HAMPTON HILL
Mining NL

ABN 60 060 628 524

Annual Report 2012

PROJECT LOCATIONS

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Hampton Hill Mining NL (ABN 60 060 628 524) is a public listed company incorporated and domiciled in Australia

CHAIRMAN'S LETTER

Dear shareholders,

The past year has been a difficult period for your company and has been reflected in a disappointing share price and the decision to cease active exploration.

The Company had previously limited exploration efforts with a view to conserving funds while it completed sales negotiations with Sinosteel Midwest Corporation Ltd (SMC) relating to its interest in the Hampton Hill Mining Joint Venture (HHMJV) in accordance with the terms of the HHMJV Agreement. Following the suspension of activities by the Oakajee Port consortium and the fall in world iron ore prices, SMC has placed its activities in the Weld Range area on care and maintenance; consequently negotiations in relation to a purchase of Hampton Hill's interest in the HHMJV by SMC have been suspended.

It is with regret that, as a consequence of the Company's decision to cease exploration, Mr Wilson Forte's role as Managing Director has been terminated. Wilson ably directed the Company's exploration programs following its listing in 1994 and on the behalf of all shareholders I would like to thank him for his many years of service.

Hampton has had a proud history of greenfields base metal and gold exploration evaluating many projects throughout Western Australia. Most of these projects unfortunately have been relinquished but Hampton retains the Ryansville and Weebacarry projects in the Murchison and will seek to find a suitable joint venture party to further these.

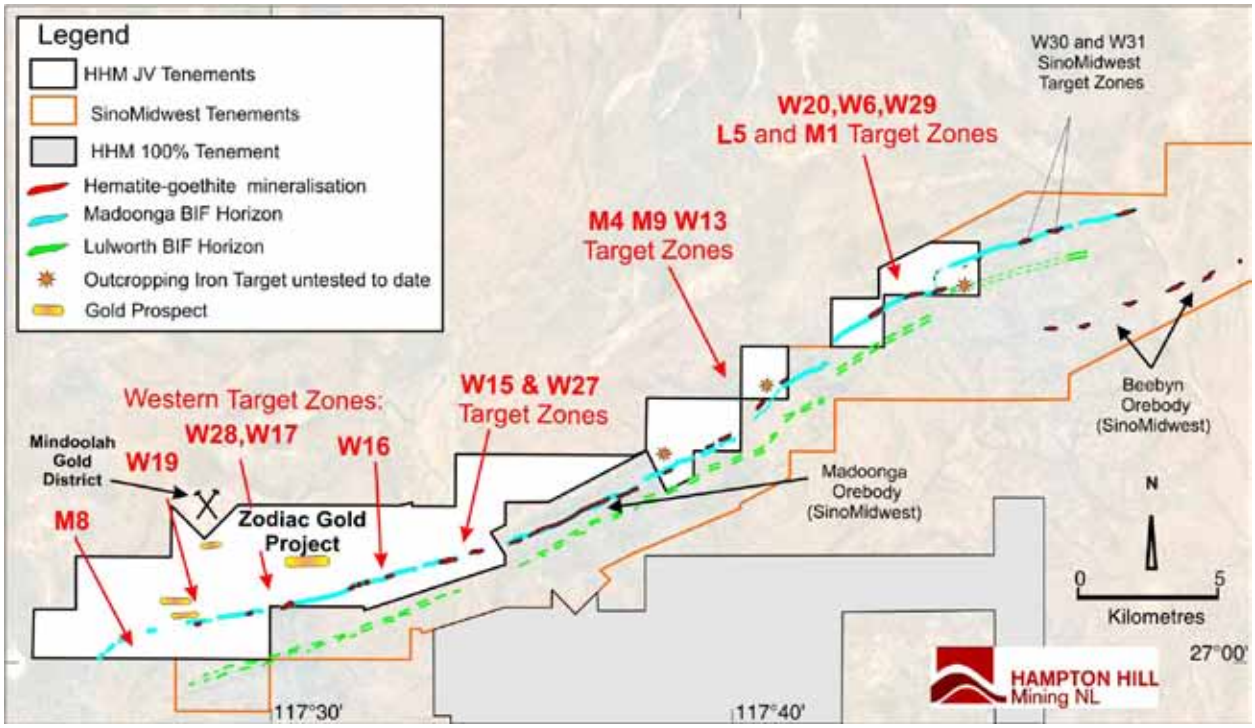
Hampton also has several royalty interests that may prove of value in the future. Of particular interest is the 5% gross overriding royalty on all gold produced in excess of 1 million ounces which the company holds over the Apollo Hill gold project near Leonora. The project owner, Peel Mining Ltd, has reported an open cut Inferred Resource of over 500,000 ounces of gold grading 0.9 grams per tonne.

One of the prime assets of the Company is the 13.75 million shareholding it has in Peel Mining Limited, which, as at 1 October 2012, had an ASX market value of over $4 million. Peel has recently made what may prove to be a significant base metal discovery at its Mallee Bull Project in the Cobar District of New South Wales.

Your board has begun the process of reviewing the Company's assets and planning a future strategy with the aim of revitalizing Hampton. We aim to be in a position to present shareholders with a new vision for the Company in early 2013.

Joshua Pitt 1 October 2012

The Weld Range Direct Shipping Project



DIRECTORS' REPORT

Hampton Hill Mining NL ("the Company" or "Hampton") is listed on the Australian Securities Exchange. The registered office and principle place of business of the Company is located at Level 2, 9 Havelock Street, West Perth, Western Australia.

The directors of the Company present their report on the Company for the year ended 30 June 2012.

DIRECTORS

The names of the directors of the Company during the whole of the financial year and up to the date of this report are:

Joshua Pitt
Neil Tomkinson
Wilson Forte

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activities of the Company have consisted of iron ore, gold and base metal exploration. Towards the end of the financial year the Company suspended its non-iron ore exploration activities.

DIVIDENDS

No dividends were paid during the year and the directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend.

REVIEW OF OPERATIONS AND LIKELY DEVELOPMENTS

In April of this year, Hampton Hill announced the cessation of its exploration activities and the retirement of Mr Wilson Forte as its Executive Managing Director after many years of valued service to the Company. At the same time, Mr Joshua Pitt assumed the role of Executive Chairman. The cessation was as a consequence of the rundown of available funds in recognition of the unfavourable environment for capital raising, particularly for green fields exploration. The board is of the opinion that the major fundraising required to retain an effective exploration program would result in an unacceptable dilution of equity given Hampton's strong set of assets.

The Company incurred an operating loss after tax for the year of $1,537,131 (2011: $1,203,311) of which $1,092,896 (2011: $525,589) related to the impairment of exploration expenditure and loss on disposal of mineral tenements.

The Weld Range Hampton Hill Iron Ore Joint Venture (HHIOJV)

This joint venture is managed by Sinosteel Midwest Corporation Limited (SinoMidwest) who contribute all project costs and have the right to earn a 60% interest. A Preliminary Feasibility Study was completed early in 2012 relating to the inclusion of 15 million tonnes of inferred iron ore reserves owned by the joint venture in the mining reserve of the anticipated SinoMidwest Weld Range Direct Shipping Project.

Exploration has been restricted throughout the year pending the resolution of issues regarding the future of the construction of a railway to the planned port at Oakajee and the establishment of port facilities.

The joint venture agreement envisages the sale of Hampton's joint venture interest to Sino Midwest. Negotiations on this aspect of the joint venture are currently suspended.

Other Projects

Hampton has rationalized its mineral tenement portfolio in recognition of the decision to cease exploration activities.

It retains base metal and gold rights to both the HHIOJV tenements and all the tenements held by SinoMidwest in the Weld Ranges. Beyond its interests in the Weld Ranges, Hampton has relinquished all but the Ryansville and Weebacarry Project tenements.

Royalties

Hampton holds several royalties over possible future production from projects in Western Australia.

The primary royalty relates to the Apollo Hill gold project. The Company holds a 5% gross overriding royalty on any gold in excess of 1 million ounces produced from this project. The project owner, Peel Mining Limited, has announced an inferred resource of over 500,000 ounces grading 0.9 grams per tonne gold. The resource is quite shallow and has potential as a low grade but low strip operation with gold recovered by heap leaching technology. There also exist high grade targets presently open along strike and at depth.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)

REVIEW OF OPERATIONS AND LIKELY DEVELOPMENTS (Continued)

The other royalties are a 0.98% net smelter return royalty over the Northlander tenement package owned by Phoenix Gold Pty Ltd, a 1.1 % net smelter royalty return over the Capricorn Tenement package owned by BHP Billiton Limited ,and a royalty scaling up to $2 per tonne on the Mt Monger PL 26/3426 owned by Integra Mining Limited.

The Peel Mining Investment

Hampton holds 13,750,000 fully paid shares in ASX listed Peel Mining Limited representing a 12.4% shareholding in that company. The market value of this investment at balance date was $1,072,500. Based on the closing market price of Peel Mining shares on the day preceding the signing of this report the market value of this investment is now in excess of $5 million.

SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN THE STATE OF AFFAIRS

In December 2011 the Company issued 10,514,990 new shares at 8 cents each to raise $837,555 after costs following a successful 1 for 10 pro-rata entitlement offer to existing shareholders by way of a prospectus. Other than this capital raising and the operating results for the year, there were no significant changes in the state of affairs of the Company during the financial year.

MATTERS SUBSEQUENT TO THE END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR

There are no matters or circumstances which have arisen since the end of the financial year that have significantly affected the operations of the Company or the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Company, nor are there any such matters which in the view of Directors may significantly affect the future operations or the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Company.

ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS

The mining leases, exploration licences and prospecting licences granted to the Company pursuant to the Mining Act (1978) (WA) are granted subject to various conditions which include standard environmental requirements. The Company adheres to these conditions and the Directors are not aware of any contraventions of these requirements. The Directors have considered compliance with the National Greenhouse and Energy Reporting Act 2007 which requires entities to report annual greenhouse gas emissions and energy use. For the period 1 July 2011 to 30 June 2012 the directors have assessed that there are no current reporting requirements, but that the Company may be required to report in the future.

INFORMATION RELATING TO THE DIRECTORS

Executive Chairman

Joshua Norman Pitt BSc, MAusIMM, MAIG

Mr Pitt is a geologist with extensive exploration experience who has, for more than thirty years, been a director of exploration and mining companies in Australia. Mr Pitt is involved in substantial private mineral exploration and also in resource investments. He is a non-executive director of Red Hill Iron Limited (appointed June 2005), Traka Resources Limited (appointed July 2003), Red Metal Limited (appointed July 2003) and Pan Pacific Petroleum NL (appointed December 2008).

Non-Executive Directors

Neil Tomkinson LLB Hons

Mr Tomkinson has extensive experience extending over the last thirty years in the administration of and investment in exploration and mining companies. Mr Tomkinson is the executive chairman of Red Hill Iron Limited (appointed Chairman April 2008) and non-executive chairman of Traka Resources Limited (appointed September 2003), and Pan Pacific Petroleum NL (appointed a director in June 2006 and Chairman in December 2008). Mr Tomkinson is an investor in private mineral exploration and in resources in general in Australia.

Wilson Forte BSc Hons (UWA), MAusIMM, MAIG

Mr Forte is a Western Australian geologist with more than thirty years experience in mineral exploration in Australia, Southern Africa and Iran. For the past twenty five years he has mainly worked on the evaluation of gold and base metal projects in Western Australia. Mr Forte held the position of Managing Director of the Company until 30 April 2012, at which point he assumed the role of non-executive director.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)

INFORMATION RELATING TO THE COMPANY SECRETARY

Peter Ruttledge BSc, CA, FFin

Mr Ruttledge is a Chartered Accountant and a Fellow of the Financial Services Institute of Australasia and has over 25 years experience as company secretary of a number of listed mining and exploration companies.

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN SHARES IN THE COMPANY

The number of shares in the Company held directly and indirectly by the directors as at the date of this report is set out below:

DIRECTORS	Ordinary Shares Fully Paid	Ordinary Shares Partly Paid to 0.1 cents
J N Pitt	51,661,578	-
N Tomkinson	7,993,970	-
W S Forte	3,406,419	1,900,000

The relevant interest of Mr Tomkinson and Mr Pitt in the shares of the Company is their combined holding of 59,655,548 shares.

No options have been issued to the directors.

MEETINGS OF DIRECTORS

The following table sets out the number of meetings of directors held during the year ended 30 June 2012 and the number of meetings attended by each director:

Director	Meetings of Directors whilst a Director	Number of Meetings Attended
J N Pitt	6	6
N Tomkinson	6	6
W S Forte	6	6

The Company does not have any committees.

AUDITED REMUNERATION REPORT

The information provided in the remuneration report has been audited as required by section 308(3c) of the Corporation Act 2001.

(a) Principles used to determine the nature and amount of remuneration

The objective of the Company's remuneration policy for executive directors and other key management personnel has been to ensure that

- remuneration packages properly reflect the duties and responsibilities of the persons concerned, and
- remuneration is competitive in attracting, retaining and motivating people of the highest quality.

The remuneration framework has regard to shareholders' interests by

- focusing on sustained growth in share price, as well as focusing the executives on key non-financial drivers of value, and
- attracting and retaining high calibre executives.

The remuneration framework has regard to executives' interests by

- rewarding capability and experience,
- providing a clear structure for earning rewards, and
- providing recognition for contribution.

The remuneration policy has been linked to the Company's performance and has been linked to shareholder wealth only in so far as partly paid shares or options have been included in remuneration.

Remuneration is reviewed by the board on an annual basis having regard to performance and market competitiveness.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)

AUDITED REMUNERATION REPORT (Continued)

The remuneration of executive personnel has been determined by the non-executive directors and comprises a base salary or fee and, by way of an incentive, the opportunity to take up partly paid shares or options in the Company and thereby participate in the future success of the Company.

All remuneration paid to key management personnel is valued at the cost to the Company and either capitalised as Exploration and Evaluation expenditure or expensed.

The Executives' remuneration has been reviewed annually with regard to competitiveness and performance.

There are no guaranteed salary increases fixed in any senior executives' contracts.

The terms and conditions of the Managing Director's employment were set out in an Executive Service Agreement – refer subsection (c) below.

Non-Executive Directors

The Company's non-executive directors have elected not to receive any fees or remuneration from the Company. Non-executive directors may be paid all travelling and other expenses properly incurred by them in the business of the Company.

Managing Director

The Managing Director's executive remuneration package included set salary or fee amounts and long term incentives through grants of partly paid shares or share options.

Executive Chairman

The Executive Chairman appointed on 30 April 2012 has elected not to receive a remuneration package.

Company Performance

It is not possible at this time to evaluate the Company's financial performance using generally accepted measures such as profitability and total shareholder return as the Company is an exploration company with no significant revenue stream. This assessment will be developed as and when the Company moves from explorer to producer.

The table below shows the gross revenue, losses and loss per share for the last five years for the Company (2012) and the Group (2010 and prior):

		2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Revenue and other income	($000)	90	97	110	220	102
Net Loss	($000)	1,537	1,203	2,200	890	785
Loss per share	(cents)	1.1	0.9	1.7	0.7	0.6
Share price at year end	(cents)	4.0	21.0	27.0	18.0	45.0

No dividends have been declared during these periods.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)

AUDITED REMUNERATION REPORT (Continued)

(b) Details of remuneration

The key management personnel of the Company are the Directors.

The remuneration of key management personnel and other specified executives for the year is summarised below:

	Short term benefits		Post-employment benefits	Termination benefits	Share based payments	Total	Value of share based payments as a proportion of remuneration	Performance Related
	Salary & fees	Non-cash benefits	Super-annuation	Salary and leave benefits				
2012	$	$	$	$	$	$	%	%
Directors								
Non-executive								
N Tomkinson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W S Forte	144,136	25,104	41,666	184,488	-	395,394	-	-
Executive								
J N Pitt (Chairman)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	144,136	25,104	41,666	184,488	-	395,394	-	-
2011								
Directors								
Non-executive								
N Tomkinson (Chairman)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
J N Pitt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Executive								
W S Forte (Managing Director)	167,029	9,734	50,000	-	-	226,763	-	-
	167,029	9,734	50,000	-	-	226,763	-	-

Mr Forte ceased to be employed by the Company on 30 April 2012 following a decision by the board to cease exploration activities thereby rendering his position redundant. His remuneration for the year included a termination payment $184,488 consisting of 6 months base salary paid in lieu of notice, and accrued leave benefits.

No part of the remuneration of directors and other specified executives is contingent on the performance of the Company.

(c) Service agreements

The terms of engagement of the Managing Director, Mr Wilson Forte, up to 30 April 2012 are set out in an Executive Service Agreement. His remuneration consisted of a salary and superannuation package and the use of a four wheel drive company vehicle primarily for accessing the Company's exploration properties. It also provided for Mr Forte to be offered, from time to time at the discretion of the board, partly paid shares or options to acquire fully paid shares in the Company. Following a review of Mr Forte's remuneration in November 2010 the salary and superannuation package was set at $225,000 per annum. There were no termination arrangements in respect of Mr Forte's employment other than the expectation that he would receive 6 months notice in the event of his services being terminated and the Company could elect to pay 6 months base salary and superannuation in lieu of notice. There is no service agreement relating to Mr Forte's position as a non-executive director.

There are no other service agreements.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)

AUDITED REMUNERATION REPORT (Continued)

(d) Share based compensation

The company has not paid during the year and does not anticipate paying share based compensation as it has no remaining employees.

(e) Additional information

Share-based compensation: Partly paid ordinary shares

No partly paid shares were paid up during the year and no partly paid shares were forfeited during the year.

The audited remuneration report ends here.

SHARES UNDER OPTION

The number of options on issue at the date of this report are as follows:

Date options granted	Expiry date	Exercise price	Number of options	Percent vested
10 December 2010	10 December 2013	30 cents	500,000	100%

INSURANCE OF OFFICERS

During or since the end of the financial year the Company has not given an indemnity to, nor has it entered into any agreement to indemnify, nor has it paid or agreed to pay insurance premiums to insure any director or other officer of the Company against liabilities for costs and expenses incurred by them in defending any legal proceedings arising out of their conduct while acting in the capacity of director of the Company.

PROCEEDINGS ON BEHALF OF THE COMPANY

No person has applied to the court pursuant to section 237 of the Corporations Act 2001 for leave to bring proceedings on behalf of the Company or intervene in any proceedings to which the Company is a party for a purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the Company for all or any part of those proceedings. The Company was not party to any such proceedings during the year.

AUDIT COMMITTEE

The Company is not of a size nor are its financial affairs of such complexity to justify a separate audit committee of the Board of Directors. All matters that might properly be dealt with by such a committee are the subject of scrutiny at full board meetings.

AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

A copy of the auditor's independence declaration as required by Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is included in this Annual Report.

NON-AUDIT SERVICES

BDO Audit (WA) Pty Ltd, the Company's auditor, did not perform any non-audit services for the Company for the year ended 30 June 2012.

Signed in Perth in accordance with a resolution of Directors on 21 September 2012.

J N Pitt
Chairman

AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

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21 September 2012

The Board of Directors
Hampton Hill Mining NL
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Dear Sirs,

DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE BY CHRIS BURTON TO THE DIRECTORS OF HAMPTON HILL MINING NL

As lead auditor of Hampton Hill Mining NL for the year ended 30 June 2012, I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

- the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the audit; and
- any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

Chris Burton
Director

BDO Audit (WA) Pty Ltd
Perth, Western Australia

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STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2012

	Note	2012 $	2011 $
Revenue from continuing operations	4	18,176	51,485
Other income	4	71,650	46,073
Loss on disposal of tenements		(409,790)	-
Impairment of exploration expenditure	11	(683,106)	(525,589)
Administration expenses	5	(534,061)	(549,686)
Impairment of asset held for sale	10	-	(225,594)
Loss before income tax		(1,537,131)	(1,203,311)
Income tax expense	6	-	-
Loss from continuing operations		(1,537,131)	(1,203,311)
Loss from discontinued operations		-	-
Loss for the year	10	(1,537,131)	(1,203,311)
Other comprehensive income			
Gain/(loss) on revaluation of financial asset available for sale net of tax		(291,500)	209,000
Income tax relating to the other comprehensive income		-	-
Other comprehensive (loss)/income for the year net of tax		(291,500)	209,000
Total comprehensive loss for the year attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Company		(1,828,631)	(994,311)
Loss per share for loss from continuing operations attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Company			
Basic loss and diluted loss per share	25	1.1 cents	0.9 cents
Loss per share for loss attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Company			
Basic loss and diluted loss per share	25	1.1 cents	0.9 cents

The above Statement of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

AS AT 30 JUNE 2012

	Note	2012 $	2011 $
Assets			
Current Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	7	180,512	565,064
Trade and other receivables	8	7,816	21,660
Financial assets available for sale	9	1,072,500	1,034,000
		1,260,828	1,620,724
Assets classified as held for sale	10	-	-
Total Current Assets		1,260,828	1,620,724
Non-Current Assets			
Exploration assets	11	3,566,634	4,331,376
Plant and equipment	12	3,562	4,893
Total Non-Current Assets		3,570,196	4,336,269
Total Assets		4,831,024	5,956,993
Liabilities			
Current Liabilities			
Trade and other payables	13	39,347	172,060
Provisions	14	-	2,180
Total Current Liabilities		39,347	174,240
Total Liabilities		39,347	174,240
Net Assets		4,791,677	5,782,753
Equity			
Issued capital	15	19,324,649	18,487,094
Reserves	16	123,765	415,265
Accumulated losses		(14,656,737)	(13,119,606)
Total Equity		4,791,677	5,782,753

The above Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2012

	Issued Capital $	Reserve – share based payment $	Reserve – asset available for sale $	Accumulated Losses $	Total Equity $
2012					
Balance at 1 July 2011	18,487,094	206,265	209,000	(13,119,606)	5,782,753
Comprehensive Loss					
Net loss for the year	-	-	-	(1,537,131)	(1,537,131)
Other comprehensive loss net of tax	-	-	(291,500)	-	(291,500)
Total comprehensive loss for the year	-	-	(291,500)	(1,537,131)	(1,828,631)
Transaction with owners in their capacity as owners:					
Entitlement share issue (net of costs)	837,555	-	-	-	837,555
Balance at 30 June 2012	19,324,649	206,265	(82,500)	(14,656,737)	4,791,677
2011					
Balance at 1 July 2010	18,487,094	137,200	-	(11,916,295)	6,707,999
Comprehensive Loss					
Net loss for the year	-	-	-	(1,203,311)	(1,203,311)
Other comprehensive income net of tax	-	-	209,000	-	209,000
Total comprehensive loss for the year	-	-	209,000	(1,203,311)	(994,311)
Transaction with owners in their capacity as owners:					
Issue of employee share options	-	69,065	-	-	69,065
Balance at 30 June 2011	18,487,094	206,265	209,000	(13,119,606)	5,782,753

The above Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2012

	Note	2012 $	2011 $
Cash flows from operating activities			
Payments to suppliers and employees		(582,967)	(461,379)
Payments for exploration expenditure		(462,398)	(534,511)
Proceeds from disposal of tenements		64,768	-
Interest received		18,261	61,920
Interest paid		(1,899)	-
Other revenue received		73,204	51,866
Net cash outflow from operating activities	24	(891,031)	(882,104)
Cash flows from investing activities			
Payment for plant and equipment		(1,077)	(434)
Proceeds from disposal of plant and equipment		1	-
Payment for purchase of equity investments			
Net cash outflow from investing activities		(331,076)	(434)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Loan received		330,000	-
Loan repaid		(330,000)	-
Proceeds from issue of shares (net of costs)		837,555	-
Net cash flows from financing activities		837,555	-
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(384,552)	(882,538)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial year		565,064	1,447,602
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year	7	180,512	565,064

The above Statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with accompanying notes

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2012

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented unless otherwise stated.

Hampton Hill Mining NL ("the Company") is a listed public company, incorporated and domiciled in Australia.

(a) Basis of preparation

These financial statements are general purpose financial statements which have been prepared in accordance with Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS), Australian Accounting Interpretations, other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board, and the Corporations Act 2001.

Compliance with IFRS

Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards, as adopted in Australia, ensures that the financial statements and notes of the Company comply with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

Reporting Basis and Conventions

These financial statements have been prepared on an accruals basis and are based on historical costs.

Critical accounting estimates and judgements

The Directors evaluate estimates and judgements incorporated into the financial statements based on historical knowledge and best available current information. Estimates assume a reasonable expectation of future events and are based on current trends and economic data, obtained both externally and within the Company.

(i) Key Estimates — Impairment

The Company assesses impairment at each reporting date by evaluating conditions specific to the Company that may lead to impairment of exploration and evaluation assets, and plant and equipment. Where an impairment trigger exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is determined. Value-in-use calculations performed in assessing recoverable amounts incorporate a number of key estimates.

(ii) Capitalisation of exploration and evaluation expenditure

The Company has capitalised exploration and evaluation expenditure of $3,566,634 (2011: $4,331,376) on the basis either that this is expected to be recouped through successful development (or alternatively sale) of the areas of interest concerned or that it is not yet possible to assess whether it would be recouped.

(b) Segment reporting

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operation decision maker. The chief operation decision maker, who is responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segments, has been identified as the members of the board of Directors.

(c) Revenue recognition

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable.

Interest income is brought to account as income over the term of each financial instrument using the effective interest rate basis.

Other revenue is recognised as it accrues.

(d) Income tax

The charge for current income tax expenses is based on the profit for the year adjusted for any non-assessable or disallowed items. It is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or are substantively enacted by the balance date.

Deferred tax is accounted for using the liability method in respect of temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements. No deferred income tax will be recognised from the initial recognition of an asset or liability, excluding a business combination, where there is no effect on accounting or taxable comprehensive income.

Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the period when the asset is realised or liability is settled. Deferred tax is credited in the statement of comprehensive income except where it relates to items that may be credited directly to equity or comprehensive income, in which case the deferred tax is adjusted directly against equity.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that future tax profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilised.

Deferred tax liabilities and assets are not recognised for temporary differences between the carrying amount and tax bases of investments in controlled entities where the parent entity is able to control the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences and it is probable that the differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets and liabilities and when the deferred tax balances relate to the same taxation authority. Current tax assets and tax liabilities are offset where the entity has a legally enforceable right to offset and intends either to settle on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

The amount of benefits brought to account or which may be realised in the future is based on the assumption that no adverse change will occur in income taxation legislation and the anticipation that the economic entity will derive sufficient future assessable income to enable the benefit to be realised and comply with the conditions of deductibility imposed by the law.

(e) Impairment of assets

At each reporting date, the Company reviews the carrying values of its tangible and intangible assets to determine whether there is any objective evidence that those assets have been impaired. If such an indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset, being the higher of the asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use, is compared to the asset's carrying value. Any excess of the asset's carrying value over its recoverable amount is expensed to profit or loss.

Impairment testing is performed annually for intangible assets with indefinite lives.

Where it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the Company estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

(f) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash includes deposits at call, short term deposits and bills of exchange which are readily convertible to cash on hand and which are used in the cash management function on a day-to-day basis, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

(g) Other financial assets and liabilities

Recognition

Financial instruments are initially measured at cost on trade date, which includes transaction costs, when the related contractual rights or obligations exist. Subsequent to initial recognition these instruments are measured as set out below.

Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market and are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

Financial assets available for sale

Available-for-sale financial assets, comprising principally marketable equity securities, are non-derivatives that are either designated in this category or not classified in any of the other categories. They are included in non-current assets unless the investment matures or management intends to dispose of the investment within 12 months of the end of the reporting period. Investments are designated as available for sale if they do not have fixed maturities and fixed or determinable payments and management intends to hold them for the medium to long term. They are recognised at fair value with movements in fair value recognised in other comprehensive income.

Financial liabilities

Non-derivative financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently at amortised cost, comprising original debts less principal payments and amortisation.

Impairment – financial instruments

At each reporting date, the Group assesses whether there is objective evidence that a financial instrument has been impaired. Impairment losses are recognised in profit or loss.

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NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Impairment of assets classified as available for sale

If there is objective evidence of impairment for available-for-sale financial assets, the cumulative loss, measured as the difference between the acquisition cost and the current fair value less any impairment loss on that financial asset previously recognised in profit or loss, is removed from equity and recognized in profit or loss. Impairment losses on equity instruments that were recognised in profit or loss are not reversed through profit or loss in a subsequent period.

(h) Exploration and evaluation expenditure

Exploration and evaluation expenditure incurred is accumulated separately for each identifiable area of interest. Such expenditure comprises net direct costs, and an appropriate portion of related overhead expenditure, but does not include general overheads or administration expenditure not having a specific nexus with a particular area of interest.

Exploration and evaluation expenditure for each area of interest is carried forward where rights to the tenure of the area of interest are current and costs are expected to be recouped through revenue derived from the area of interest or sale of that area of interest, or exploration and evaluation activities have not reached a stage which permits a reasonable assessment of the existence or otherwise of economically recoverable reserves and active or significant operations in, or in relation to, the area of interest are continuing. Exploration and evaluation expenditure for an area of interest which does not satisfy the above policy is not carried forward as an asset and is written off in profit or loss.

Accumulated costs in relation to an abandoned area are written off in full in the statement of comprehensive income in the year in which the decision to abandon the area is made.

When production commences, the accumulated costs for the relevant area of interest are amortised over the life of the area according to the rate of depletion of the economically recoverable reserves.

A regular review is undertaken of each area of interest to determine the appropriateness of continuing to carry forward costs in relation to that area of interest.

(i) Plant and equipment

Recognition and measurement

Plant and equipment items are measured on the cost basis less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition on the items.

The carrying amount of plant and equipment is reviewed annually by Directors to ensure it is not in excess of the recoverable amount from these assets.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to the statement of comprehensive income during the financial period in which they are incurred.

Depreciation

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets is depreciated on a straight line basis over their useful lives to the Group commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use.

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable assets are:

Class of Fixed Asset	*Depreciation Rate*
Plant and Equipment:	13% to 27% straight line.

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each balance date.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with the carrying amount. These gains and losses are included in the statement of comprehensive income.

(j) Trade and other payables

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Company prior to the end of the financial year and which are unpaid. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days or recognition.

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NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

(k) Borrowings

Borrowings are short term and initially recognised at fair value. There are no transaction costs associated with the borrowings. Interest on borrowings is accrued daily using the effective interest rate method and recognised in profit or loss over the period of the borrowings.

(l) Employee benefits

Wages and salaries, annual leave and sick leave

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits, annual leave and accumulating sick leave expected to be settled within 12 months of the reporting date are recognised in other payables in respect of employees' services up to the reporting date and are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled.

Long service leave

The liability for long service leave is recognised in the provision for employee benefits and measured as the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date using the projected unit credit method. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures and periods of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on national government bonds with terms to maturity and currency that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

Retirement benefits obligations

Contributions are made by the Company to employee superannuation funds and are charged as expenses when incurred.

Share based payments

Share-based compensation benefits are provided to Directors and other personnel of the Company.

The fair value of partly paid shares and options granted to directors and other personnel is recognised as an employee benefit expense with a corresponding increase in comprehensive income. The fair value is measured at grant date and recognised over the period during which the Directors and/or other personnel become unconditionally entitled to the partly paid shares or options.

The fair value at grant date is independently determined using a call option pricing model that takes into account the price, the term, the vesting and performance criteria, the impact of dilution of the partly paid share or option, the share price at grant date, the expected price volatility of the underlying share, the expected dividend yield and the risk-free interest rate for the term.

(m) Issued capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

Incremental costs directly attributed to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds. Incremental costs directly attributed to the issue of new shares or options for the acquisition of a business are not included in the cost of the acquisition as part of the purchase consideration.

(n) Loss per share

Basic loss per share

Basic loss per share is determined by dividing the operating loss after income tax by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year.

Diluted loss per share

Diluted loss per share adjusts the figures used in the determination of basic loss per share to take into account the after income tax effect of interest and other financing costs associated with dilutive potential ordinary shares and the weighted average number of shares assumed to have been issued for no consideration in relation to dilutive potential ordinary shares.

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NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

(o) Joint venture agreements

The Company's joint venture agreements do not constitute separate legal entities. They are contractual agreements between the participants for the sharing of costs and output and do not in themselves generate revenue and profit.

The joint venture agreements are of the type where initially one party contributes tenements with the other party earning a specified percentage by funding exploration activities; thereafter the parties often share exploration and development costs in proportion to their ownership of joint venture assets. The joint ventures do not hold any assets and accordingly the Company's share of exploration expenditure is accounted for in accordance with the policy set out in Note 1(h).

(p) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office. In these circumstances the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense. Receivables and payables in the balance sheet are shown inclusive of GST. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the Australian Taxation Office is included with other receivables or payable in the Statement of Financial Position.

Cash flows are presented in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis, except for the GST component of investing and financing activities, which are disclosed as operating cash flows.

(q) Leases

Leases in which a significant portion of the risks and rewards of ownership are not transferred to the Company as lessee are classified as operating leases Note 20(b). Payments made under operating leases (net of any incentives received from the lessor) are charged to profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the period of the lease.

Lease income from operating leases where the Company is a lessor is recognised in income on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

(r) New accounting standards and interpretation

The following Australian Accounting Standards have been issued and/or amended and are applicable to the Company but are not yet effective. They have not been adopted in the preparation of the financial statements at reporting date. The Application Date of the standard is for the annual reporting periods beginning on or after the date shown in the table below.

Reference and Title	Nature of change to accounting policy and impact on initial application	Application date
AASB 9 Financial Instruments	Amends the requirement for classification and measurement of financial assets. The available-for-sale and held-to-maturity categories of financial assets in AASB 139 have been eliminated. However, AASB 9 requires that gains or losses on financial liabilities measured at fair value are recognised in profit or loss, except that the effects of changes in the liability's credit risk are recognised in other comprehensive income. The Company does not have any financial liabilities measured at fair value through profit or loss. So there will be no impact on amounts recognised in the financial statements on initial adoption.	1 July 2015
AASB 11 Joint Arrangements	Joint arrangements will be classified as either 'joint operations' (where parties with joint control have rights to assets and obligations for liabilities) or 'joint ventures' (where parties with joint control have rights to the net assets of the arrangement). When this standard is first adopted for the year ended 30 June 2014, there will be no impact on transactions and balances recognised in the financial statements because the Company has not entered into any joint arrangements	1 July 2013

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NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

AASB 13 Fair Value Measurement	Currently, fair value measurement requirements are included in several Accounting Standards. AASB 13 establishes a single framework for measuring fair value on financial and non-financial items recognised at fair value in the financial statements. Due to the recent release of this standard, the Company has yet to assess the differences between the current fair valuation methodologies used and those required by AASB 13. However, when this standard is adopted for the first time for the year ended 30 June 2014, there will be no impact on the financial statements because the revised fair value measurement requirements apply prospectively from 1 July 2013. Additional disclosures will be required about fair values.	1 July 2013
AASB 119 Employee Benefits	Employee benefits expected to be settled (as opposed to due to settled under current standard) wholly within 12 months after the end of the reporting period are short-term benefits, and therefore not disclosed when calculating leave liabilities. Annual leave not expected to be used wholly within 12 months of end of reporting period will in future be discounted when calculating leave liability. The Company does not have any annual leave liabilities and the first adoption of this statement for 30 June 2012 will have no impact on the financial statements.	1 July 2013
AASB 2011-9 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Presentation of Items of Other Comprehensive Income	Amendments to align the presentation of items of other comprehensive income (OCI) with US GAAP. Various name changes of statements in AASB 101. There will be no impact on amounts recognised in the financial statements on initial adoption.	1 July 2012
AASB 2012-5 Annual Improvements to Australian Accounting Standards 2009-2011 Cycle	Non-urgent but necessary changes to IFRS, IAS 16 & IAS 32). When this standard is first adopted for the year ended 30 June 2013, there will be no material impact.	1 July 2013

NOTE 2 – FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The Company, in its normal course of business, is exposed to financial risks comprising market risk (essentially interest rate risk), credit risk and liquidity risk.

The directors have overall responsibility for the Company's management of these risks and seek to minimise these risks through ongoing monitoring and review of the adequacy of the risk management framework in relation to the risks encountered by the Company.

Market risk

Price risk

The Company is exposed to equity securities price risks. This arises from an investment held and classified in the statement of financial position as available for sale.

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NOTE 2 – FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

The investment is in ordinary shares in an ASX listed exploration company. The shares are typically subject to relatively high price volatility, and, based on the recent historic share price, the table below summarises the impact of an increase/decrease of 50% of the share price of the investment as at 30 June 2012.

	Carry amount of asset available for sale	Overall impact of change in price of		Impact on post-tax profit		Impact on other components of equity	
2012		**-50%**	**+50%**	**-50%**	**+50%**	**-50%**	**+50%**
	$	**$**	**$**	**$**	**$**	**$**	**$**
Investment	1,072,500	(536,250)	536,250	(536,250)	-	-	536,250
2011		**-25%**	**+25%**	**-25%**	**+25%**	**-25%**	**+25%**
	$	**$**	**$**	**$**	**$**	**$**	**$**
Investment	1,034,000	(258,500)	258,500	(49,500)	-	(209,000)	258,500

Other components of equity would increase/decrease as a result of gains/losses on equity securities classified as available for sale. As the fair value of the available-for-sale financial assets would still be above cost, no impairment loss would be recognised in profit or loss as a result of the decrease.

The Company's is exposed to Australian money market interest rates in respect of its cash assets. The risk is managed by monitoring the interest rate yield curve out to 120 days to ensure a balance is maintained between the liquidity of its cash assets and interest rate return.

Bank deposits at call, amounting to $100,000 (2011: $300,000), all mature within 30 days of balance date.

The weighted average rate of interest to which the Company was exposed on its cash assets as at the year end was 3.17% (2011: 5.12%).

The table below summarises the sensitivity of the Company's cash assets to interest rate risk. The Company has no interest rate risk associated with any of its other financial assets or liabilities. Whilst this analysis reflects the effect of a 0.5% decline in interest rates, recent Australian Treasury announcements and press reports would indicate a downward movement in interest rates of this magnitude to be unlikely over the next 12 months.

Financial Assets	**Carrying amount of cash assets**	**Effect of decrease or increase on**			
		Post tax profit		**Equity**	
2012		**-0.5%**	**+0.5%**	**-0.5%**	**+0.5%**
	$	**$**	**$**	**$**	**$**
Cash & cash equivalents	180,512				
Total increase/(decrease)		(903)	903	(903)	903
2011		**-1%**	**+1%**	**-1%**	**+1%**
	$	**$**	**$**	**$**	**$**
Cash & cash equivalents	565,064				
Total increase/(decrease)		(5,651)	5,651	(5,651)	5,651

Liquidity risk

The Company has no significant exposure to liquidity risk as the Company's only debt is that associated with trade creditors in respect of which the Company's policy is to ensure payment within 30 days. The Company manages its liquidity by monitoring forecast cash flows.

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NOTE 2 – FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

Credit risk

The Company does not have any significant exposure to credit risk. The minimal exposure to credit risk that could arise is from having its cash assets all deposited at one bank. Whilst the risk of the bank failing is considered minimal, the Company manages this exposure by ensuring its funds are deposited only with a major bank with high security ratings.

Exposure to credit risk	2012 $	2011 $
Closing carrying amount		
Cash & cash equivalents	180,512	565,064
Trade and other receivables	7,816	21,660

Fair value estimates

The carrying amount of the Company's financial assets and liabilities approximates fair value due to their short term maturity. The Company has no financial instruments carried at fair trade.

Capital management risk

The Company's objective in managing capital which consists primarily of equity capital is to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern, so that it can continue to explore for minerals with the ultimate objective of providing returns for shareholders whilst maintaining an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may issue new shares, sell assets, or joint venture its projects.

The Company considers working capital to consist of cash, receivables, and financial assets available for sale less trade creditors and current provisions.

NOTE 3 – SEGMENT INFORMATION

Management has determined that the Company has one reportable segment, being mineral exploration within Australia. The Board of Directors, which constitutes the chief operating decision makers, monitors the Company based on actual versus budgeted exploration expenditure. This reporting framework is the most relevant to assist the Board with making decisions regarding its ongoing exploration activities.

Reportable segment assets	3,566,634	4,331,376
Reportable segment loss	(1,157,664)	(525,589)
Reconciliation of reportable segment loss:		
Reportable segment loss	(1,157,664)	(525,589)
Other profit	154,594	97,558
Unallocated corporate expenses	(534,061)	(775,280)
Loss before tax	(1,537,131)	(1,203,311)

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NOTE 4 – REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME	2012 $	2011 $
Revenue from continuing operations		
Interest income	18,176	51,485
Other income		
Other	71,650	46,073

Other income constitutes income from sublease of office premises and geological and administrative services on normal commercial terms and conditions.

NOTE 5 – ADMINISTRATION EXPENSES

Loss before income tax includes the following specific administration expenses:

Personnel expenses		
Salaries	348,428	258,110
Superannuation	19,397	57,873
Increase in liability for annual leave and long service leave	19,307	4,579
Equity–settled share based payment	-	69,065
	387,132	389,627
Less: Capitalised to exploration	(200,456)	(272,271)
	186,676	117,356
Depreciation	2,407	9,126
Other administration expenses		
Accounting	50,840	50,291
Listing fees	2,883	27,200
Audit	22,548	24,819
Insurance	2,143	5,852
Office operating lease	131,904	127,455
Secretarial and administration	52,260	49,203
Other	82,400	138,384
	534,061	549,686

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NOTE 6 – INCOME TAX	2012 $	2011 $
(a) Income tax expense		
The components of income tax expense comprise:		
Current tax	-	-
Deferred tax	-	-
	-	-
(b) Reconciliation of income tax expense to Prima facie tax payable on accounting loss		
Operating loss before income tax	(1,537,131)	(1,203,311)
Prima facie tax benefit at Australian tax rate of 30% (2011: 30%)	(461,139)	(360,993)
Adjusted for tax effect of the following amounts:		
Taxable/non –deductible items	-	86,720
Deductible/non-taxable items	(621)	(402)
	(461,760)	(274,675)
Tax benefits not brought to account	461,760	274,675
Income tax expense/(benefit)	-	-
(c) Deferred tax assets and liabilities not brought to account		
The directors estimate that the potential deferred tax assets and liabilities carried forward but not brought to account at year end at the Australian corporate tax rate of 30%, are made up as follows:		
On income tax account:		
Carried forward losses	4,450,548	4,204,368
Deductable temporary differences	7,037	20,905
Taxable temporary differences	(1,069,745)	(1,299,193)
Unrecognised net deferred tax assets	3,387,840	2,926,079

These benefits will only be obtained if the conditions for deductibility set out in Note 1(d) occur.

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NOTE 6 – INCOME TAX (Continued)

(d) Minerals Resource Rent Tax (MRRT)

On 19 March, 2012, the Australian Government passed through the Senate, the *Minerals Resource Rent Tax Act 2012*, with application to certain profits arising from the iron ore and coal extracted in Australia. In broad terms, the tax is imposed on a project-by-project basis.

This tax applies to upstream mining operations only, and the effective rate of Minerals Resource Rent Tax is 22.5%.

This tax is considered to be an "income tax" for the purposes of AASB 112.

Certain transition measures are contained in the legislation which can give rise to deductions in future years, for MRRT purposes.

The Company's iron ore assets are not of a size that is likely to be subject to MRRT and consequently no valuation of the Company's iron ore assets with a view to calculating a possible impact on deferred tax have been performed. Even in the event that there were an impact on deferred tax assets, the Company does not currently recognise any deferred tax assets –Note 6(c).

NOTE 7 – CURRENT ASSETS – CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	**2012 $**	**2011 $**
Cash at bank and on hand	80,512	265,064
Deposits at call	100,000	300,000
	180,512	565,064

Information about the Company's exposure to interest rate risk and sensitivity analysis for financial assets and liabilities is disclosed in Note 2.

NOTE 8 – CURRENT ASSETS – TRADE & OTHER RECEIVABLES

Other	7,816	21,660

Other receivables include pro-rata interest receivable at balance date in respect of deposits at call and other receivables that are expected to be repaid within 30 days of balance date. Information about the Company's exposure to interest rate risk and sensitivity analysis for financial assets and liabilities is disclosed in Note 2. Due to the short term nature of these receivables, their carrying value is assumed to approximate their fair value.

No trade and other receivables are considered impaired, or are past due.

NOTE 9– CURRENT ASSETS – FINANCIAL ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR SALE

Opening balance	1,034,000	-
Acquisitions	330,000	825,000
Revaluation	(291,500)	209,000
Closing balance	1,072,500	1,034,000

The listed equity securities were acquired during 2011 as consideration for the sale of exploration assets. Their market value on date of acquisition was $825,000, with an additional purchase of $330,000 during the year. The securities have been revalued to market value using a quoted market price from the Australian Securities Exchange at balance date.

The maximum exposure to equity price risk at the end of the reporting period is the value of shares noted above. Refer to Note 2 for further details.

All securities are based on quoted prices in an active market. These are therefore measured as a Tier 1 instrument. Other than the acquisition of these securities, there has been no transfer between measurement levels during the year.

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NOTE 10– CURRENT ASSETS – ASSETS CLASSIFIED AS HELD FOR SALE AND DISCONTINUED OPERATION

Discontinued operation – prior year

(i) Description

In June 2010 the Company entered into an agreement with an ASX listed company whereby that company had an option to acquire the entire issued capital of controlled entity, Apollo Mining Pty Ltd, by executing a Sale Agreement on or before 30 November 2010. The option was exercised on 24 November 2010 resulting in the disposal of Apollo Mining Pty Ltd in consideration for the issue to Hampton Hill of 11,000,000 listed shares in the capital of the acquiring company. The disposal is reported in these financial statements as a discontinued operation.

Financial information relating to the discontinued operation for the period to date of disposal is set out below.

(ii) Financial Information

During the period from 1 July 2010 to the date of disposal of Apollo Mining Pty Ltd, there were no transactions impacting the financial performance or cashflow of that operation.

However Apollo Mining did incur exploration expenditure during that period of $5,594 which was funded by Hampton Hill and this amount was capitalised to its sole asset, exploration assets, in accordance with the group's accounting policies. As a result Apollo Mining had no direct cash flows during the period up until disposal.

(iii) Details of the sale of the discontinued operation	2012 $	2011 $
Consideration received		
Shares in listed acquiring entity at market value on date of disposal	-	825,000
Carrying amount of net assets sold	-	825,000
Gain/(loss) on sale before income tax	-	-
Income tax expense	-	-
Gain/(loss) on sale after income tax	-	-
The net assets sold consisted solely of exploration assets:		
Exploration assets		
Carrying amount at the beginning of the year	-	1,045,000
Asset held for sale	-	-
Exploration expenditure capitalised	-	5,594
Impairment	-	(225,594)
Carrying value at the date of sale	-	(825,000)
Carrying amount at the end of the year	-	-

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NOTE 11 – NON-CURRENT ASSETS – EXPLORATION ASSETS	2012 $	2011 $
Costs brought forward in respect of areas of interest in exploration and evaluation phase	4,331,376	4,279,708
Expenditure incurred during the period on exploration of tenements	392,923	710,257
Expenditure recovered	-	(133,000)
Disposal of tenements	(474,558)	-
Impairment of exploration expenditure	(683,106)	(525,589)
	3,566,634	4,331,376

For the assessment of the recoverability of the assets, refer Note 1(a)(ii)

NOTE 12 – NON-CURRENT ASSETS – PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Office and field equipment – at cost	65,864	64,787
Accumulated depreciation	(62,302)	(59,895)
Total office and field equipment	3,562	4,892
Motor vehicle – at cost	-	49,883
Accumulated depreciation	-	(49,882)
Total motor vehicle	-	1
Total plant and equipment	3,562	4,893

2012	Office & field equipment $	Motor vehicle $	Total $
Carrying amount at 1 July 2011	4,892	1	4,893
Additions during the period	1077	-	1,077
Disposals during the period	-	(1)	(1)
Depreciation expense	(2,407)	-	(2,407)
Carrying amount at 30 June 2012	3,562	-	3,562

2011	$	$	$
Carrying amount at 1 July 2010	13,992	1	13,993
Additions during the period	435	-	435
Disposals during the period	(409)	-	(409)
Depreciation expense	(9,126)	-	(9,126)
Carrying amount at 30 June 2011	4,892	1	4,893

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NOTE 13 – CURRENT LIABILITIES – TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES	2012 $	2011 $
Trade creditors and accruals	38,956	121,558
Employee entitlements	391	50,502
	39,347	172,060

The Company's exposure to liquidity risk related to trade and other payables is disclosed in Note 2.

NOTE 14– CURRENT LIABILITIES – PROVISIONS

Employee entitlements		
Opening balance	2,180	1,773
Additional provisions	140	407
Payment of employee entitlements	(2,320)	
Closing balance	-	2,180

The current provision for employee entitlements related to long service leave and included all unconditional entitlements where employees have completed the required minimum period of service and those where employees were entitled to pro-rata payments in certain circumstances. The entire amount was presented as current as the Company does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement.

NOTE 15 – EQUITY – ISSUED CAPITAL

(a) Share capital		
140,670,887 (2011: 130,155,897) ordinary shares fully paid	19,321,999	18,484,444
2,650,000 (2011: 2,650,000) ordinary shares paid to 0.1 cent	2,650	2,650
	19,324,649	18,487,094

(b) Ordinary Shares

Rights attaching to ordinary shares

The ordinary shares have no par value. Ordinary shares entitle the holder to participate in dividends and in the proceeds on winding up of the Company in proportion to the number of and amounts paid on the shares held. On a show of hands every holder of ordinary shares present at a meeting in person or by proxy is entitled to one vote and upon a poll each share is entitled to one vote. The fully paid ordinary shares are listed on the Australian Securities Exchange and carry no trade restrictions.

Rights attaching to partly paid ordinary shares

The partly paid ordinary shares are not transferable and may participate in pro-rata entitlements only to the extent of the capital paid up. They may be converted to fully paid shares at any time on payment of the amount unpaid upon which application will be made for listing of the shares on the Australian Securities Exchange. The resulting fully paid ordinary shares have the same rights as other ordinary shares. The shares are subject to calls on uncalled capital at the discretion of the Directors.

The Company's capital risk management policy is set out in Note 2.

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NOTE 15 – EQUITY - ISSUED CAPITAL (Continued)

(c) Movements in ordinary share capital during the past two years

Fully Paid Shares

Date	Details	Number of shares	Issue price cents	Amount $
2012				
1 July 2011	Balance	130,155,897		18,484,444
	Issue of ordinary shares	10,514,990	8	841,199
	Capital raising costs	-		(3,644)
30 June 2012	Balance	140,670,887		19,321,999
2011				
1 July 2010	Balance	130,155,897		18,484,444
	No movement	-	-	-
30 June 2011	Balance	130,155,897		18,484,444

Partly Paid Shares

Date	Details	Number of shares	Weighted average issue price cents	Amount outstanding $	Paid up per share cents	Total paid up $
2012						
1 July 2011	Balance	2,650,000	20.6	542,350	0.1	2,650
	No movement	-		-		-
30 June 2012	Balance	2,650,000	20.6	542,350	0.1	2,650
2011						
1 July 2010	Balance	2,650,000	20.6	542,350	0.1	2,650
	No movement	-		-		-
30 June 2011	Balance	2,650,000	20.6	542,350	0.1	2,650

(d) Shares Options - Unlisted

Options on issue and movements in options

	2012 Number of Options	2011 Number of Options	Grant Date	Expiry Date	Exercise Price Per option cents
At 1 July	500,000	-			
Options issued: staff	-	500,000	7 Dec 2010	6 Dec 2013	30
Options exercised	-	-			
Options lapsed	-	-			
At 30 June	500,000	500,000			

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NOTE 16 – EQUITY – RESERVES	2012 $	2011 $
Available for sale financial assets	(82,500)	209,000
Share based payments	206,265	206,265
	123,765	415,265

Nature and purpose of reserves

The share based payments reserve records items recognised as expenses on valuation of partly paid shares and options issued to employees.

The available for sale financial asset reserve arises from changes in the fair value of equities classified as available-for-sale financial assets. The changes in value are recognised in other comprehensive income as described in note 1(g) and accumulated in a separate reserve within equity. Amounts are reclassified to profit or loss when the associated assets are sold or impaired.

NOTE 17 – KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL DISCLOSURES

(a) Key management personnel compensation

Short-term employee benefits	169,240	176,763
Post-employment benefits	41,666	50,000
Termination benefits	184,488	-
Share-based payments	-	-
	395,394	226,763

Further information regarding the identity of key management personnel and their compensation can be found in the Audited Remuneration Report contained in the Directors' Report accompanying these financial statements.

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NOTE 17 – KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL DISCLOSURES (Continued)

(b) Shareholdings

The numbers of shares held during the year by key management personnel, including those held by their personally related entities are set out below:

2012	Balance 1 July 2011	Received as remuneration	Shares paid up	Net changes other	Balance 30 June 2012
Fully paid shares					
Directors					
J N Pitt	46,965,072	-	-	4,696,506	51,661,578
N Tomkinson	7,274,700	-	-	719,270	7,993,970
W S Forte	3,095,894	-	-	310,525	3,406,419
	57,335,666	-	-	5,726,301	63,061,967
Partly paid shares					
Directors					
W S Forte					
Issued for 10 cents paid to 0.1cent	200,000	-	-	-	200,000
Issued for 20 cents paid to 0.1cent	1,200,000	-	-	-	1,200,000
Issued for 25 cents paid to 0.1cent	500,000	-	-	-	500,000
	1,900,000	-	-	-	1,900,000

There were no shares granted as compensation during the reporting period.

Net changes other relate to shares purchased or sold during the financial year.

2011	Balance 1 July 2010	Received as remuneration	Shares paid up	Net changes other	Balance 30 June 2011
Fully paid shares					
Directors					
J N Pitt	46,965,072	-	-	-	46,965,072
N Tomkinson	7,274,700	-	-	-	7,274,700
W S Forte	3,095,894	-	-	-	3,095,894
	57,335,666	-	-	-	57,335,666
Partly paid shares					
Directors					
W S Forte					
Issued for 10 cents paid to 0.1cent	200,000	-	-	-	200,000
Issued for 20 cents paid to 0.1cent	1,200,000	-	-	-	1,200,000
Issued for 25 cents paid to 0.1cent	500,000	-	-	-	500,000
	1,900,000	-	-	-	1,900,000

None of the shares are held nominally.

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NOTE 17 – KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL DISCLOSURES (Continued)

(b) Shareholdings(Continued)

The relevant interest of Mr Tomkinson and Mr Pitt in the shares of the Company is their combined holding of 59,655,548 shares (2011: 54,239,772 shares).

(c) Options

No options are held by key management personnel.

(d) Loans

There are no loans made to directors or other key management personnel of the Company, other than those disclosed at Note 21(b).

NOTE 18 – REMUNERATION OF AUDITORS

	2012 $	2011 $
During the year the following fees were paid or payable for services provided by the auditor of the Company, its related practices and non-related audit firms:		
Amounts received, or due and receivable, by BDO Audit (WA) Pty Ltd for:		
Auditing the financial report of the Company	22,548	24,819
Other services	-	-
	22,548	24,819

NOTE 19 – CONTINGENCIES

Contingent Liabilities

There are no contingent liabilities for termination benefits under service agreements with Directors or executives at 30 June 2012.

The Directors are not aware of any other contingent liabilities at 30 June 2012.

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NOTE 20 – COMMITMENTS

(a) Mineral Tenements

In order to maintain the mineral tenements in which the Company and other parties are involved, the minimum annual expenditure conditions under which the tenements are granted need to be fulfilled. The minimum estimated expenditure in accordance with the requirements of the Western Australian Department of Mines and Petroleum for the next financial year is set out below:

	2012 $	2011 $
Minimum estimated expenditure requirements	135,086	198,266

Following the Company's recent decision to suspend its non-iron ore exploration activities, the Company will endeavour to minimise its exploration expenditure and may not incur the full commitment.

(b) Operating Leases

Commitment for minimum lease payments in relation to a non-cancellable operating lease of the Company's premises are payable as follows:

Within one year	104,715	99,405
Later than one year, but not longer than five years	-	-
	104,715	99,405

NOTE 21 – RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

(a) Key management personnel

Directors of the Company during the financial year were:

JN Pitt
N Tomkinson
WF Forte

Disclosures relating to key management personnel are set out in Note 17.

(b) Other transactions with director-related entities

The Company has a 75% contributing interest in a joint venture with Metallica Pty Ltd, a company of which Mr Tomkinson and Mr Pitt are directors and which is controlled by entities associated with Mr Pitt.

During the financial year the Company received $27,424 (2011: $56,394) from Red Hill Iron Limited, a listed company of which Mr Pitt and Mr Tomkinson are directors and shareholders, for rental of office space and administration services supplied by the Company on normal commercial terms and conditions determined on an arms length basis between the companies.

During the financial year the Company received, and repaid, a short term working capital facility of $330,000 from Wythenshawe Pty Ltd, a company of which Mr Pitt is a shareholder. The loan was on normal commercial terms and conditions and bore interest at 5% per annum.

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NOTE 22 – INTERESTS IN JOINT VENTURES

The Company has interests in the following mineral exploration joint ventures as at 30 June 2012:

Name of Project	Interest	Activities	Other parties
Weld Range - Ferrous	100%	Iron Ore	Sinosteel Midwest Corporation Ltd (earning 60%)
Weld Range - Non Ferrous	0%	Right to 100% interest in base metals gold and PGMs subject to royalty	Sinosteel Midwest Corporation Ltd 100% (Hampton can earn up to 100%)

The Company's joint ventures do not constitute separate legal entities but are contractual agreements between the participants for the sharing of costs and output and do not in themselves generate revenue and profit. Refer Note 1(o).

NOTE 23 – EVENTS OCCURRING AFTER BALANCE DATE

To the best of the Directors' knowledge and belief there have been no material items, transactions or events subsequent to 30 June 2012 which, although they do not relate to conditions existing at that date, have not been dealt with in these financial statements and which would cause reliance on the information shown in this report to be misleading.

NOTE 24 – CASH FLOW INFORMATION

	2012 $	2011 $
Reconciliation of loss after income tax to net cash flow from operating activities		
Loss after income tax	(1,537,131)	(1,203,311)
Depreciation	2,407	9,126
Exploration expenditure written off	683,106	658,589
Loss on disposal of tenements	409,790	-
Exploration expenditure capitalised	(392,923)	(710,258)
Net loss on disposal of assets	-	409
Impairment of asset held for sale	-	220,000
Value of share based payments	-	69,065
Change in operating assets and liabilities:		
Decrease/(Increase) in debtors	(1,986)	22,983
Increase/(Decrease) in creditors	(134,893)	51,370
(Increase)/Decrease in GST receivable	15,830	(6,077)
Decrease/(Increase) in security deposit	-	6,000
Net cash outflow from operating activities	(955,799)	(882,104)

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NOTE 25 – EARNINGS PER SHARE	2012 Cents	2011 Cents
Basic and diluted loss per share		
From continuing operations attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Company	1.1	0.9
Reconciliation of loss	**$**	**$**
The loss used in calculating the basic and diluted loss is equal to the loss attributed to ordinary equity holders of the Company in the Statement of Comprehensive Income	1,537,131	1,203,311
	No. of Shares	**No. of Shares**
Weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the year used in the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share	135,684,843	130,173,675

The weighted average number of ordinary shares used in calculating basic and diluted loss per share is derived from the fully paid and partly paid ordinary shares on issue.

The diluted loss per share is the same as the basic loss per share on account of the Company's potential ordinary shares (in the form of partly paid shares to the extent that they are not entitled to participate in dividends) not being dilutive because their conversion to fully paid ordinary shares would not increase the loss per share.

NOTE 26 - SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS

The Company from time to time issues partly-paid ordinary shares and options to key management personnel and other employees as part of their remuneration. To date 2,650,000 partly-paid shares and 500,000 options have been issued in terms of this remuneration practice and details of these partly paid shares and options including movements over the past two years are set out in Note 15.

No options were issued during the year.

DIRECTORS' DECLARATION

The directors of the Company declare that:

1. The financial statements, comprising the statement of comprehensive income, statement of financial position, statement of cash flows, statement of changes in equity, accompanying notes, are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* and:
   (a) comply with Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*; and
   (b) give a true and fair view of the financial position as at 30 June 2012 and of the performance for the year ended on that date of the Company.
2. In the directors' opinion, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.
3. The directors have been given the declarations by the chief executive officer and chief financial officer required by section 295A of the *Corporations Act 2001*.
4. The Company has included in the notes to the financial statements an explicit and unreserved statement of compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors and is signed for and on behalf of the directors by:

J N Pitt
Chairman

Perth 21 September 2012

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF HAMPTON HILL MINING NL

Report on the Financial Report

We have audited the accompanying financial report of Hampton Hill Mining NL, which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2012, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the directors' declaration.

Directors' Responsibility for the Financial Report

The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. In Note 1, the directors also state, in accordance with Accounting Standard AASB 101 *Presentation of Financial Statements*, that the financial statements comply with *International Financial Reporting Standards*.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the company's preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the company's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Independence

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001*. We confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, which has been given to the directors of Hampton Hill Mining NL, would be in the same terms if given to the directors as at the time of this auditor's report.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Opinion

In our opinion:

(a) the financial report of Hampton Hill Mining NL is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

  (i) giving a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 30 June 2012 and of its performance for the year ended on that date; and

  (ii) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*; and

(b) the financial report also complies *with International Financial Reporting Standards* as disclosed in Note 1.

Report on the Remuneration Report

We have audited the Remuneration Report included in the directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2012. The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Remuneration Report in accordance with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Remuneration Report, based on our audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards.

Opinion

In our opinion, the Remuneration Report of Hampton Hill Mining NL for the year ended 30 June 2012 complies with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

BDO Audit (WA) Pty Ltd

BDO

Chris Burton
Director

Perth, Western Australia
Dated this 21st day of September 2012

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT

The board of directors ("the Board") of Hampton Hill Mining NL ("Hampton" or the "Company") is responsible for monitoring the business affairs of the Company and protecting the rights and interests of shareholders. High standards of corporate governance are essential to give effect to its responsibilities. The Company's corporate governance arrangements are set and reviewed by the Board on an ad-hoc basis having regard to any changing circumstances of the Company, statutory and regulatory requirements and the best interests of all shareholders. They comply with the ASX Corporate Governance Council's Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations 2nd Edition (the 'Principles').

This statement outlines the Company's approach to corporate governance policy for the financial year ended 30 June 2012. Any documents referenced in this statement as being available on the Company's website can be found on www.hamptonhill.com.au.

1 LAY SOLID FOUNDATIONS FOR MANAGEMENT AND OVERSIGHT

1.1 Functions reserved for the Board and those delegated to senior executives

The Board's key objective is the increase of shareholder value by successful exploration for and/or production of minerals. The Board focuses the Company's activities on pursuing exploration opportunities in the mineral resource business which are judged to have the potential for success without exposing the Company to undue risk. Hampton has one major area of interest namely its interest in the Hampton Hill Mining Iron Ore Joint venture ("HHMJV") with Sinosteel Midwest Corporation Limited in the Weld Range.

The Board is accountable to shareholders for the performance of the Company, and its responsibilities include:

(a) approval of corporate strategy including annual approval of budget and monitoring performance against the budget;

(b) determining the capital structure of the Company;

(c) appointing and determining the duration, remuneration and other terms of appointment of management;

(d) evaluating the performance of management;

(e) approval of financial and other periodic reporting requirements;

(f) approving the risk management strategy and frameworks and monitoring their effectiveness;

(g) corporate governance systems and practices within the company;

(h) approval of investments, corporate acquisitions, new joint ventures; and

(i) appointment of the external auditors and principal advisors.

Due to the concentration of corporate aim and the small size of the Board all issues are considered by the full Board.

Any new directors, who may be appointed to the Board, will be provided with a letter of appointment including their remuneration details together with copies of Company and Board policies, the Constitution and access to prior Board minutes and papers. New directors will also be advised of their confidentiality and disclosure obligations, share trading policy guidelines, indemnity and insurance arrangements.

The Company has not prepared formal letters of appointment for the existing members of the Board.

Senior executives

The Board has recently appointed the Chairman as the chief executive officer of the company. His role as chief executive officer is to manage the Company's interest in the HHMJV pursuant to authority delegated by the Board and implementation of Board and corporate policy and planning in this project. The Chairman reports to the Board regularly and is under an obligation to make sure that all reports which he presents give a true and fair view of the Company's project interests.

1.2 The process for evaluating the performance of executives

The Board is responsible for setting performance objectives and for evaluating performance against them. The Executive Chairman has elected not to receive remuneration for his services.

The Board is responsible for the appointment of the Company Secretary, evaluating his performance on an annual basis and determining his remuneration.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT

2 STRUCTURE THE BOARD TO ADD VALUE

2.1 Board members' independence

None of the Company's three directors are independent in terms of the Relationships affecting Independent Status (the "Categories") in Recommendation 2.1 of the Principles because Mr W Forte is a former executive of the Company and Messrs Tomkinson and Pitt are associated with a substantial shareholding in the Company as defined in the Corporations Act. Additionally Mr Pitt is now an executive of the Company. Notwithstanding this apparent non-compliance the Board is of the opinion that the objectives and current strategy of the Company are best served by retaining the current composition of the Board irrespective of the directors' degree of independence.

A determination with respect to independence is made by the Board on an annual basis. In addition the directors are required on an ongoing basis to disclose relevant personal interests and conflicts of interest which may in turn trigger a review of a director's independent status.

2.2 Chairman's independence

Although the Chairman does not fulfil the criteria set out in Recommendation 2.2 the Board considers that the Company's interests are better served by the retention of the Chairman despite such non-compliance.

2.3 Roles of chairman and chief executive officer

The Company no longer complies with this Principle in that the role of the chief executive officer role is filled by the Chairman.

Role of the Chairman

The Chairman is responsible for the effective management of the Company and conduct of meetings of directors and general meetings of shareholders. He is also responsible for setting the agenda for Board meetings with the Company Secretary and Managing Director. Any director of the Board may request an item of business to be included on the agenda.

The Chairman is the person authorised by the Board to make verbal statements on the Company's behalf.

2.4 The Board should establish a nomination committee

Due to the size of the Company and the composition of the Board, a nomination committee has not been established. No formal procedure governing the appointment of new directors has been established. The Board considers that it is in the best interests of the Company to determine the criteria for the selection of new directors based on any perceived "gaps" in the skill set of the Board as and when a casual vacancy arises.

Retirement and rotation of directors is governed by the Corporations Act and the constitution of the Company. Each year, one-third of the directors must retire and offer themselves for re-election. Any casual vacancy filled between general meetings will be subject to a shareholder vote at the next Annual General Meeting of the Company.

Re-appointment of directors is not automatic. Shareholders are provided with relevant information on each of the candidates for election or, where applicable, re-election.

2.5 Board performance

Due to the size and composition of the Board, the Company does not have a formal process for the performance evaluation of the Board, its committees or individual directors.

Accordingly, no formal performance evaluation for the Board or its members took place in the reporting period.

Directors are encouraged to attend director training and professional development courses, as required, at the Company's expense. New directors will have access to all employees to gain full background on the Company's operations.

All directors have access to company records and information and receive regular financial and operational reports from management. The Chairman and the non-executive directors regularly consult with the Company Secretary and may consult with and request additional information from any employee.

The Board collectively, and each director individually, has the right to seek independent professional advice at the expense of the Company to assist with the discharge of their duties. While the Chairman's prior approval is required, it may not be unreasonably withheld.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT

Company Secretary

The Board is responsible for the appointment of the Company Secretary. The Company Secretary attends all Board meetings and is responsible for providing directors with ongoing guidance and advice on commercial and corporate governance matters. The Company Secretary is also responsible for the preparation of the semi annual and annual accounts.

3. PROMOTE ETHICAL AND RESPONSIBLE DECISION MAKING

3.1 Code of conduct

Due to its size, activities, and the number of employees, the Company has not adopted a formal code of conduct, but is committed to achieving the following objectives:

(a) ensuring that all of its business affairs are conducted legally, ethically and with integrity;

(b) ensuring that the Company itself and its joint venturers who act as operators of projects in which the Company has an interest adopt high standards of occupational health and safety, environmental management and ethics;

(c) managing its legal obligations and the reasonable expectations of stakeholders effectively through the development and implementation of a risk management framework which incorporates these key areas; and

(d) fostering and maintaining a culture of ownership, care, professional excellence, confidentiality, integrity and freedom from any conflict or perceived conflict of interest in each of the Company's employees and consultants.

Director Conflict of Interest

All directors are required to disclose any actual or potential conflict of interest upon appointment and are required to maintain these disclosures to the Board up-to-date.

Trading in company securities

The Company's securities trading policy has been disclosed in accordance with the provisions of the ASX Listing Rules and is published on the Company's website.

3.2 Diversity

The Company believes in creating fair and equal access for employees to all employment opportunities and that a diverse workforce will provide the broadest and most effective talent pool. All appointments are nevertheless made on the basis of merit.

Due to the fact that the Company has no permanent employees, the Company does not have a formalised diversity policy in place, but the Board is cognisant of the benefits of diversity and will embrace the adoption of such a policy as and when the Company's growth allows.

3.3 Measurable objectives for achieving gender diversity

The Company will establish measurable objectives for achieving gender diversity as and when its workforce reaches a size that justifies such a policy.

3.4 Employee proportions

As at 30 June 2012 the Company had no full time employees. There were no changes to the Company Secretary and the three board positions, all the holders of which are males.

4. SAFEGUARD INTEGRITY IN FINANCIAL REPORTING

4.1 Audit committee

Hampton's directors do not consider that the Company's affairs are of such a size and complexity as to merit the establishment of a separate audit committee. Until this situation changes, the Board will carry out all audit committee functions.

The Board monitors the form and content of the Company's financial statements; it also maintains an overview of the Company's internal financial control and audit system and risk management systems.

Additionally, the Board, in line with its overall responsibility to shareholders, annually reviews the performance and independence of the external auditor and the continuation of that appointment. The Board also approves the remuneration and terms of engagement of the external auditor. Any appointment of a new external auditor will be submitted for ratification by shareholders at the next annual general meeting of the Company.

Recommendations 4.2 and 4.3 in the Principles do not apply as there is no audit committee.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT

5. MAKE TIMELY AND BALANCED DISCLOSURE

5.1 Compliance with ASX Listing Rule disclosure requirements

Compliance procedures, to ensure timely and balanced disclosure of information in line with the Principles have been noted and adopted by the Company. The Company Secretary is charged with ensuring that any necessary steps which need to be taken by the Company are brought before the Board for discussion and, subject to amendment, approval.

The Company Secretary is responsible for non-material and standard form disclosures to the market. In addition he is responsible for communications with the ASX.

Commentary on Financial Results

The Company provides commentary in conjunction with its half yearly and yearly results in a clear and objective manner to ensure that shareholders and potential shareholders have access to information needed to make an informed assessment of the Company's activities and results.

6. RESPECT THE RIGHTS OF SHAREHOLDERS

6.1 Communication with and participation of Shareholders

The Board aims to ensure that shareholders are fully informed by communicating to shareholders through:

(a) continuous disclosure reporting to the ASX;

(b) quarterly, half yearly and annual reports; and

(c) media releases, copies of which are lodged with ASX and placed on the Company's website, www.hamptonhill.com.au.

The Company has not adopted a formal shareholder communication policy as the Company has been able to communicate effectively with its shareholders in the past and expects to be able to continue to do so. The Company recognises the importance of continuous disclosure to its shareholders and the market and adheres to the Continuous Disclosure requirements of the ASX Listing Rules.

Shareholders are given the option to receive information such as the Annual Report in print or electronic form.

The Company maintains a website at www.hamptonhill.com.au. Shareholders can find all recent information on the Company under various headings on the Company's website, including latest ASX releases, details of its projects and its Corporate Profile. Shareholders may also request a copy of the Company's recent ASX releases.

7. RECOGNISE AND MANAGE RISK

7.1 Oversight and management of material business risks

The Company has a management policy in place for the identification and effective management of risk. The policy provides for the management of risk by the Board and executive reports to the Board, being principally the risks involved in the Company's main business enterprise, namely developing its iron ore interests.

7.2 Design and implementation of systems to manage material business risks

Management has established a register of business risks and identified the material business risks affecting the Company. To the extent possible in a Company with a very small number of staff, internal controls are in place to mitigate against any material business risks. Risks of a strategic, financial and operational nature (such as ability to raise capital to fund exploration, commodity price and currency fluctuations, adequate levels of insurance, contract documentation, resourcing, and meeting financial reporting and compliance obligations) are reviewed on a regular basis by the Board.

Potential operational risks involved in running the Company are managed by the Board. Due to the size of the Company, the Board does not consider it practical to establish a separate committee to focus on these issues.

The Company Secretary and the Executive Chairman, who have overall responsibility for the implementation of the policy, report to the Board on the effective management of risk.

7.3 Compliance with Corporations Act Section 295A

The Board receives a declaration from the Executive Chairman and the Company Secretary covering the matters set out in section 295A of the Corporations Act 2001 and in accordance with the terms stipulated in Recommendation 7.3 of the Principles.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT

8. REMUNERATE FAIRLY AND RESPONSIBLY

8.1 Remuneration committee

The Board does not have a separate remuneration committee due to the small size of the Board and the Company and the limited number of employees. The full Board carries out the functions of a remuneration committee.

The Board on an annual basis reviews executive remuneration and incentive policies, as well as superannuation arrangements. In addition, the Board reviews and approves the audited remuneration report set out in the Directors' Report. The Board where needed consults external consultants and specialists.

8.2 Distinguishing remuneration structure

Currently none of the directors receives remuneration nor do the directors participate in any incentive plans. Directors do not receive any retirement benefits. For information about director remuneration practice, reference can be made to the audited remuneration report set out in the Directors' Report.

SHAREHOLDER INFORMATION

AS AT 29 SEPTEMBER 2012

NUMBER AND DISTRIBUTION OF SHARES AND OPTIONS

	No. listed	No. not listed	Total
Shares			
Ordinary shares fully paid	140,670,887	-	140,670,887
Ordinary shares paid to 0.1 cents per share	-	2,650,000	2,650,000
Options			
Exercisable at 30 cents expiring 10 Dec 2013	-	500,000	500,000

Distribution by holding			No. of shareholders Fully paid	No. of shareholders Partly paid	No. of option holders
1	-	1,000	25	-	-
1,001	-	5,000	94	-	-
5,001	-	10,000	90	-	-
10,001	-	100,000	364	5	3
100,001	+		168	3	1
			741	8	4

MARKETABLE PARCEL

There were 122 holders of less than a marketable parcel of fully paid ordinary shares.

EMPLOYEE INCENTIVE SCHEMES

The partly paid shares and the options were issued under an employee incentive scheme.

SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS

The following shareholders are substantial shareholders of the Company:

NAME	No. of Shares	%
Wythenshawe Pty Ltd, Warramboo Holdings Pty Ltd, and J N Pitt and associates	59,655,548	42.41

VOTING RIGHTS

Subject to any rights or restrictions for the time being attached to any class or classes of shares (at present there are none), at a general meeting every shareholder or class of shareholder present in person or by proxy, attorney or representative has one vote on a show of hands and, on a poll, one vote for each fully paid share which that member holds or represents and, in respect of partly paid shares, voting rights pro-rata to the amount paid up or credited as paid up on each such share.

Any vendor securities which are or might be in breach of the Australian Securities Exchange Listing Rules or any escrow agreement entered into by the Company shall not be entitled to any votes for as long as the breach exists.

SHAREHOLDER INFORMATION

AS AT 29 SEPTEMBER 2012

TOP 20 SHAREHOLDERS

	Shareholders	No of Shares	%
1	J N Pitt	36,755,013	26.13
2	Wythenshawe Pty Ltd	14,888,965	10.59
3	Warramboo Holdings Pty Ltd	7,911,971	5.62
4	K Haynes	3,809,300	2.71
5	Wudina Pty Ltd <Forte Family Retirement Fund A/c>	2,881,140	2.05
6	J & L Hughes <Inkese Super A/c>	2,198,000	1.56
7	Trayburn Pty Ltd	2,191,451	1.56
8	Crescent Nominees Ltd	1,908,341	1.36
9	Evergem Pty Ltd	1,873,972	1.33
10	Rupert Clarke & Co Pty Ltd	1,705,000	1.21
11	O & B Kelly <O & B Kelly Superfund A/c>	1,650,011	1.17
12	Emorgo Foundation Pty Ltd	1,355,000	0.96
13	Bluejay Enterprises Pty Ltd <Rage Superfund A/c>	1,289,405	0.92
14	W B Whitfield & S Garlick <Whitfield Superfund A/c>	1,085,758	0.77
15	T E & C G McMahon Nominees Pty Ltd <McMahon Superfund No 2 A/c>	1,059,130	0.75
16	E Leahy	1,000,000	0.71
17	M & H Mansfield <Mansfield Family Superfund A/c>	985,302	0.70
18	Gemstone Holdings 08 Pty Ltd <Sapphire A/c>	945,000	0.67
19	K L Enders	879,098	0.63
20	M C Lynch	855,000	0.61
		87,226,857	62.01

MINERAL TENEMENT INFORMATION

PROJECT	TENEMENT	REGISTERED HOLDING	NOTES	TITLE HOLDER	JOINT VENTURER
Ryansville	E20/0626	100%		Hampton Hill Mining NL	
	P20/1961	100%		Hampton Hill Mining NL	
Weebacarry	E51/1021	100%		Hampton Hill Mining NL	
Glenview/ Midwest Ferrous	M20/311	0%	(1)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd
	MLA20/503	0%	(1)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd
	MLA20/518	0%	(1)(2)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd
	MLA51/869	0%	(1)(3)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd
	E20/625	0%	(1)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd
	E20/641	0%	(1)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd
	P51/2581	0%	(1)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd
	P20/2016	0%	(1)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd
	P20/2077 & 2078	0%	(1)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd
	P20/2080	0%	(1)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd
Glenview / Midwest Non-ferrous	E20/457 & 459	0%	(4)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	
	E20/492 & 595	0%	(4)(5)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	
	E51/ 907	0%	(4)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	
	M20/419	0%	(4)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	
	P20/2082-2086	0%	(4)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	
	P51/2605-2613	0%	(4)	Sinosteel Midwest Corp. Ltd	
Apollo Hill	E31/685	Royalty	(6)	Apollo MiningPty Ltd	
	E39/1198	Royalty	(6)	Apollo Mining Pty Ltd	
	E39/1236	Royalty	(6)	Apollo Mining Pty Ltd	
	E31/800	Royalty	(6)	Apollo Mining Pty Ltd	
	P31/1797	Royalty	(6)	Apollo Mining Pty Ltd	
	P39/4586 - 4592	Royalty	(6)	Apollo Mining Pty Ltd	
	P39/4677 - 4679	Royalty	(6)	Apollo Mining Pty Ltd	
	P39/4789	Royalty	(6)	Apollo Mining Pty Ltd	
Capricorn	E52/1830	Royalty	(7)	BHP Billiton Iron Ore (Jimblebar) Ptv Ltd	
Mt Monger	P26/3426	Royalty	(8)	Integra Mining Limited	
Northlander JV	P15/4891-4899	Royalty	(9)	Phoenix Gold Pty Ltd	
	P15/4901	Royalty	(9)	Phoenix Gold Pty Ltd	
	P15/5024 & 5025	Royalty	(9)	Phoenix Gold Pty Ltd	
	P16/2415-2418	Royalty	(9)	Phoenix Gold Pty Ltd	
	P15/4658 & 4659	Royalty	(9)	Phoenix Gold Pty Ltd	
	M15/696	Royalty	(9)	Phoenix Gold Pty Ltd	
	P15/4900	Royalty	(9)	Cazaly Resources Ltd	
	P15/5022 & 5023	Royalty	(9)	Cazaly Resources Ltd	
	P16/2238 & 2239	Royalty	(9)	Phoenix Gold Pty Ltd	
Mt Mulcahy	E20/640	100%		Hampton Hill Mining NL	

MINERAL TENEMENT INFORMATION

NOTES

(1) These are tenements held by Sinosteel Midwest Corporation Limited on behalf of the parties to the Weld Range Joint Venture with Hampton; beneficial ownership of these tenements is determined by and subject to the terms of this joint venture. Hampton's beneficial interest in these tenements is currently 100%.

(2) MLA20/518 is a mining lease application includes a portion of E20/625.

(3) MLA51/869 is a mining lease application which includes P51/2581 and the eastern portion of E20/641.

(4) Hampton has the right to explore for and develop base metals, gold and platinum group metals on all of these tenements subject to paying a net smelter return royalty of 1.5% to Sinosteel Midwest Corporation Limited.

(5) Hampton also has rights to ferrous materials on the western portion of E20/595 which was held under former MLA20/472.

(6) Peel Mining Limited (Peel) exercised an option agreement with Hampton whereby Peel acquired the entire issued capital of Hampton's wholly owned subsidiary company, Apollo Mining Pty Ltd. Hampton retains a 5% gross overriding royalty on all Apollo Hill gold production exceeding one million ounces.

(7) Hampton retains a 1.1% net smelter return royalty on ore produced from this tenement.

(8) Hampton retains a royalty of $1.00 per tonne of ore mined up to 100,000 tonnes and then $2.00 per tonne thereafter.

(9) Interests in tenements sold to Cazaly Resources Limited who subsequently assigned rights to Phoenix Gold Pty Limited. Hampton retains a 0.98% net smelter return royalty on ore produced from the tenements.

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