must be put to vote at the second of those annual general meetings.

If more than 50% of votes cast are in favour of the Spill Resolution, the company must convene a shareholder meeting (**Spill Meeting**) within 90 days of the second annual general meeting.

All of the directors of the company who were in office when the directors' report (as included in the company's annual financial report for the most recent financial year) was approved, other than the managing director of the company, will cease to hold office immediately before the end of the Spill Meeting but may stand for re-election at the Spill Meeting.

Following the Spill Meeting those persons whose election or re-election as directors of the company is approved will be the directors of the company.

#### 2.3 Previous voting results

At the Company's previous annual general meeting the votes cast against the remuneration report considered at that annual general meeting were less than 25%. Accordingly, the Spill Resolution is not relevant for this Meeting.

# 3. Resolution 2 – Election of Director – Mark Saxon

#### 3.1 General

The Constitution sets out the requirements for determining which Directors are to retire at an annual general meeting.

Clause 15.4(a) of the Constitution provides that if a person has been appointed as an additional director by the other directors that person holds office only until the next following annual general meeting and is then eligible for re-election.

ASX Listing Rule 14.4 also requires that a director appointed as an additional director must not hold office (without re-election) past the next annual general meeting of the company.

Mark Saxon, who has appointed as an additional director on 24 August 2022 and has served as nonexecutive director since his appointment, retires in accordance with clause 15.4 of the Constitution and seeks election.

#### 3.2 Qualifications and other material directorships

Mark Saxon has over 30 years of industry experience with a strong geological and technical background. He is an Honours BSc graduate in Geology from the University of Melbourne and received a Graduate Diploma of Applied Finance and Investment through the Financial Services Institute of Australasia. He is a Fellow of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and a Member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists.

Mark is presently executive director of Canadian-listed Medallion Resources Ltd, focused on the development of REE processing technologies; he is the CEO of Aguila Copper Corp a Canadian public company dedicated to copper exploration in North America. He is part time Executive Director of ACDC Metals Ltd (an ASX listed company) and Non-Executive Director of NorTech Strategic Minerals Ltd (an unlisted company).

### 3.3 Independence

Mr Saxon has no interests, position, association, or relationship that might influence, or reasonably be perceived to influence, in a material respect, his capacity to bring an independent judgement to bear on issues before the board and to act in the best interests of the Company and its securityholders. The Board considered Mr Saxon is an independent director.

### 3.4 Board recommendation

The Board (with Mr Saxon abstaining) supports the election of Mr Saxon and recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 2 because the Board considers that the experience, expertise, and skills of Mr Saxon assist the Board in fulfilling its responsibilities, and do and will continue to assist the Company in achieving growth and delivering value to Shareholders.

# 4. **Resolution 3 – Modification of Constitution**

### 4.1 General

A company may modify or repeal its constitution or a provision of its constitution by special resolution of its shareholders.

Resolution 3 is a special resolution to modify the Constitution and therefore requires approval of 75% of the votes cast by Shareholders present and eligible to vote (in person, by proxy, by attorney or, in the case of a corporate Shareholder, by a corporate representative).

# 4.2 Background to modification

Effective 1 October 2022, the Corporations Act was amended to introduce new provisions governing the offer and issue of securities under employee incentive schemes. Amongst other things, these provisions grant exemptions from the Corporations Act's disclosure and licensing requirements in relation to such offers and issues.

Under these new provisions, offers under employee incentive schemes that are made for monetary consideration must comply with the issue cap in section 1100V of the Corporations Act, in order to have the benefit of the exemptions from the Corporations Act's disclosure and licensing requirements.

In summary, section 1100V(1) of the Corporations Act (as modified by ASIC Corporations (Employee Share Schemes) Instrument 2022/1021, provides that a company may only make an offer of ESS Interests (defined in section 1100M(1) of the Corporations Act, but essentially Equity Interests for the purpose of the Equity Incentive Plan) if, at the time the offer is made, the company reasonably believes:

- (a) the total number of fully paid shares that are, or are covered by, the ESS Interests of the company that may be issued under the offer; and
- (b) the total number of fully paid shares that are, or are covered by, the ESS Interests that have been issued, or may be issued, under offers that were both received in this jurisdiction and made under an employee share scheme of the company at any time during the 3 year period ending on the day the offer is made,

does not exceed 5% of the number of fully paid shares actually on issue as at the start of the day the offer is made.

Although section 1100V of the Corporations Act does not apply if an entity only makes offers under section 1100P of the Corporations Act (offers for no monetary consideration) or only relies on section 1100R of the Corporations Act (offers that would otherwise not need disclosure), if some offers are also made in reliance on section 1100Q of the Corporations Act (offers for monetary consideration), then equity interests issued for no monetary consideration or under another disclosure exemption subject to section 1100R of the Corporations Act must still be included when calculating the issue cap.

Section 1100V(2)(a) of the Corporations Act states that a company's constitution can specify an alternative issue cap percentage.

Resolution 3 seeks Shareholder approval to modify the Constitution to provide for a higher issue cap percentage of 10%.

The Board notes that regardless of the passing of Resolution 3, any proposed issue of Equity Incentives to a Director, or any of their associates, under the Plan will still require prior Shareholder approval under ASX Listing Rule 10.14.

If Resolution 3 is passed, the Company will adopt the modified Constitution with effect from the date this Resolution is passed.

If Resolution 3 is not passed, the Company will not adopt the modified Constitution and, in this regard, the issue cap that will apply under section 1100V of the Corporations Act will remain at the statutory percentage of 5%.

# 4.3 Summary of modification

The proposed modification to the Constitution is:

(a) Insert as a new clause 2.16:

# 2.16 Issue cap for offers involving monetary consideration under an employee incentive scheme

For the purposes of section 1100V of the Corporations Act, the issue cap is 10%.

A copy of the modified Constitution is available upon request to the Company (+61 8 9382 2322). Shareholders are invited to contact the Company if they have any queries or concerns.

#### 4.4 Board recommendation

The Directors believe the modification is not material nor will it have any significant impact on Shareholders. The Board recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of Resolution 3.

# 6. Resolution 4 – Enable the issue of Equity Incentives under an Employee Incentive Scheme – Equity Incentive Plan

#### 6.1 General

The Company recently implemented the Equity Incentive Plan and last obtained Shareholder approval to enable the issue of Equity Incentives under the Plan in reliance on ASX Listing Rule 7.2 Exception 13 at its general meeting held on 28 October 2022.

In line with the proposed modification to the Constitution contemplated by Resolution 3, the Company has decided to seek a new Shareholder approval to enable the issue of a higher maximum number (10% of the number of the Company's fully paid ordinary shares on issue at the date of this Notice) of Equity Incentives under the Plan in reliance on ASX Listing Rule 7.2 Exception 13 than was approved on 28 October 2022 (5% of the number of the Company's fully paid ordinary shares on issue at the date of the previous notice of meeting).

### 6.2 ASX Listing Rules 7.1 and 7.2 Exception 13

ASX Listing Rule 7.1 provides that a company must not, subject to specified exceptions, issue or agree to issue more equity securities during any 12-month period than that amount which represents 15% of the number of fully paid ordinary securities on issue at the commencement of that 12 month period (**Placement Capacity**).

Certain issues of equity securities are exempt from the restrictions of ASX Listing Rule 7.1, and are effectively disregarded for the purposes of determining the number of equity securities that a listed company has issued within a 12 month period.

ASX Listing Rule 7.2 Exception 13 creates an exception from Listing Rule 7.1 for the issue of equity securities pursuant to an employee incentive scheme for a period of 3 years after either:

- (a) the listing of the company, provided that the terms of the employee incentive scheme and the maximum number that may be issued under the scheme were set out in the company's listing prospectus; or
- (b) shareholders have approved the issue of securities under the employee incentive scheme being an exception from ASX Listing Rule 7.1, provided that the notice of meeting included a summary of the terms of the employee incentive scheme and certain required disclosures about the number of securities previously issued under the scheme and the maximum number that may be issued under the scheme.

The exemption is only available for the issue of equity securities under the employee incentive scheme up to the maximum number stated in the prospectus or notice of meeting, as applicable. The exemption also ceases to be available if there is a material change to the terms of the employee incentive scheme after shareholder approval has been obtained.

#### 6.3 Effect of the Resolution

Resolution 4 seeks Shareholder approval for the issue of Equity Incentives under the Plan to be an exception from Listing Rule 7.1 for a period of 3 years.

If Shareholders approve this Resolution, any issue of Equity Incentives under the Plan over the 3 years after the date of the Meeting (up to the maximum number calculated as set out in Section 6.5(c)) will not use up a portion of the Company's Placement Capacity when that issue is made. This means that the Company will preserve its flexibility to issue equity securities without seeking Shareholder approval if and when it grants Equity Incentives under the Plan.

It should be noted that if the Resolution is passed, the Company will only be able issue equity securities under the Plan to eligible participants who are unrelated parties without seeking prior Shareholder approval. Any proposed issue of Equity Incentives to a Director, or any of their associates, under the Plan will require prior Shareholder approval under ASX Listing Rule 10.14.

If Shareholders do not approve this Resolution, the Company may still decide in future to grant Equity Incentives to eligible employees and consultants who are unrelated parties of the Company under the Plan, but the maximum number that will be exempt from Listing Rule 7.1 will remain the amount approved by Shareholders on 28 October 2022, being 67,787,200.

#### 6.4 Directors' recommendation

The Directors recommend that Shareholders vote in favour of this Resolution.

### 6.5 Technical information required by Listing Rule 7.2 Exception 13

Pursuant to and in accordance with ASX Listing Rule 7.2 Exception 13, the following information is provided in relation to this Resolution:

- (a) a summary of the Plan is set out at Schedule 1;
- (b) the total number of Equity Incentives granted under the Equity Incentive Plan since Shareholder approval under Listing Rule 7.2 Exception 13 was obtained on 28 October 2022 is nil; and
- (c) the maximum number of Equity Incentives to be issued under the Plan (other than issues approved by Shareholders under ASX Listing Rule 10.14) following approval under this Resolution at any given time, unless otherwise approved by Shareholders, will be 135,574,401 (being 10% of the number of the Company's fully paid ordinary shares on issue at the date of this Notice – 1,355,744,012 Shares).

## Glossary

**Annual General Meeting** or **Meeting** means the annual general meeting of the Company convened by this Notice.

**Annual Report** means the Directors' Report, the Financial Report and Auditor's Report in respect to the financial year ended 31 December 2022.

**ASX** means ASX Limited (ACN 008 624 691) or the financial market operated by ASX Limited, as the context requires.

ASX Listing Rules means the Listing Rules of ASX.

Auditor's Report means the auditor's report on the Financial Report

Board means the current board of directors of the Company.

**Business Day** means Monday to Friday inclusive, except New Year's Day, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Christmas Day, Boxing Day, and any other day that ASX declares is not a business day.

Chair means the chair of the Meeting.

**Closely Related Party** of a member of the Key Management Personnel means:

- (a) a spouse or child of the member;
- (a) a child of the member's spouse;
- (b) a dependent of the member or the member's spouse;
- (c) anyone else who is one of the member's family and may be expected to influence the member, or be influenced by the member, in the member's dealing with the entity;
- (d) a company the member controls; or
- (e) a person prescribed by the Corporations Regulations 2001 (Cth) for the purposes of the definition of 'closely related party' in the Corporations Act.

Company means Energy Transition Minerals Limited (ACN 118 463 004).

**Constitution** means the constitution of the Company.

Corporations Act means the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth).

**Directors** means the current directors of the Company.

**Directors' Report** means the annual directors' report prepared under Chapter 2M of the Corporations Act for the Company and its controlled entities.

Equity Incentive means a Performance Right or an Option as the context requires issued pursuant to the Plan.

**Explanatory Statement** means the explanatory statement accompanying the Notice.

**Financial Report** means the annual financial report prepared under Chapter 2M of the Corporations Act for the Company and its controlled entities.

**Key Management Personnel** has the same meaning as in the accounting standards issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board and means those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company, or if the Company is part of a consolidated entity, of

the consolidated entity, directly or indirectly, including any director (whether executive or otherwise) of the Company, or if the Company is part of a consolidated entity, of an entity within the consolidated group.

**Notice** or **Notice of Meeting** means this notice of meeting including the Explanatory Statement and the Proxy Form.

**Option** means an option to acquire a Share.

**Performance Right** means a performance right granted pursuant to the Plan to subscribe for a Share upon and subject to the terms of the rules of the Plan and the terms of any applicable offer.

**Plan** or **Equity Incentive Plan** means the equity incentive plan of the Company, the key terms of which are summarised in Schedule 1.

Proxy Form means the proxy form accompanying the Notice.

Remuneration Report means the remuneration report set out in the Director's Report.

**Resolutions** means the resolutions set out in the Notice, or any one of them, as the context requires.

Section means a section of the Explanatory Statement.

**Share** means a fully paid ordinary share in the capital of the Company.

Shareholder means a registered holder of a Share.

WST means Western Standard Time as observed in Perth, Western Australia.

# Schedule 1 – Key terms of the Equity Incentive Plan

The key terms of the Equity Incentive Plan are summarised below:

- (a) **Eligibility**: Participants in the Plan may be:
  - an employee or Director (whether executive or non-executive) of, or any individual who provides services to, the Company and any Associated Body Corporate of the Company (each a **Group Company**);
  - a prospective participant, being a person to whom the offer is made but who can only accept the offer if an arrangement has been entered into that will result in the person becoming an Eligible Participant under subparagraph (i); or,
  - (iii) a person prescribed by the Corporations Regulations for the purposes of section 1100L(1)(a)(iv) of the Corporations Act,

who is declared by the Board to be eligible to receive grants of Equity Incentives under the Plan (Eligible Participants).

- (b) **Offer**: The Board may, from time to time, in its absolute discretion, make a written offer to any Eligible Participant (including an Eligible Participant who has previously received an offer) to apply for up to a specified number of Equity Incentives, upon the terms set out in the Plan and upon such additional terms and conditions as the Board determines.
- (c) **Limit on Offers**: The Company must have reasonable grounds to believe, when making an Offer to which the limit on Offers as set out in section 1100V of the Corporations Act applies, that the number of Shares to be received on exercise of Equity Incentives offered under such an Offer, when aggregated with the number of Shares issued or that may be issued as a result of offers made as covered by section 1100V(1)(b) of the Corporations Act at any time during the 3 year period ending on the day the Offer is made, will not exceed, if the Constitution specifies an issue cap percentage, that percentage, otherwise, the greater of:
  - (i) 5% of the total number of Shares on issue at the start of the day the Offer is made; or
  - (ii) such other percentage prescribed by the Corporations Regulations for the purposes of section 1100V(2)(b)(iii).
- (d) **Issue price**: Unless the Equity Incentives are Options quoted on the ASX, Equity Incentives issued under the Plan will be issued for nil cash consideration.
- (e) **Vesting Conditions**: An Equity Incentive may be made subject to vesting conditions as determined by the Board in its discretion and as specified in the offer for the Equity Incentive.
- (f) Vesting: The Board may in its absolute discretion (except in respect of a Change of Control occurring where Vesting Conditions are deemed to be automatically waived) by written notice to a Participant (being an Eligible Participant to whom Equity Incentives have been granted under the Plan or their nominee where the Equity Incentives have been granted to the nominee of the Eligible Participant), resolve to waive any of the Vesting Conditions applying to Equity Incentives due to:
  - (i) Special Circumstances arising in relation to a Relevant Person in respect of those Equity Incentives; or
  - (ii) a Change of Control occurring; or
  - (iii) the Company passing a resolution for voluntary winding up, or an order is made for the compulsory winding up of the Company.

- (g) **Lapse**: An Equity Incentive will lapse upon the earlier to occur of:
  - (i) an unauthorised dealing in, or hedging of, the Equity Incentive;
  - (ii) a Vesting Condition in relation to the Equity Incentive is not satisfied by its due date, or becomes incapable of satisfaction as determined by the Board in its sole discretion, unless the Board exercises its discretion to waive the Vesting Conditions and vest the Equity Incentive in the circumstances set out in paragraph (f) or the Board resolves, in its absolute discretion, to allow the unvested Equity Incentives to remain unvested after the Relevant Person ceases to be an Eligible Participant;
  - (iii) in respect of unvested Equity Incentive only, a Relevant Person ceases to be an Eligible Participant, unless the Board exercises its discretion to vest the Equity Incentive in the circumstances set out in paragraph (f) or the Board resolves, in its absolute discretion, to allow the unvested Equity Incentives to remain unvested after the Relevant Person ceases to be an Eligible Participant;
  - (iv) in respect of vested Equity Incentives only, a relevant person ceases to be an Eligible Participant and the Equity Incentive granted in respect of that person is not exercised within one (1) month (or such later date as the Board determines) of the date that person ceases to be an Eligible Participant;
  - (v) the Board deems that an Equity Incentive lapses due to fraud, dishonesty or other improper behaviour of the Eligible Participant;
  - (vi) in respect of unvested Equity Incentive only, the Company undergoes a Change of Control or a winding up resolution or order is made and the Board does not exercise its discretion to vest the Equity Incentive;
  - (vii) the expiry date of the Equity Incentive.
- (h) **Not transferrable**: Equity Incentives are only transferrable in Special Circumstances with the prior written consent of the Board (which may be withheld in its absolute discretion) or by force of law upon death, to the Participant's legal personal representative or upon bankruptcy to the participant's trustee in bankruptcy.
- (i) Cashless exercise: Subject to the terms of the Offer, a Participant may elect to exercise vested Options by way of a 'cashless exercise'. Where a Participant makes such an election, rather than the Participant being required to pay the Option Exercise Price for each Option to be exercised, the Company will issue the Participant with a smaller number of Shares on the exercise of the Options representing the difference between the value of the Shares to be issued and the Option Exercise Price as determined by the following formula (rounded down to a whole number of Shares):

Number of Options exercised x (Closing Share Price – Option Exercise Price) Closing Share Price

Where *Closing Share Price* means the closing Share price on the date of receipt by the Company of the exercise notice for the Options.

- (j) **Shares**: Shares resulting from the exercise of the Equity Incentives shall, subject to any Sale Restrictions (refer paragraph (I)) from the date of issue, rank on equal terms with all other Shares on issue except as regards any rights attaching to such Shares by reference to a record date prior to the date of their issue.
- (k) **Quotation of Shares**: If Shares of the same class as those issued upon exercise of Equity Incentives issued under the Plan are quoted on the ASX, the Company will, subject to the Listing Rules, apply to the ASX for those Shares to be quoted on ASX within 10 business days of the later of the date the

Shares are issued and the date any restriction period applying to the disposal of Shares ends.

- (I) Sale Restrictions: The Board may, in its discretion, determine at any time up until exercise of Equity Incentives, that a restriction period will apply to some or all of the Shares issued to an Eligible Participant (or their eligible nominee) on exercise of those Equity Incentives up to a maximum of seven (7) years from the grant date of the Equity Incentives. In addition, the Board may, in its sole discretion, having regard to the circumstances at the time, waive any such restriction period determined.
- (m) **No Participation Rights**: There are no participating rights or entitlements inherent in the Equity Incentives and holders will not be entitled to participate in new issues of capital offered to Shareholders during the currency of the Equity Incentives.
- (n) **Change in exercise price or number of underlying securities**: Unless specified in the offer of the Equity Incentives and subject to compliance with the Listing Rules, an Equity Incentive does not confer the right to a change in exercise price (if any) or the number of underlying Shares over which the Equity Incentive can be exercised.
- (o) **Reorganisation**: If, at any time, the issued capital of the Company is reorganised (including consolidation, subdivision, reduction or return), all rights of a holder of an Equity Incentive are to be changed in a manner consistent with the Corporations Act and the Listing Rules at the time of the reorganisation.
- (p) **Amendments**: Subject to express restrictions set out in the Plan and complying with the Corporations Act, Listing Rules and any other applicable law, the Board may at any time by resolution amend or add to all or any of the provisions of the Plan, or the terms or conditions of any Equity Incentive granted under the Plan including giving any amendment retrospective effect.
- (q) Trust: The Board may, at any time, establish a trust for the sole purpose of acquiring and holding Shares in respect of which a Participant may exercise, or has exercised, vested Equity Incentives, including for the purpose of enforcing the disposal restrictions and appoint a trustee to act as trustee of the trust. The trustee will hold the Shares as trustee for and on behalf of a Participant as beneficial owner upon the terms of the trust. The Board may at any time amend all or any of the provisions of the Plan to effect the establishment of such a trust and the appointment of such a trustee.
- (r) **Definitions**: Capitalised terms used in the above summary are as defined in the Equity Incentive Plan, including:
  - (i) Associated Body Corporate means:
    - (A) a related body corporate (as defined in the Corporations Act) of the Company;
    - (B) a body corporate which has an entitlement to not less than 20% of the voting Shares of the Company; and
    - (C) a body corporate in which the Company has an entitlement to not less than 20% of the voting shares.
  - (ii) Change of Control means:

- (A) a bona fide Takeover Bid is declared unconditional and the bidder has acquired a Relevant Interest in more than 50% of the Company's issued Shares;
- (B) a court approves, under section 411(4)(b) of the Corporations Act, a proposed compromise or arrangement for the purposes of, or in connection with, a scheme for the reconstruction of the Company or its amalgamation with any other company or companies; or
- (C) in any other case, a person obtains Voting Power in the Company which the Board (which for the avoidance of doubt will comprise those Directors immediately prior to the person acquiring that Voting Power) determines, acting in good faith and in accordance with their fiduciary duties, is sufficient to control the composition of the Board.

#### (iii) **Relevant Person** means:

- (A) in respect of an Eligible Participant, that person; and
- (B) in respect of a nominee of an Eligible Participant, that Eligible Participant.

#### (iv) Special Circumstances means:

- (A) a Relevant Person ceasing to be an Eligible Participant due to:
  - i. death or Total or Permanent Disability of a Relevant Person; or
  - ii. Retirement or Redundancy of a Relevant Person;
- (B) a Relevant Person suffering Severe Financial Hardship;
- (C) any other circumstance stated to constitute "Special Circumstances" in the terms of the relevant offer made to and accepted by the Participant; or
- (D) any other circumstances determined by the Board at any time (whether before or after the offer) and notified to the relevant Participant which circumstances may relate to the Participant, a class of Participant, including the Participant or particular circumstances or class of circumstances applying to the Participant.



#### LODGE YOUR PROXY APPOINTMENT ONLINE

- ONLINE PROXY APPOINTMENT www.advancedshare.com.au/investor-login
- MOBILE DEVICE PROXY APPOINTMENT Lodge your proxy by scanning the QR code below, and enter your registered postcode.
   It is a fast, convenient and a secure way to lodge your vote.

Important Note: The Company has determined that Shareholders will be able to attend and participate in the meeting through an online platform provided by Advanced Share Registry.

#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING PROXY FORM I/We being shareholder(s) of Energy Transition Minerals Limited and entitled to attend and vote hereby: **APPOINT A PROXY** The Chair of $\Rightarrow \bigcirc$ **PLEASE NOTE:** If you leave the section blank, the OR the Meeting Chair of the Meeting will be your proxy. or failing the individual(s) or body corporate(s) named, or if no individual(s) or body corporate(s) named, the Chair of the Meeting, as my/our proxy to act generally at the Meeting on my/our behalf, including to vote in accordance with the following directions (or, if no directions have been given, and to the extent permitted by law, as the proxy sees fit), at the Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held virtually on 30 May 2023 at 11:00am (WST) and at any adjournment or postponement of that Meeting. Chair's voting intentions in relation to undirected proxies: The Chair intends to vote all undirected proxies in favour of all Resolutions. In exceptional circumstances, the Chair may change his/her voting intentions on any Resolution. In the event this occurs, an ASX announcement will be made immediately disclosing the reasons for the change. Chair authorised to exercise undirected proxies on remuneration related resolutions: Where I/we have appointed the Chair of the Meeting as my/our proxy (or the Chair becomes my/our proxy by default), I/we expressly authorise the Chair to exercise my/our proxy on Resolutions 1 & 4 (except where I/we have indicated a different voting intention below) even though these resolutions are connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of a member(s) of key management personnel, which includes the Chair. VOTING DIRECTIONS Resolutions Against Abstain\* For 1 Adoption of Remuneration Report 2 Election of Director – Mr Mark Saxon 3 Modification of Constitution 4 Enable the issue of Equity Incentives under an Employee Incentive Scheme – Equity Incentive Plan \* If you mark the Abstain box for a particular Resolution, you are directing your proxy not to vote on your behalf on a show of hands or on a poll and your votes will not be counted in computing the required majority on a poll. SIGNATURE OF SHAREHOLDERS – THIS MUST BE COMPLETED Shareholder 1 (Individual) Joint Shareholder 2 (Individual) Joint Shareholder 3 (Individual) Sole Director and Sole Company Secretary Director 3 Director/Company Secretary (Delete one) <u>а</u> This form should be signed by the shareholder. If a joint holding, all the shareholders should sign. If signed by the shareholder's attorney,

This form should be signed by the shareholder. If a joint holding, all the shareholders should sign. If signed by the shareholder's attorney, the power of attorney must have been previously noted by the registry or a certified copy attached to this form. If executed by a company, the form must be executed in accordance with the company's constitution and the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth).

Email Address

Please tick here to agree to receive communications sent by the Company via email. This may include meeting notifications, dividend remittance, and selected announcements.

#### **ENERGY TRANSITION MINERALS LIMITED - ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

The Company has determined that Shareholders will be able to attend and participate in the Meeting through an online platform provided by Advanced Share Registry. To facilitate such participation, voting on each Resolution will occur by a poll rather than a show of hands.

A live webcast and electronic voting via www.advancedshare.com.au/virtual-meeting will be offered to allow Shareholders to attend the Meeting and vote online.

Please refer to the Meeting ID and Shareholder ID on the proxy form to login to the website.

Shareholders may submit questions ahead of the Meeting via the portal.

#### HOW TO COMPLETE THIS SHAREHOLDER PROXY FORM

#### **CHANGE OF ADDRESS**

This form shows your address as it appears on Company's share register. If this information is incorrect, please make the correction on the form. Shareholders sponsored by a broker should advise their broker of any changes.

#### APPOINTMENT OF A PROXY

If you wish to appoint the Chair as your proxy, mark the box in Step 1. If you wish to appoint someone other than the Chair, please write that person's name in the box in Step 1. A proxy need not be a shareholder of the Company. A proxy may be an individual or a body corporate.

#### DEFAULT TO THE CHAIR OF THE MEETING

If you leave Step 1 blank, or if your appointed proxy does not attend the Meeting, then the proxy appointment will automatically default to the Chair of the Meeting.

#### **VOTING DIRECTIONS – PROXY APPOINTMENT**

You may direct your proxy on how to vote by placing a mark in one of the boxes opposite each resolution of business. All your shares will be voted in accordance with such a direction unless you indicate only a portion of voting rights are to be voted on any resolution by inserting the percentage or number of shares you wish to vote in the appropriate box or boxes. If you do not mark any of the boxes on a given resolution, your proxy may vote as they choose to the extent they are permitted by law. If you mark more than one box on a resolution, your vote on that resolution will be invalid.

#### PROXY VOTING BY KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

If you wish to appoint a Director (other than the Chair) or other member of the Company's key management personnel, or their closely related parties, as your proxy, you must specify how they should vote on Resolutions 1 & 4, by marking the appropriate box. If you do not, your proxy will not be able to exercise your vote for Resolutions 1 & 4.

**PLEASE NOTE:** If you appoint the Chair as your proxy (or if they are appointed by default) but do not direct them how to vote on a resolution (that is, you do not complete any of the boxes "For", "Against" or "Abstain" opposite that resolution), the Chair may vote as they see fit on that resolution.

#### APPOINTMENT OF A SECOND PROXY

You are entitled to appoint up to two persons as proxies to attend the Meeting and vote on a poll. If you wish to appoint a second proxy, an additional Proxy Form may be obtained by telephoning Advanced Share Registry Limited or you may copy this form and return them both together.

To appoint a second proxy you must:

(a) on each Proxy Form state the percentage of your voting rights or number of shares applicable to that form. If the appointments do not specify the percentage or number of votes that each proxy may exercise, each proxy may exercise half your votes. Fractions of votes will be disregarded; and

#### (b) return both forms together.

#### **COMPLIANCE WITH LISTING RULE 14.11**

In accordance to Listing Rule 14.11, if you hold shares on behalf of another person(s) or entity/entities or you are a trustee, nominee, custodian or other fiduciary holder of the shares, you are required to ensure that the person(s) or entity/entities for which you hold the shares are not excluded from voting on resolutions where there is a voting exclusion. Listing Rule 14.11 requires you to receive written confirmation from the person or entity providing the voting instruction to you and you must vote in accordance with the instruction provided.

By lodging your proxy votes, you confirm to the company that you are in compliance with Listing Rule 14.11.

#### **CORPORATE REPRESENTATIVES**

If a representative of a nominated corporation is to attend the Meeting the appropriate "Certificate of Appointment of Corporate Representative" should be produced prior to admission in accordance with the Notice of Meeting. A Corporate Representative Form may be obtained from Advanced Share Registry.

#### SIGNING INSTRUCTIONS ON THE PROXY FORM

#### Individual:

Where the holding is in one name, the security holder must sign.

#### Joint Holding:

Where the holding is in more than one name, all of the security holders should sign.

#### Power of Attorney:

If you have not already lodged the Power of Attorney with Advanced Share Registry, please attach the original or a certified photocopy of the Power of Attorney to this form when you return it.

#### Companies:

Where the company has a Sole Director who is also the Sole Company Secretary, this form must be signed by that person. If the company (pursuant to section 204A of the Corporations Act 2001) does not have a Company Secretary, a Sole Director can sign alone. Otherwise this form must be signed by a Director jointly with either another Director or a Company Secretary. Please sign in the appropriate place to indicate the office held.

#### LODGE YOUR PROXY FORM

This Proxy Form (and any power of attorney under which it is signed) must be received at an address given below by 11:00am (WST) on 28 May 2023, being not later than 48 hours before the commencement of the Meeting. Proxy Forms received after that time will not be valid for the scheduled Meeting.

#### ONLINE PROXY APPOINTMENT

www.advancedshare.com.au/investor-login

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