



3 February 2009

Cancellation of Options

Tri Origin Minerals Ltd, advises that 66,000 unvested options to acquire ordinary shares in the Company have been cancelled. These options were held by an employee who ceased employment with the Company on 31 January 2009. Details of the options are as follows:

ASX Code	Number of Options Cancelled	Expiry Date	Exercise Price
TROAA	66,000	26 / 11 / 2012	\$1.09

Following the cancellation of these options, the Company has the following securities on issue:

Description	ASX Code	Number	Expiry Date	Exercise Price
Quoted Securities				
<i>Ordinary shares</i>	TRO	101,918,234	n/a	n/a
Unquoted Securities				
<i>Options¹</i>	TROAQ	3,000,000	01 / 11 / 2009	\$0.20
	TROAM	1,340,000	09 / 03 / 2011	\$0.25
	TROAK	800,000	11 / 08 / 2012	\$1.54
	TROAK	200,000	26 / 09 / 2012	\$1.54
	TROAW	<u>1,400,000</u>	22 / 06 / 2012	\$1.36
		6,740,000		
<i>Options²</i>	TROAI	400,000	26 / 10 / 2010	\$0.20
	TROAS	370,000	08 / 06 / 2011	\$0.30
	TROAN	600,000	10 / 02 / 2012	\$1.21
	TROAY	60,000	24 / 05 / 2012	\$1.14
	TROAA	54,000	26 / 11 / 2012	\$1.09
	TROAB	1,000,000	01 / 12 / 2012	\$1.07
	TROAC	<u>500,000</u>	18 / 03 / 2013	\$0.73
		2,984,000		

Notes:

- Options issued to Directors and Executives with specific shareholder approval.
- Options issued pursuant to Employee Share Option Plan approved by Shareholders.

For clarification of the above:

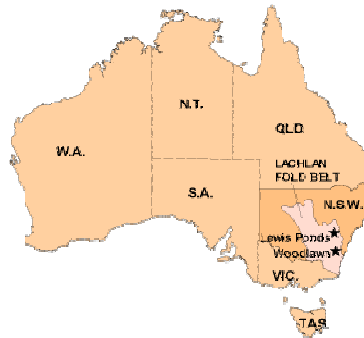
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About Tri Origin (ASX:TRO)

Tri Origin Minerals Ltd (ASX:TRO) is an Australian public company, which aims to become the next base metals producer in the Lachlan Fold Belt of New South Wales, Australia.

Tri Origin has a clear strategy of establishing production and cash flow from its projects, with the current focus being on the Woodlawn Zinc-Copper Projects near Goulburn, NSW, comprising the Woodlawn Retreatment Project and Woodlawn Underground Project



The Company has in excess of 28 million tonnes (Mt) of Mineral Resources, including the JORC compliant Mineral Resources of the Woodlawn Underground Project (10.1 Mt), the Woodlawn Retreatment Project (11.7 Mt) and the Lewis Ponds Project (6.6 Mt). The in situ metal value of the Company's resource portfolio is dominated by zinc and copper with the balance attributable to lead, gold and silver.