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# **DISCLOSURE POLICY**

#### COMMITMENT TO FULL DISCLOSURE

Global Masters Fund Limited (Company) is committed to:

- Providing full and timely access to the market of information about the Company's activities;
- Complying with its disclosure obligations under the Australian Stock Exchange Listing Rules ("Listing Rules") and the Corporations Act; and
- Ensuring that the Company's stakeholders are able to access externally available information issued by the Company.

Examples of price sensitive information include:

- Profit or Loss announcements
- Details of proposed share issues;
- Involvement of the Company in takeovers, acquisitions or asset sales; and
- Significant changes in operations.

This policy has been endorsed by the Board of the Company and is managed by the Company Secretary. The Company Secretary is primarily responsible for co-ordinating the disclosure of information to regulators and Shareholders on behalf of the Company, in consultation with the Board and other executives as required.

This Policy will be reviewed regularly to ensure that it reflects any legislative or regulatory requirements.

## **CONTINUOUS DISCLOSURE**

The Listing Rules require the Company to immediately disclose to the Australian Stock Exchange ("ASX") any information that is "price sensitive", in the sense that a reasonable person would expect the information to have a material effect on the price or value of the Company's securities.

A reasonable person would be taken to expect information to have a material effect on the price of the Company's securities if the information would, or would be likely to, influence investors in deciding whether to trade in or hold those securities.

However, the Company is not required to disclose that information if:

- A reasonable person would not expect the information to be disclosed; and
- The information is confidential and ASX has not formed the view that the information has ceased to be confidential; and
- The information is of a kind exempted under Listing Rule 3.1.3 (e.g. Disclosure of the information would breach the law, the information concerns an incomplete proposal or negotiation, is insufficiently definite, is generated for internal management purposes or is a trade secret).

All three of these requirements must be met for the information to be exempt from disclosure.



There may, however, be circumstances where, even though all of the requirements in the Listing Rule discussed above exempt the information from disclosure, the ASX considers that there is or is likely to be a false market in the Company's securities (for example, because of press speculation or market rumour). In these circumstances, ASX may direct the Company to make a clarifying statement or make a clarifying statement to prevent or correct the false market.

## BRIEFINGS TO INVESTORS AND ANALYSTS

From time to time, authorised spokespersons may conduct open or one-to-one briefings with investors and/or analysts. For any substantive presentations given, the presentation material must be announced to the market prior to the presentation.

As a matter of policy, the Company will not disclose any market sensitive information at such briefings that has not previously been disclosed to the market generally.

### NOTIFICATION OF RELEVANT INFORMATION

All Directors and Officers are required to inform the Company Secretary immediately if they become aware of any price sensitive information relating to the Company. The Company Secretary, in consultation with the Board, will consider whether disclosure to ASX is required.

## TIMING OF RELEASES

Any price sensitive information must be released to the market through the ASX.

# NOTICE OF MARKET ANNOUNCEMENTS

In accordance with the ASX Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations, it is the responsibility of the Company Secretary to ensure the Board receives copies of all market announcements promptly after they have been made.

## MARKET SPECULATION

As a general rule, the Company will not comment on market speculation unless required by the ASX.

# **AUTHORISED SPOKESPERSONS**

Officers authorised to speak on behalf of the Company on market disclosure issues are:

- The Chairman;
- The Managing Director;
- Company Secretary; and
- Other officers nominated by one of the above persons from time to time.

Any other staff contacted for comment by third parties must always refer the inquiry to the Managing Director, or Chairman.