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ASX code: RXM

Appendix 3B - Release of Escrowed Securities

Rex Minerals Ltd ("Rex") would like to apply for full quotation of the following securities that were due for release from escrow on 20 July 2008 and an Appendix 3B follows accordingly:

- 500,000 ordinary shares fully paid.

The following securities remain subject to ASX Escrow:

- Until 20 September 2009: 15,330,000 fully paid ordinary shares; 4,500,000 unlisted options.

For more information about Rex Minerals and its projects please visit our website www.rexminerals.com.au or contact: Steven Olsen (Managing Director) or Amber Rivamonte (Company Secretary)

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Background

Rex listed on the ASX in September 2007, raising \$7 million and entering into a drilling alliance with Titeline Drilling Pty Ltd, which has secured the services of at least one drill rig for a period of two years.

Rex now has ownership of projects covering the commodities of Gold, Silver, Copper and Iron. They are located in the Eastern states (SA, Vic and NSW) and within geological terranes that are known for their endowment in these commodities. The strategy at Rex is to acquire highly prospective projects with potential to host high grade and hence profitable deposits. Rex then applies its extensive technical experience and existing drilling capacity to progress these projects.

Rex is searching for the Iron Oxide Copper Gold (IOCG) style of mineralisation at its 100% owned Moonta South (including the Hillside Project) and Wandearah projects in South Australia. IOCG mineralisation and alteration is typical of the Olympic Dam and Prominent Hill deposits. Rex also owns an Iron Ore project near the township of Cowell in South Australia. The Cowell Iron Ore Project is interpreted by Rex to host the extension of the Middleback Range iron formation which has recorded production of over 200Mt of high grade (>60%) iron ore.

Rex also has 100% ownership of two gold projects in Victoria, which are the St Arnaud Project and the North Creswick Project. The St Arnaud Project produced over 360,000ozs historically at an average recovered grade of over 15g/t. Rex is looking for geological repeats of the historical mineralisation at St Arnaud. At the North Creswick Project, historical mining produced 1.7Mozs of gold, from ancient river channels under a cover sequence of more recent rocks. Rex is looking for new structures underneath the large gold deposits at North Creswick in an attempt to discover new large quartz hosted gold deposits similar to what has been identified at Ballarat.

Rex has an option to acquire the Mt Carrington Gold-Silver Project. Mt Carrington has 240,000 ozs of gold equivalent resources with large scale high grade gold potential. The style of deposit defined at Mt Carrington hosts some of the highest grade and most profitable gold mines in the world. This means that there is a significant opportunity to discover high grade mineralisation at depth beneath the extensive shallow gold and silver mineralisation which would be amenable to large scale mining.

Rex currently has 53 million fully paid ordinary shares on issue and 7.5 million unlisted options.

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New issue announcement, application for quotation of additional securities and agreement

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

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

Name of entity

Rex Minerals Ltd

ABN

12 124 960 523

We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

Part 1 - All issues

You must complete the relevant sections (attach sheets if there is not enough space).

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| 1 | +Class of +securities issued or to be issued | Fully Paid Ordinary Shares |
| 2 | Number of +securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued | 500,000 |
| 3 | Principal terms of the +securities (eg, if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid +securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if +convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion) | Fully Paid Ordinary Shares |

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<p>4 Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing +class of quoted +securities?</p> <p>If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the date from which they do • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment 	<p>Yes</p>				
<p>5 Issue price or consideration</p>	<p>\$0.25</p>				
<p>6 Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)</p>	<p>Release of Escrowed Securities on 20 July as outlined in the Prospectus dated 10 August 2007.</p>				
<p>7 Dates of entering +securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates</p>	<p>21 July 2008</p>				
<p>8 Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable)</p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="721 1369 997 1394">Number</th> <th data-bbox="1002 1369 1261 1394">+Class</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="721 1400 997 1600"> 37,235,000 (52,565,000 Ordinary Fully Paid Securities including unquoted restricted securities) </td> <td data-bbox="1002 1400 1261 1600"> Ordinary Shares </td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Number	+Class	37,235,000 (52,565,000 Ordinary Fully Paid Securities including unquoted restricted securities)	Ordinary Shares
Number	+Class				
37,235,000 (52,565,000 Ordinary Fully Paid Securities including unquoted restricted securities)	Ordinary Shares				

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9	Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable)	Number 7,500,000	+Class Options
10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	N/A	

Part 2 - Bonus issue or pro rata issue

11	Is security holder approval required?		
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?		
13	Ratio in which the +securities will be offered		
14	+Class of +securities to which the offer relates		
15	+Record date to determine entitlements		
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?		
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions		
18	Names of countries in which the entity has +security holders who will not be sent new issue documents <small>Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with. Cross reference: rule 7.7.</small>		
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations		

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| 20 | Names of any underwriters | |
| 21 | Amount of any underwriting fee or commission | |
| 22 | Names of any brokers to the issue | |
| 23 | Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue | |
| 24 | Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of +security holders | |
| 25 | If the issue is contingent on +security holders' approval, the date of the meeting | |
| 26 | Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled | |
| 27 | If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders | |
| 28 | Date rights trading will begin (if applicable) | |
| 29 | Date rights trading will end (if applicable) | |
| 30 | How do +security holders sell their entitlements <i>in full</i> through a broker? | |
| 31 | How do +security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance? | |

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- 32 How do ⁺security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?
- 33 ⁺Despatch date

Part 3 - Quotation of securities

You need only complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities

- 34 Type of securities
(tick one)
- (a) Securities described in Part 1
- (b) All other securities
Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities

Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

Additional securities forming a new class of securities

Tick to indicate you are providing the information or documents

- 35 If the ⁺securities are ⁺equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional ⁺securities, and the number and percentage of additional ⁺securities held by those holders
- 36 If the ⁺securities are ⁺equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional ⁺securities setting out the number of holders in the categories
1 - 1,000
1,001 - 5,000
5,001 - 10,000
10,001 - 100,000
100,001 and over
- 37 A copy of any trust deed for the additional ⁺securities

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Entities that have ticked box 34(b)

38 Number of securities for which
 +quotation is sought

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39 Class of +securities for which
 quotation is sought

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40 Do the +securities rank equally in all
 respects from the date of allotment
 with an existing +class of quoted
 +securities?

If the additional securities do not
 rank equally, please state:

- the date from which they do
- the extent to which they
 participate for the next dividend,
 (in the case of a trust,
 distribution) or interest payment
- the extent to which they do not
 rank equally, other than in
 relation to the next dividend,
 distribution or interest payment

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41 Reason for request for quotation
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Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of
 restriction period

(if issued upon conversion of
 another security, clearly identify that
 other security)

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	Number	+Class
42 Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 38)		

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Quotation agreement

- 1 +Quotation of our additional +securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the +securities on any conditions it decides.
- 2 We warrant the following to ASX.
 - The issue of the +securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
 - There is no reason why those +securities should not be granted +quotation.
 - An offer of the +securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.
Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty
 - Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any +securities to be quoted and that no-one has any right to return any +securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the +securities be quoted.
 - If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the +securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the +securities be quoted.
- 3 We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.
- 4 We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document not available now, will give it to ASX before +quotation of the +securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

Sign here:



(Company secretary)

Date: 21 July 2008

Print name: Amber Rivamonte.....

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