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Conference program: Tuesday, 25 November 2008

8.00 Conference registration

8.30 **Opening remarks from the chair**

8.40 Achieving a balance between indigenous interests and commercial objectives

- Mediating between indigenous and non-indigenous interests
- Examining mutual responsibility and managing community expectations while achieving real outcomes
- · Hear about developments in major recent cases
- NIRB: future directions and implications for stakeholders *Greg McIntyre*, *Barrister*, *John Toohey Chambers*

9.40 **JORC and ASX Listing Rules, the benefits and operation in** public reporting

- Defining the obligations under JORC and ASX Listing Rules
- · Update on recent changes
- Understanding the liability of Competent Persons
- Meeting reporting benchmarks and satisfying continuous disclosure obligations
- Minimising risk of potential penalties for non-compliance Mark Adams, Deputy Chairman, JORC James Rowe, State Manager Issuers, ASX Ltd

10.40 Morning tea

11.00 Tackling the big issues in technology procurement

- Breaking down the barriers between the mining and technology sectors
- Avoiding pitfalls for mining companies procuring sophisticated technology systems
- Utilising contractual clauses to manage procurement effectively

Bruce Legorburu, Partner, Minter Ellison

11.50 Keeping up-to-date with the latest developments in the Safety Case Regime

- What is it and do you need one?
- Case study of recent experiences in risk assessments for the Safety Case
- 10 Critical steps in implementation of the Safety Case
- Competency requirements for implementing the Safety Case

Alf Standen, Director and Consulting Partner, Corporate Incident Management

1.00 Networking lunch for delegates and speakers

1.40 The Carbon Emissions Trading Scheme

Delegates are invited to submit questions online prior to the conference or jump into the action of the quickfire Q & A session on the day. Fire some questions at David and Simon and see what the experts shoot back.

David Hodgkinson, Principal, **The Hodgkinson Group** and **Simon Dawkins**, **Managing Director**,

The Oil Mallee Company of Australia Ltd

David Hodgkinson is a member of The Hodgkinson Group (Aviation and Climate Change Advisors), Special Counsel with national law firm Clayton Utz and Executive Director of EcoCarbon Inc. He is also a Visting Fellow at the University of Western Australia and was formerly Director of Legal Services at the International Air Transport Association (IATA), the organisation of the world's airlines, in Montreal. David is the author of Global Climate Change: Australian Law and Policy (LexisNexis, 2008) and Strategies for Airlines on Aircraft Emissions and Climate Change: Sustainable, Long-Term Solutions, as well as many other books, papers and articles.

Simon Dawkins is Managing Director of The Oil Mallee Company of Australia Ltd (a leader in developing carbon sequestration methodologies and bioenergy programs) and a Director of EcoCarbon Inc. Simon is an economist with experience spanning the Commonwealth, ACT and WA governments at a strategic policy level. Most recently, as the Director of both the Social and Economic Policy Units in the WA Department of the Premier and Cabinet, Simon's extensive work on climate change and sustainability issues has included work with intergovernmental committees and expert panels. He had an active role in developing the legislation for WA's carbon sinks and was part of the Australian delegation at the UNFCCC Conference.

2.40 Afternoon tea

2.50 **Debating infrastructure issues**

- Part IIIA of the TPA is the national access regime operating efficiently?
- BHPBIO v NCC & FMG Analysis of the High Court's decision on rail access in the Pilbara
- Implications of the decision and next steps Caroline Brown, Partner, Lavan Legal

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nteractive quickfire Q & A forum

- 3.50 Investigating the new era of drafting contracts for concurrent and co-operative mining and petroleum activities
 - Defining key variables in scenario planning
 - Drafting clauses to determine ownership and access to competing resources
 - Minimising the risk of non-compliance with legislation and regulations
 - What information must your clients disclose?
 - Preventing unnecessary delays by drafting effective dispute resolution clauses
 - Reducing the risk of disputes with workable split commodity agreements

Goran Galic, Senior Associate, Clayton Utz

4.50 Close of conference

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