



# **Amaroq Minerals Ltd.**

## **AUDITED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

For the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022

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## Independent Auditor's Report

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To the Shareholders of Amaroq Minerals Ltd.

### Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Amaroq Minerals Ltd. and its subsidiaries (the "Group"), which comprise the consolidated statements of financial position as at December 31, 2023 and 2022, and the consolidated statements of comprehensive loss, changes in equity and cash flows for the years then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including material accounting policy information.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Group as at December 31, 2023 and 2022, and its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs).

### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

#### *Determination of commencement of development stage*

#### *Description of the key audit matter*

As described in Note 3.7.1, management determined that the technical feasibility and commercial viability ("TFCV") of the Nalunaq Project was established with an effective date of September 1, 2023. Once TFCV has been determined, the property is considered to be a mine under development and any development costs incurred are classified as a capital asset.

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This was a key audit matter due to the judgment that was required by management in assessing the TFCV of the Nalunaq Project.

Refer to Note 4.4 – Critical accounting judgments and assumptions and Note 9 – Capital assets to the consolidated financial statements.

*How the key audit matter was addressed in the audit*

Our approach included but was not limited to the following procedures:

- Considered the judgment made by management in determining that TFCV was reached based on available guidance, which included the following:
  - o Evaluated the reasonableness of management's judgments in assessing whether the technical feasibility and commercial viability of extracting the mineral resource have been established by considering (i) the Board of Directors' minutes; (ii) technical reports; (iii) permits issued by the government; and (iv) whether management's judgments were consistent with evidence obtained in other areas of the audit.
- Reviewed supporting evidence of the financing obtained for management to pursue its development activities.

*Valuation of restricted share units (RSUs)*

*Description of the key audit matter*

On December 30, 2022, conditional awards were granted to certain participants under the Company's RSU plan, subject to a service condition and a market performance condition tied to the generation of shareholder value over a four-year performance period.

This was a key audit matter due to the assumptions that must be included in the initial fair value measurement of the RSUs, including but not limited to the estimated share price on the measurement dates and volatility.

Refer to Note 4.6 – Critical accounting judgments and assumptions and Note 13.2 Restricted share unit to the consolidated financial statements.

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### *How the key audit matter was addressed in the audit*

Our approach included but was not limited to the following procedures:

- Evaluated the reasonableness of management's assumptions included in the fair value model of the RSUs;
- Performed a sensitivity analysis on key inputs; and
- Involved valuation specialists to assess appropriateness of the model used by management and to re-perform the fair value calculation.

### Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises:

- The information, other than the consolidated financial statements and our auditor's report thereon, included in the Annual Report; and
- The information included in the Management's Discussion and Analysis.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not and will not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

We obtained the Management's Discussion and Analysis prior to the date of this auditor's report. If, based on the work we have performed on this other information, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact in this auditor's report. We have nothing to report in this regard.

The Annual Report is expected to be made available to us after the date of the auditor's report. If, based on the work we will perform on this other information, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact to those charged with governance.

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### Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRSs, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements. As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 Group's internal control.

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- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.



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The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Anne-Marie Henson.

*BDO Canada s.r.l./S.E.N.C.R.L./LLP*

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Montréal, Québec  
March 26, 2024

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# Amaroq Minerals Ltd.

## Consolidated Statements of Financial Position

As at December 31, 2023 and 2022  
(In Canadian Dollars)

|                                                  | Notes | As at<br>December 31,<br>2023<br>\$ | As at<br>December 31,<br>2022<br>\$ |
|--------------------------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                                    |       |                                     |                                     |
| <b>Current assets</b>                            |       |                                     |                                     |
| Cash                                             |       | 21,014,633                          | 50,137,569                          |
| Due from a related party                         | 21.1  | 3,521,938                           | -                                   |
| Sales tax receivable                             |       | 69,756                              | 95,890                              |
| Prepaid expenses and others                      | 5     | 18,681,568                          | 450,290                             |
| Inventory                                        |       | 680,358                             | -                                   |
| <b>Total current assets</b>                      |       | <b>43,968,253</b>                   | <b>50,683,749</b>                   |
| <b>Non-current assets</b>                        |       |                                     |                                     |
| Deposit                                          |       | 27,944                              | 27,944                              |
| Escrow account for environmental monitoring      | 6     | 598,939                             | 427,120                             |
| Investment in equity-accounted joint arrangement | 7     | 23,492,811                          | -                                   |
| Mineral properties                               | 8     | 48,821                              | 85,579                              |
| Right of use asset                               | 11.1  | 574,856                             | 655,063                             |
| Capital assets                                   | 9     | 38,241,559                          | 13,216,606                          |
| <b>Total non-current assets</b>                  |       | <b>62,984,930</b>                   | <b>14,412,312</b>                   |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>                              |       | <b>106,953,183</b>                  | <b>65,096,061</b>                   |
| <b>LIABILITIES AND EQUITY</b>                    |       |                                     |                                     |
| <b>Current liabilities</b>                       |       |                                     |                                     |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities         |       | 6,273,979                           | 1,138,961                           |
| Convertible notes                                | 10    | 35,743,127                          | -                                   |
| Lease liabilities – current portion              | 11    | 80,206                              | 71,797                              |
| <b>Total current liabilities</b>                 |       | <b>42,097,312</b>                   | <b>1,210,758</b>                    |
| <b>Non-current liabilities</b>                   |       |                                     |                                     |
| Lease liabilities                                | 11    | 577,234                             | 657,440                             |
| <b>Total non-current liabilities</b>             |       | <b>577,234</b>                      | <b>657,440</b>                      |
| <b>Total liabilities</b>                         |       | <b>42,674,546</b>                   | <b>1,868,198</b>                    |
| <b>Equity</b>                                    |       |                                     |                                     |
| Capital stock                                    | 12    | 132,117,971                         | 131,708,387                         |
| Contributed surplus                              | 13    | 6,725,568                           | 5,250,865                           |
| Accumulated other comprehensive loss             |       | (36,772)                            | (36,772)                            |
| Deficit                                          |       | (74,528,130)                        | (73,694,617)                        |
| <b>Total equity</b>                              |       | <b>64,278,637</b>                   | <b>63,227,863</b>                   |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY</b>              |       | <b>106,953,183</b>                  | <b>65,096,061</b>                   |

Subsequent events

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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

Approved on Behalf of the Board of Directors

(s) Eldur Ólafsson

Eldur Ólafsson  
Director

(s) Line Frederiksen

Line Frederiksen  
Director



**Amaroq Minerals Ltd.**  
**Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Loss**  
For the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022  
(In Canadian Dollars)

|                                                                             | Notes | 2023             | 2022                |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|------------------|---------------------|
|                                                                             |       | \$               | \$                  |
| <b>Expenses</b>                                                             |       |                  |                     |
| Exploration and evaluation expenses                                         | 16    | 6,616,652        | 12,700,526          |
| Site development costs                                                      |       | 2,515,743        | -                   |
| General and administrative                                                  | 17    | 13,631,912       | 10,150,020          |
| Loss on disposal of capital assets                                          |       | 37,791           | 100,536             |
| Foreign exchange loss (gain)                                                |       | (306,705)        | (849,773)           |
| Operating loss                                                              |       | 22,495,393       | 22,101,309          |
| <b>Other expenses (income)</b>                                              |       |                  |                     |
| Interest income                                                             |       | (1,069,559)      | (239,869)           |
| Project management income                                                   | 21.1  | (1,714,559)      | -                   |
| Gain on loss of control of subsidiary                                       | 7     | (31,340,880)     | -                   |
| Share of net losses of joint arrangement                                    | 7     | 7,892,387        | -                   |
| Unrealised loss on derivative liability                                     | 10    | 4,536,411        | -                   |
| Finance costs                                                               | 18    | 34,320           | 37,523              |
| <b>Net loss and comprehensive loss</b>                                      |       | <b>(833,513)</b> | <b>(21,898,963)</b> |
|                                                                             |       |                  |                     |
| Weighted average number of common shares<br>outstanding - basic and diluted |       | 272,623,548      | 191,575,781         |
| Basic and diluted loss per common share                                     | 20    | (0.003)          | (0.11)              |

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## Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity

For the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022

(In Canadian Dollars)

|                                    | Notes       | Number of<br>common<br>shares<br>outstanding | Capital<br>stock   | Contributed<br>surplus | Accumulated<br>other<br>comprehensive<br>loss | Deficit             | Total<br>equity   |
|------------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
|                                    |             |                                              | \$                 | \$                     | \$                                            | \$                  | \$                |
| <b>Balance, January 1, 2022</b>    |             | <b>177,098,737</b>                           | <b>88,500,205</b>  | <b>3,300,723</b>       | <b>(36,772)</b>                               | <b>(51,795,654)</b> | <b>39,968,502</b> |
| Net loss and comprehensive loss    |             | -                                            | -                  | -                      | -                                             | (21,898,963)        | (21,898,963)      |
| Share issuance under a fundraising |             | 85,714,285                                   | 46,313,551         | -                      | -                                             | -                   | 46,313,551        |
| Share issuance costs               |             | -                                            | (3,331,569)        | -                      | -                                             | -                   | (3,331,569)       |
| Options exercised                  |             | 260,000                                      | 226,200            | (96,200)               | -                                             | -                   | 130,000           |
| Stock-based compensation           | <b>13.1</b> | -                                            | -                  | 2,046,342              | -                                             | -                   | 2,046,342         |
| <b>Balance, December 31, 2022</b>  |             | <b>263,073,022</b>                           | <b>131,708,387</b> | <b>5,250,865</b>       | <b>(36,772)</b>                               | <b>(73,694,617)</b> | <b>63,227,863</b> |
| <b>Balance, January 1, 2023</b>    |             | <b>263,073,022</b>                           | <b>131,708,387</b> | <b>5,250,865</b>       | <b>(36,772)</b>                               | <b>(73,694,617)</b> | <b>63,227,863</b> |
| Net loss and comprehensive loss    |             | -                                            | -                  | -                      | -                                             | (833,513)           | (833,513)         |
|                                    |             | -                                            | -                  | -                      | -                                             | -                   | -                 |
| Share issuance under a fundraising |             | -                                            | -                  | -                      | -                                             | -                   | -                 |
| Share issuance costs               |             | -                                            | -                  | -                      | -                                             | -                   | -                 |
| Options exercised, net             |             | 597,029                                      | 409,584            | (433,600)              | -                                             | -                   | (24,016)          |
| Stock-based compensation           | <b>13.1</b> | -                                            | -                  | 1,908,303              | -                                             | -                   | 1,908,303         |
| <b>Balance, December 31, 2023</b>  |             | <b>263,670,051</b>                           | <b>132,117,971</b> | <b>6,725,568</b>       | <b>(36,772)</b>                               | <b>(74,528,130)</b> | <b>64,278,637</b> |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

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## Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

For the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022

(In Canadian Dollars)

|                                                                    | Notes | 2023<br>\$          | 2022<br>\$          |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Operating activities</b>                                        |       |                     |                     |
| Net loss                                                           |       | (833,513)           | (21,898,963)        |
| Adjustments for:                                                   |       |                     |                     |
| Depreciation                                                       | 9     | 698,273             | 770,492             |
| Amortisation of ROU asset                                          | 11.1  | 80,207              | 80,207              |
| Stock-based compensation                                           | 13.1  | 1,908,303           | 2,046,342           |
| Unrealized loss on derivative liability                            | 10    | 4,536,411           | -                   |
| Convertible note transaction cost expensed                         | 10.2  | 641,528             | -                   |
| Gain on loss of control of subsidiary                              | 7     | (31,340,880)        | -                   |
| Share of net losses of joint arrangement                           | 7     | 7,892,387           | -                   |
| Other expenses                                                     |       | -                   | 2,785               |
| Loss on disposal of capital assets                                 |       | 37,791              | 100,536             |
| Foreign exchange                                                   |       | (365,324)           | (882,897)           |
|                                                                    |       | (16,744,817)        | (19,781,498)        |
| Changes in non-cash working capital items:                         |       |                     |                     |
| Sales tax receivable                                               |       | 26,133              | (44,640)            |
| Due from a related party                                           |       | (3,521,938)         | -                   |
| Prepaid expenses and others                                        |       | (19,043,990)        | (183,673)           |
| Escrow account for environmental monitoring                        | 6     | (168,140)           | -                   |
| Trade and other payables                                           |       | 5,093,572           | (864,477)           |
|                                                                    |       | (17,614,363)        | (1,092,790)         |
| <b>Cash flow used in operating activities</b>                      |       | <b>(34,359,180)</b> | <b>(20,874,288)</b> |
| <b>Investing activities</b>                                        |       |                     |                     |
| Acquisition of mineral properties                                  | 8     | -                   | (23,335)            |
| Acquisition of capital assets                                      | 9     | (24,303,517)        | (301,957)           |
| Disposition of capital assets                                      | 9     | -                   | 63,325              |
| <b>Cash flow used in investing activities</b>                      |       | <b>(24,303,517)</b> | <b>(261,967)</b>    |
| <b>Financing activities</b>                                        |       |                     |                     |
| Shares issuance                                                    |       | -                   | 46,313,551          |
| Share issuance costs                                               |       | -                   | (3,331,569)         |
| Convertible note issue                                             | 10    | 30,431,180          | -                   |
| Convertible note transaction costs                                 | 10.2  | (1,004,030)         | -                   |
| Principal repayment – lease liabilities                            | 11    | (71,797)            | (50,722)            |
| Exercise of stock options                                          |       | -                   | 130,000             |
| <b>Cash flow from financing activities</b>                         |       | <b>29,355,353</b>   | <b>43,061,260</b>   |
| Net change in cash before effects of exchange rate changes on cash |       | (29,307,344)        | 21,925,005          |
| Effects of exchange rate changes on cash                           |       | 184,408             | 888,105             |
| Net change in cash                                                 |       | (29,122,936)        | 22,813,110          |
| Cash, beginning                                                    |       | 50,137,569          | 27,324,459          |
| <b>Cash, ending</b>                                                |       | <b>21,014,633</b>   | <b>50,137,569</b>   |
| <b>Supplemental cash flow information</b>                          |       |                     |                     |
| Borrowing costs capitalised to capital assets (note 9,10)          |       | 1,457,638           | -                   |
| Interest received                                                  |       | 1,069,559           | 239,869             |

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## Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

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### 1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND BASIS OF PRESENTATION

Amaroq Minerals Ltd. (the "Corporation") was incorporated on February 22, 2017 under the *Canada Business Corporations Act*. The Corporation's head office is situated at 3400, One First Canadian Place, P.O. Box 130, Toronto, Ontario, M5X 1A4, Canada. The Corporation operates in one industry segment, being the acquisition, exploration and development of mineral properties. It owns interests in properties located in Greenland. The Corporation's financial year ends on December 31. Since July 2017, the Corporation's shares are listed on the TSX Venture Exchange (the "TSX-V"), since July 2020, the Corporation's shares are also listed on the AIM market of the London Stock Exchange ("AIM") and from November 1, 2022, on Nasdaq First North Growth Market Iceland which were transferred on September 21, 2023 on Nasdaq Main Market Iceland ("Nasdaq") under the AMRQ ticker.

These consolidated financial statements ("Financial Statements") were reviewed and authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on March 26, 2024.

### 2. ADOPTION OF NEW AND REVISED STANDARDS

#### 2.1 New and amended accounting standards effective for the current year

In the current year, the Corporation has applied a number of amendments to IFRS Accounting Standards issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) that have an effective date of 1 January 2023. The adoption of these standards has not had any material impact on the disclosures and amounts reported in these financial statements.

#### Amendments to IAS 1 Presentation of Financing Statements and IFRS Practice Statement 2 Making Materiality Judgments – Disclosure of Accounting Policies

The amendments change the requirements in IAS 1 with regard to disclosure of accounting policies. The amendments replace the term 'significant accounting policies' with 'material accounting policy information'. Accounting policy information is material if, when considered together with other information in the Corporation's consolidated financial statements, can reasonably be expected to influence decisions that the primary users of general purpose financial statements make on the basis of those financial statements. IFRS Practice Statement 2 offers additional optional guidance using a systematic four-step process to help companies make material judgments when preparing financial statements.

The Corporation has adopted the amendments to IAS 1 by disclosing material accounting policy information.

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### 2. ADOPTION OF NEW AND REVISED STANDARDS (CONT'D)

#### Amendments to IAS 8 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors – Definition of Accounting Estimates

This amendment to IAS 8 eliminate the definition of a change in accounting estimate and replaces it with a definition of accounting estimates. Under the new definition, accounting estimates are “monetary amounts in financial statements that are subject to estimation uncertainty”.

#### 2.2 Accounting standards issued but not yet effective

The Corporation has not yet adopted certain standards, interpretations to existing standards and amendments which have been issued but have an effective date of later than January 1, 2023. Many of these updates are not expected to have any significant impact on the Corporation and are therefore not discussed herein.

- Amendment to IFRS 10 and IAS 28 *Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture*
- Amendments to IAS 1 *Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current*
- Amendments to IAS 1 *Non-current Liabilities with Covenants*
- Amendments to IAS 7 and IFRS 7 *Supplier Finance Arrangements*
- Amendments to IFRS 16 *Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback*

The Corporation does not expect that the adoption of the Standards listed above will have a material impact on the financial statements except as indicated below.

#### Amendments to IFRS 10 Consolidated Financial Statements and IAS 28 Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures - Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture

These amendments apply to situations in which there is a sale or contribution of assets between an investor and its associate or joint venture. According to the amendments, gains or losses arising from the loss of control of a subsidiary that does not contain a business in a transaction with an associate or a joint venture accounted for under the equity method, are recognised in the parent's profit or loss only to the extent of the unrelated investors' interest in that associate or joint venture. Similarly, gains and losses resulting from the remeasurements of an investment retained in a former subsidiary are recognised in the former parent's profit or loss only to the extent of the unrelated investors' interests in the new associate or joint venture.

An effective date for these amendments has not been set yet. The Corporation anticipates that these amendments may impact the Corporation's consolidated financial statements in future periods if such transactions were to occur.

#### Amendments to IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements – Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current

These amendments, published in January 2020, only affect the presentation of liabilities in the statement of financial position by clarifying that the classification of liabilities as current or non-current should be based on rights that are in existence at the end of the reporting period, regardless of expectations regarding the exercise of the right to defer settlement. Furthermore, the amendments explain that are rights are in existence if covenants are complied with at the end of the reporting period and define settlement as the transfer to the counter party of cash, equity instruments, other assets or services.

The amendments are applied retrospectively for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024. Earlier application is permitted but requires that the 2022 IAS 1 amendments are applied early as well.

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### 2. ADOPTION OF NEW AND REVISED STANDARDS (CONT'D)

The Corporations expects that the application of these amendments may have an impact on the consolidated financial statements.

#### Amendments to IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements – Non-current Liabilities with Covenants

These amendments, published in October 2022, indicate that only covenants that must be complied with on or before the end of the reporting period affect the right to defer settlement of a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting date and must be considered in assessing the classification of the liability as current or non-current. The right to defer settlement is not affected if the covenants must be complied with after the reporting period, however, if the right to defer settlement of a liability is subject to complying with covenants within twelve months after the reporting period, disclosures must be made to enable users to understand the risk of the liabilities becoming repayable within twelve months after the reporting period.

The amendments are applied retrospectively for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024. Earlier application is permitted but requires that the 2020 IAS 1 amendments are applied early as well.

The Corporations expects that the application of these amendments may have an impact on the consolidated financial statements.

### 3. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### 3.1 Basis of accounting

The Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and interpretations issued by the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee. ("IFRIC").

The Financial Statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, except for financial instruments at fair value.

#### 3.2 Going concern

The Financial Statements have been prepared on a going concern basis, which contemplates the realization of assets and the satisfaction of liabilities in the normal course of business.

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### **3. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)**

#### **3.3 Basis of consolidation**

The Financial Statements include the accounts of the Corporation and those of its subsidiary Nalunaq A/S, corporation incorporated under the *Greenland Public Companies Act*, owned at 100%.

Control is defined by the authority to direct the financial and operating policies of a business in order to obtain benefits from its activities. The amounts presented in the consolidated financial statements of subsidiary have been adjusted, if necessary, so that they meet the accounting policies adopted by the Corporation.

Profit or loss or other comprehensive loss of subsidiary set up, acquired or sold during the year are recorded from the actual date of acquisition or until the effective date of the sale, if any. All intercompany transactions, balances, income and expenses are eliminated at consolidation.

#### **3.4 Investments in joint venture**

The financial results of the Corporation's investments in its joint arrangement are included in the Corporation's results using the equity method. Under the equity method, the investment is initially recognized at cost, and the carrying amount is increased or decreased to recognize the Corporation's share of comprehensive income or loss of the joint venture after the date of acquisition. The Corporation's share of profits or losses is recognized in the condensed interim statement of income (loss).

The Corporation assesses at each period-end whether there is any objective evidence that its investments in joint ventures are impaired. If impaired, the carrying value of the Corporation's share of the underlying assets of the joint venture is written down to its estimated recoverable amount (being the higher of fair value less costs of disposal and value in use) and charged to the statement of income (loss).

#### **3.5 Functional and presentation currency – Foreign currency transactions**

The functional and presentation currency of the Corporation is Canadian dollars ("CAD"). The functional currency of Nalunaq A/S and Gardaq A/S is CAD. The functional currency of Nalunaq A/S and Gardaq A/S is determined using the currency of the primary source of economic activity and using the currency which is more representative of the economic effect of the underlying financings, transactions, events and conditions.

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency of the underlying entity using appropriate rates of exchange prevailing on the dates of such transactions. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the functional currency rate of exchange in effect at the end of each reporting period. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions are recognized in the net profit or loss.

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### **3. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)**

#### **3.6 Mineral properties and exploration and evaluation expenses**

Mineral properties include rights in mining properties, paid or acquired through a business combination or an acquisition of assets, and costs related to the initial search for mineral deposits with economic potential or to obtain more information about existing mineral deposits.

All costs incurred prior to obtaining the legal rights to undertake exploration and evaluation on an area of interest are expensed as incurred.

Mining rights are recorded at acquisition cost or at its recoverable amount in the case of a devaluation caused by an impairment of value. Mining rights and options to acquire undivided interests in mining rights are depreciated only as these properties are put into commercial production. Proceeds from the sale of mineral properties are applied as a reduction of the related carrying costs and any excess or shortfall is recorded as a gain or loss in the consolidated statement of comprehensive loss.

Exploration and evaluation expenses ("E&E expenses") also typically include costs associated with prospecting, sampling, trenching, drilling and other work involved in searching for ore such as topographical, geological, geochemical and geophysical studies. Generally, expenditures relating to exploration and evaluation activities are expensed as incurred.

E&E expenses include costs related to establishing the technical and commercial viability of extracting a mineral resource identified through exploration or acquired through a business combination or asset acquisition. E&E include the cost of:

- establishing the volume and grade of deposits through drilling of core samples, trenching and sampling activities in an ore body that is classified as either a mineral resource or a proven and probable reserve;
- determining the optimal methods of extraction and metallurgical and treatment processes, including the separation process, for Corporation' mining properties;
- studies related to surveying, transportation and infrastructure requirements;
- permitting activities; and
- economic evaluations to determine whether development of the mineralized material is commercially justified.

Technical feasibility and commercial viability of an exploration and evaluation asset are demonstrated when considering the facts and circumstances relating to the asset under assessment. These facts and circumstances include, but are not limited to, the following:

- The life of mine plan and economic modeling support the economic extraction of such resources and/or reserves;
- The operating and environment permits for the area to be mined exist or are reasonably assured as obtained; and
- The Board has approved the decision to proceed to the development phase

E&E include overhead expenses directly attributable to the related activities.



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### 3. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 3.7 Capital assets

Capital assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses. Cost includes expenditures that are directly attributable to the acquisition of an asset. Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognized as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefit associated with the item will flow to the Corporation and the cost can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of a replaced asset is derecognized when replaced.

The intangible assets include software with a definite useful life. The assets are capitalized and amortized on a straight-line basis in the consolidated statement of comprehensive loss. The intangible assets are assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible assets may be impaired.

Depreciation is calculated to amortize the cost of the capital assets less their residual values over their estimated useful lives using the straight-line method and following periods by major categories:

|                                                                                     |               |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| Field equipment and infrastructure related to exploration and evaluation activities | 3 to 10 years |
| Vehicles and rolling stock                                                          | 3 to 10 years |
| Equipment                                                                           | 3 to 10 years |
| Software                                                                            | 3 to 10 years |
| Right-of-use assets                                                                 | Lease term    |

Depreciation of capital assets, if related to exploration activities, is expensed consistently with the policy for exploration and evaluation expenses. For those which are not related to exploration and evaluation activities, depreciation expense is recognized directly in the consolidated statement of comprehensive loss. Assets capitalized under Construction in Progress are not depreciated as they are not available for use yet.

Residual values, methods of depreciation and useful lives of the assets are reviewed annually and adjusted if appropriate.

Proceeds from selling items before the related item of Property, plant and equipment is available for use are recognized in profit or loss, together with the costs of producing those items. The Corporation therefore distinguishes between the costs associated with producing and selling items before the item of Property, plant and equipment (pre-production revenue) is available for use and the costs associated with making the item of Property, plant and equipment available for its intended use. For the sale of items that are not part of the Corporation's ordinary activities, the Corporation discloses separately the sales proceeds and related production cost recognized in profit or loss and specify the line items in which such proceeds and costs are included in the consolidated statement of comprehensive loss.

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### **3. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)**

#### **3.7.1 Nalunaq mine project**

Management established that effective September 1, 2023, the Nalunaq Project is in the development phase. Accordingly, all expenditures related to the restart of the Nalunaq mine and the associated development of the initial processing plant and surface infrastructure are capitalized under Construction in Progress within Capital assets (see note 9). Capitalized expenditures will be carried at cost until the Nalunaq Project is placed into commercial production, sold, abandoned, or determined by management to be impaired in value. The mine and mobile equipment, process plant building and the Nalunaq mine are not yet available for use as intended by Management as at December 31, 2023, therefore, depreciation has not yet commenced.

#### **3.8 Leases**

At the commencement date of a lease, a liability is recognized to make lease payments (i.e., the lease liability) and an asset representing the right to use the underlying asset during the lease term (i.e., the right-of-use asset) is also recognized. The interest expense on the lease liability is recognized separately from the depreciation expense on the right-of-use asset.

The lease liability is remeasured upon the occurrence of certain events (e.g., a change in the lease term, a change in future lease payments resulting from a change in an index or rate used to determine those payments). This remeasurement is generally recognized as an adjustment to the right-of-use asset. Leases of "low-value" assets and short-term leases (12 months or less) are recognized on a straight-line basis as an expense in the consolidated statement of comprehensive loss.

#### **3.9 Borrowing costs**

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of qualifying assets are added to the cost of those assets. Qualifying assets are assets that take a substantial period of time until they are ready for their intended use. Borrowing costs, less any temporary investment income on those borrowings, that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset are included in the cost of that asset if it is probable that they will result in future economic benefits to the Corporation and the costs can be measured reliably. Borrowing costs that are incurred for general purposes are allocated to qualifying assets by applying a capitalisation rate to the expenditures on that asset. The capitalisation rate shall be the weighted average of the borrowing costs applicable to all borrowings of the Corporation that are outstanding during the period. Capitalisation of borrowing costs ceases when the all the activities necessary to prepare the qualifying asset for its intended use or sale are substantially complete.

All other borrowing costs are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they are incurred.

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### **3. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)**

#### **3.10 Impairment of non-financial assets**

Mineral properties and capital assets are reviewed for impairment if there is any indication that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. Assets under Construction in Progress are subject to an annual impairment test since they are not depreciated yet. Mineral properties and capital assets are reviewed by area of interest. If any such indication is present, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine whether impairment exists. Where the asset does not generate cash flows that are independent from other assets, the Corporation estimates the recoverable amount of the asset group to which the asset belongs.

An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value, using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If the recoverable amount of an asset or asset group is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount is reduced to the recoverable amount. Impairment is recognized immediately in the consolidated statement of comprehensive loss. Where an impairment subsequently reverses, the carrying amount is increased to the revised estimate of recoverable amount but only to the extent that this does not exceed the carrying value that would have been determined if no impairment had previously been recognized. A reversal is recognized as a reduction in the impairment charge for the period.

#### **3.11 Environmental monitoring provision**

Provisions are recorded when a present legal or constructive obligation exists as a result of past events where it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate of the amount of the obligation can be made. The Corporation is subject to laws and regulations relating to environmental matters, including land reclamation and discharge of hazardous materials and environmental monitoring. The Corporation may be found to be responsible for damage caused by prior owners and operators of its unproven mineral interests and in relation to interests previously held by the Corporation.

On initial recognition, the estimated net present value of a provision is recorded as a liability and a corresponding amount is added to the capitalized cost of the related non-financial asset or charged to consolidated statement of comprehensive loss if the property has been written off. Discount rates using a pre-tax rate that reflects the time value of money and the risk associated with the liability are used to calculate the net present value. The provision is evaluated at the end of each reporting period for changes in the estimated amount or timing of settlement of the obligation.

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### **3. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)**

#### **3.12 Taxation**

Income tax expense represents the sum of tax currently payable and deferred tax.

Current income tax assets and liabilities for the current and prior periods are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are substantively enacted by the date of the consolidated statement of financial position.

Deferred income taxes are provided using the liability method on temporary differences at the date of the consolidated statement of financial position between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes.

Deferred income tax liabilities are recognized for all taxable temporary differences, except:

- where the deferred income tax liability arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable earnings; and
- in respect of taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and interests in joint ventures, where the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

#### **3.13 Equity**

Capital stock represents the amount received on the issue of shares. Warrants represent the allocation of the amount received for units issued as well as the charge recorded for the broker warrants relating to financing. Options represent the charges related to stock options until they are exercised. Contributed surplus includes charges related to stock options and the warrants that are expired and not yet exercised. Contributed surplus also includes contributions from shareholders. Deficit includes all current and prior period retained profits or losses and share issue expenses.

Share and warrant issue expenses are accounted for in the year in which they are incurred and are recorded as a deduction to equity in the year in which the shares and warrants are issued.

Costs related to shares not yet issued are recorded as deferred share issuance costs. These costs are deferred until the issuance of the shares to which the costs relate to, at which time the costs will be charged against the related share capital or charged to operations if the shares are not issued.

Proceeds from unit placements are allocated between shares and warrants issued on a pro-rata basis of their value within the unit using the Black-Scholes pricing model.

#### **3.14 Interest income**

Interest income from financial assets is accrued, by reference to the principal outstanding and at the effective interest rate applicable, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to that asset's net carrying amount.

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### **3. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)**

#### **3.15 Stock-based compensation**

Employees and consultants of the Corporation may receive a portion of their compensation in the form of share-based payment transactions, whereby employees or consultants render services as consideration for equity instruments ("equity-settled transactions").

The costs of equity-settled transactions with employees and others providing similar services are measured by reference to the fair value at the date on which they are granted.

The costs of equity-settled transactions are recognized, together with a corresponding increase in equity, over the period in which the performance and/or service conditions are fulfilled, ending on the date on which the relevant employees become fully entitled to the award ("the vesting date"). The cumulative expense is recognized for equity-settled transactions at each reporting date until the vesting date reflects the Corporation's best estimate of the number of equity instruments that will ultimately vest. The profit or loss charge or credit for a period represents the movement in cumulative expense recognized as at the beginning and end of that period and the corresponding amount is represented in contributed surplus.

No expense is recognized for awards that do not ultimately vest, except for awards where vesting is conditional upon a market condition, which are treated as vesting irrespective of whether or not the market condition is satisfied provided that all other performance and/or service conditions are satisfied.

Where the terms of an equity-settled award are modified, the minimum expense recognized is the expense as if the terms had not been modified. An additional amount is recognized on the same basis as the amount of the original award for any modification which increases the total fair value of the share-based payment arrangement, or is otherwise beneficial to the employee as measured at the date of modification.

#### **3.16 Loss per share**

The basic loss per share is computed by dividing the net loss by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period. The diluted loss per share reflects the potential dilution of common share equivalents, such as outstanding options, restricted share unit and warrants, in the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the year, if dilutive. During 2023 and 2022, all the outstanding common share equivalents were anti-dilutive.

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### 3. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 3.17 Financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognized when the Corporation becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the consolidated statement of financial position when there is an unconditional and legally enforceable right to offset the recognized amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

All financial instruments are required to be measured at fair value on initial recognition. The fair value is based on quoted market prices, unless the financial instruments are not traded in an active market. In this case, the fair value is determined by using valuation techniques like the Black-Scholes option pricing model or other valuation techniques.

##### 3.17.1 Financial assets

Financial assets are derecognized when the contractual rights to receive the cash flows from the financial asset have expired, or when the financial asset and all substantial risks and rewards have been transferred. A financial liability is derecognized when it is extinguished, discharged, cancelled or when it expires.

Financial assets are initially measured at fair value. If the financial asset is not subsequently accounted for at fair value through profit or loss, then the initial measurement includes transaction costs that are directly attributable to the asset's acquisition or origination. On initial recognition, the Corporation classifies its financial instruments in the following categories depending on the purpose for which the instruments were acquired.

##### *Amortized cost:*

Financial assets at amortized cost are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments constituted solely of payments of principal and interest that are held within a "held to collect" business model. Financial assets at amortized cost are initially recognized at the amount expected to be received, less, when material, a discount to reduce the financial assets to fair value. Subsequently, financial assets at amortized cost are measured using the effective interest method less a provision for expected losses. The Corporation's cash, due from a related party, and escrow account for environmental monitoring are classified within this category.

Any gain or loss arising on derecognition is recognized directly in profit or loss and presented in other gains/(losses), together with foreign exchange gains and losses. Impairment losses are presented as separate line item in the consolidated statement comprehensive loss.

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### 3. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 3.17.2 Financial liabilities and equity

A financial liability is derecognized when extinguished, discharged, terminated, cancelled or expired.

##### *Classification as debt or equity*

Debt and equity instruments are classified as either financial liabilities or as equity in accordance with the contractual arrangements and the definitions of a financial liability and an equity instrument.

##### *Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost*

Financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs directly attributable to the issuance of the financial liability, other than financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, are deducted from the financial liability's fair value on initial recognition. Transaction costs directly attributable to the issuance of financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

Financial liabilities are measured subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

##### *Equity instruments*

An equity instrument is a contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of an entity net of its liabilities.

##### *Compound instruments*

The terms of a convertible note are evaluated to determine whether it contains both a liability and an equity component. These components are classified separately as financial liabilities, financial assets or equity instruments. A conversion option that will be settled by the exchange of a fixed amount of cash or another financial asset for a fixed number of the parent company's equity instruments is an equity instrument

The fair value of the liability component of the convertible note instrument is estimated using market interest rates for similar non-convertible instruments. This amount is recorded as a liability on an amortised cost basis using the effective interest method until the instrument's maturity date or conversion.

The value of the conversion option classified as equity is determined by subtracting the financial liability component's fair value from the compound instrument as a whole. The conversion option is then included in equity and is not subsequently re-measured.

Transaction costs that relate to the issue of the convertible notes are allocated to the liability and equity components in proportion to the allocation of the gross proceeds, with the transaction costs related to the equity component being allocated to equity, while the transaction costs related to the liability component are included in the carrying amount of the liability component and amortised over the life of the convertible loan note.

##### *Embedded derivatives*

Embedded derivatives are components of hybrid contracts. Hybrid contracts contain a non-derivative host and an embedded derivative which impacts the combined instrument in a way similar to a stand-alone derivative.

Derivatives that are embedded in hybrid contracts whose non-derivative host is not a financial asset (for example, a financial liability) are recognised as separate derivatives if they meet the definition of a derivative and their risks and characteristics are not closely related to those of the host contracts and the host contracts are not measured at fair value through profit or loss. Embedded derivatives that are separated from a financial liability host contract are measured at fair value. The residual value of the hybrid contract is then allocated to the financial liability host contract.

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### 3. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

#### 3.17.3 Impairment of financial assets

##### *Amortized cost:*

At each reporting date, the Corporation assesses, on a forward-looking basis, the expected credit losses associated with its debt instruments carried at amortized cost. The impairment methodology applied depends on whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk.

The expected loss is the difference between the amortized cost of the financial asset and the present value of the expected future cash flows, discounted using the instrument's original effective interest rate. The carrying amount of the asset is reduced by this amount either directly or indirectly through the use of an allowance account. Provisions for expected losses are adjusted upwards or downwards in subsequent periods if the amount of the expected loss increases or decreases.

#### 3.18 Segment disclosures

The Corporation operates in one industry segment, being the acquisition, exploration and evaluation of mineral properties. All of the Corporation's activities are conducted in Greenland.

### 4. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS AND ASSUMPTIONS

The preparation of these Financial Statements requires Management to make judgments and form assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of expenses during the reporting period. On an ongoing basis, Management evaluates its judgments in relation to assets, liabilities and expenses. Management uses historical experience and various other factors it believes to be reasonable under the given circumstances as the basis for its judgments. Actual outcomes may differ from these estimates under different assumptions and conditions. Critical judgments exercised in applying accounting policies with the most significant effect on the amounts recognized in the Financial Statements are described below.

#### JUDGMENTS

#### 4.1 Impairment of mineral properties and capital assets

Determining if there are any facts and circumstances indicating impairment loss or reversal of impairment losses is a subjective process involving judgment and a number of estimates and interpretations in many cases.

##### 4.1.2 Impairment of capital assets

Determining whether to test for impairment of capital assets requires Management's judgement, among other factors, regarding the following: whether capital assets have been in use and depreciated, did market value of capital assets decline, whether net assets of the Corporation are higher than the market capitalization, was there any obsolescence or physical damage recorded to the capital assets, was there an increase to market interest rates.



#### **4. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS AND ASSUMPTIONS (CONT'D)**

When an indication of impairment loss or a reversal of an impairment loss exists, the recoverable amount of the individual asset must be estimated. If it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of the individual asset, the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs must be determined. Identifying the cash-generating units requires considerable management judgment. In testing an individual asset or cash-generating unit for impairment and identifying a reversal of impairment losses, Management estimates the recoverable amount of the asset or the cash-generating unit. This requires management to make several assumptions as to future events or circumstances. These assumptions and estimates are subject to change if new information becomes available. Actual results with respect to impairment losses or reversals of impairment losses could differ in such a situation and significant adjustments to the Corporation's assets and earnings may occur during the next period.

With regards to the annual impairment test on Construction in Progress, the Management has assessed that the replacement cost approach is the most appropriate for determining the recoverable value of individual assets under CIP. The Corporation has conducted the analysis based on the enquiry of the current market prices obtained from suppliers for each asset under the CIP category as well as the assessment of the recoverable value based on the general Machinery and Equipment as well as Industrial Producer Price index changes from 2021 to 2023. As a result of this analysis, the replacement value of the assets under CIP category has produced a recoverable value that was at least 20% higher than the carrying value of assets under CIP as of December 31, 2023.

#### **4.2 Determination of functional currency**

In accordance with IAS 21 "The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates", Management determined that the functional currency of the Corporation and its subsidiary is the Canadian dollar.

#### **4.3 Capitalisation of borrowing costs**

The Corporation makes judgments on the amount of borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of a qualifying asset.

#### **4.4 Technical Feasibility and Commercial Viability ("TFCV")**

Management uses significant judgment to determine when TFCV is demonstrable. Technical feasibility refers to the ability to physically construct and operate a mineral project in a technically sound manner to produce a saleable mineral product while commercial viability refers to the ability to mine the mineral asset to generate a reasonable return on investment. Key considerations used to determine if TFCV has been reached included the establishment of confidence about mineralization, results and status of studies, probability of obtaining key permits, the existence of other barriers that may impact mining and the ability to generate a return on investment, confidence of project potential by the Management and the Board of Directors.

Based on the criteria described above, Management has concluded that sufficient evidence existed on September 1, 2023, for the Corporation to declare TFCV for the Nalunaq Project. September 1, 2023, was aligned with the date that the Board of Directors approved and closed the Financing package deal (note 10), thus supporting the commercial viability of the project.

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### 4. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS AND ASSUMPTIONS (CONT'D)

#### ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS

#### 4.5 Environmental monitoring costs

The provisions for environmental monitoring costs are based on estimated future costs using information available at the financial reporting date. Determining these obligations requires significant estimates and assumptions due to the numerous factors that affect the amount ultimately payable. Such factors include estimates of the scope and cost of restoration activities, legislative amendments, known environmental impacts, the effectiveness of reparation and restoration measures and changes in the discount rate. This uncertainty may lead to differences between the actual expense and the provision. At the date of the consolidated statement of financial position, environmental monitoring costs represent Management's best estimate of the charge that will result when the actual obligation is terminated.

#### 4.6 Restricted Share Units ("RSU")

For the purpose of determining the fair market value of restricted share unit awards and a number of assumptions are required for input in the pricing model. Determining these assumptions requires significant level of estimates and Management's judgement.

For equity-settled awards, assumptions must be determined at the date of the grant. Such assumptions include grant calculation date, projection period, share price at grant, exercise price, risk-free rate of interest, dividends, share price volatility and forfeitures. The uncertainty related to the choice of assumptions may lead to differences between the actual value of restricted share unit awards and their estimated fair value based on the Monte-Carlo simulation run. At the date of the consolidated statement of financial position, restricted share units award and embedded derivative value represents Management's best estimate of awards fair value vesting at measurement dates stipulated under the RSU award contract.

#### 4.7 Embedded Derivative

For the purpose of determining the fair market value of the embedded derivative a number of assumptions are required for input in the pricing model. Determining these assumptions requires significant level of estimates and Management's judgement.

Assumptions must be determined at the reporting date. Such assumptions include term, share price on the reporting date, risk-free rate of interest and volatility.

The uncertainty related to the choice of assumptions may lead to differences between the actual value of the embedded derivative and its estimated fair value based on the Black-Scholes pricing model.

### 5. PREPAID EXPENSES AND OTHERS

|                                                      | 2023              | 2022           |
|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|
|                                                      | \$                | \$             |
| Advance payments to suppliers and mining contractors | 17,848,780        | 157,501        |
| Prepaid credit facility costs                        | 408,792           | -              |
| Prepaid insurance                                    | 169,416           | 160,876        |
| Prepaid exploration work                             | 87,968            | 87,968         |
| Other prepayments                                    | 166,612           | 43,945         |
| <b>Total prepaid expenses and others</b>             | <b>18,681,568</b> | <b>450,290</b> |

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### 6. ESCROW ACCOUNT FOR ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING

On behalf of Nalunaq's licence holder, an escrow account has been set up with the holder of the licence as holder of the account and the Government of Greenland as beneficiary. The funds in the escrow account have been provided in favour of the Government of Greenland as security for fulfilling the environmental monitoring expenses following the closure of the Nalunaq mine. This environmental monitoring program was completed in 2020.

|                                                                      | 2023      | 2022      |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
|                                                                      | \$        | \$        |
| Balance beginning                                                    | 427,120   | 424,637   |
| Additions                                                            | 168,140   |           |
| Effect of translation                                                | 3,679     | 2,483     |
| Balance ending                                                       | 598,939   | 427,120   |
| Non-current portion – escrow account for environmental monitoring    | (598,939) | (427,120) |
| <b>Current portion – escrow account for environmental monitoring</b> | <b>-</b>  | <b>-</b>  |

### 7. INVESTMENT IN EQUITY-ACCOUNTED JOINT ARRANGEMENT

|                                                                           | As at<br>December 31,<br>2023 | As at<br>December 31,<br>2022 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
|                                                                           | \$                            | \$                            |
| Balance at beginning of period                                            | -                             | -                             |
| Original Investment in Gardaq ApS                                         | 7,422                         | -                             |
| Transfer of non-gold strategic minerals licences at cost                  | 36,896                        | -                             |
| Investment at conversion of Gardaq ApS to Gardaq A/S                      | 55,344                        | -                             |
| Gain on FV recognition of equity accounted investment in joint venture    | 31,285,536                    | -                             |
| Investment retained at fair value- 51% share                              | 31,385,198                    | -                             |
| Share of joint venture's net losses- for the year ended December 31, 2023 | (7,892,387)                   | -                             |
| <b>Balance at end of period</b>                                           | <b>23,492,811</b>             | <b>-</b>                      |

On June 10, 2022, the Corporation announced that it had signed a non-binding head of terms with ACAM to establish a special purpose vehicle (the "SPV") and created a joint venture (the "JV") for the exploration and development of its Strategic Mineral assets for a combined contribution of \$62.0 million (GBP 36.7 million). Subject to the final terms of the JV, ACAM invested \$30.1 million (GBP 18 million) in exchange for a 49% shareholding in the SPV, with Amaroq holding 51%. Amaroq contributed its strategic non- precious mineral (i.e., non-gold) licenses, and will be required to provide a contribution in kind over a three-year period, valued, in aggregate, at \$31.4 million (GBP 18.7 million) in the form of site support, logistics and overhead costs associated with utilizing its existing infrastructure in Southern Greenland to support the JV's activities. The transfer of these licenses has been approved by the Greenland Government on April 13, 2023.

The carrying value of the strategic non-precious mineral licenses transferred to Gardaq A/S is \$36,896 (Note 7).

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### 7. INVESTMENT IN EQUITY-ACCOUNTED JOINT ARRANGEMENT (CONT'D)

Upon execution of the Subscription and Shareholders' Agreement ("SSHA") on April 13, 2023, the Corporation has ceased the control of Gardaq on that date. As a result of the Corporation losing control over the subsidiary:

- The Corporation derecognizes the assets and liabilities of the subsidiary from the consolidated statement of financial position,
- Recognizes the fair value of the consideration received from the transaction that has resulted in the loss of control,
- Recognizes any investment retained in the former subsidiary at its fair value once control is lost and subsequently accounts for it and any amounts owed by or to the former subsidiary in accordance with the relevant IFRS. The fair value shall be regarded as a fair value of the initial recognition of the investment in the joint venture.
- Subsequently recognizes joint venture's share of net profits or losses proportionately to the retained share of investment for the reporting periods.

Given that the relevant activities of Gardaq require unanimous consent of its shareholders in accordance with the SSHA, Management has determined that it has joint control and as such the Corporation performed deconsolidation of Gardaq A/S as at April 13, 2023, the date when control was lost. The fair value of the 51% equity investment retained in Gardaq A/S was determined to be \$31,385,198 (GBP 18.7million). The fair value of Gardaq A/S was measured based on the cash consideration received in exchange for 49% of the outstanding shares.

The Corporation has determined that it has a joint control in Gardaq A/S as decisions around relevant activities require unanimous shareholder approval. Effective April 13, 2023, the Corporation's investment was accounted for as an investment in joint venture using the equity method. The equity method involves recording the initial investment at cost and subsequently adjusting the carrying value of the investment for the Corporation's proportionate share of the profit or loss, other comprehensive income or loss and any other changes in the joint venture's net assets, such as further investments or dividends. For the year ended December 31, 2023 the Corporation recorded the 51% proportion of net loss from Gardaq of \$7,892,387.

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### 7. INVESTMENT IN EQUITY-ACCOUNTED JOINT ARRANGEMENT (CONT'D)

The following tables summarize the financial information of Gardaq A/S as of December 31, 2023.

|                                          | As at<br>December 31,<br>2023 |
|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
|                                          | \$                            |
| Cash and cash equivalent                 | 18,377,850                    |
| Prepaid expenses and other               | 351,752                       |
| Total current assets                     | 18,729,602                    |
| Mineral property                         | 92,239                        |
| <b>Total Assets</b>                      | <b>18,821,841</b>             |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities | 4,036,532                     |
| Due to related parties                   | 13,641                        |
| Capital stock                            | 30,246,937                    |
| Deficit                                  | (15,475,269)                  |
| Total equity                             | 14,771,668                    |
| <b>Total liabilities and equity</b>      | <b>18,821,841</b>             |

  

|                                        | For the year ended<br>December 31,<br>2023 |
|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
|                                        | \$                                         |
| Exploration and Evaluation expenses    | 13,950,672                                 |
| Interest expense (income)              | (2,651)                                    |
| Foreign exchange loss (gain)           | (187,011)                                  |
| <b>Operating loss</b>                  | <b>13,761,010</b>                          |
| Other expenses (income)                | 1,714,260                                  |
| <b>Net loss and comprehensive loss</b> | <b>15,475,270</b>                          |

### 8. MINERAL PROPERTIES

|                                              | As at<br>December 31,<br>2022 | Transfers<br>(Note 6) | As at<br>December 31,<br>2023 |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|
|                                              | \$                            | \$                    | \$                            |
| Nalunaq - Au                                 | 1                             | -                     | 1                             |
| Tartoq - Au                                  | 18,431                        | -                     | 18,431                        |
| Vagar - Au                                   | 11,103                        | -                     | 11,103                        |
| Nuna Nutaaq - Au                             | 6,076                         | -                     | 6,076                         |
| Anoritoq - Au                                | 6,389                         | -                     | 6,389                         |
| Siku - Au                                    | 6,821                         | -                     | 6,821                         |
| Naalagaaffiup Portornga - Strategic Minerals | 6,334                         | (6,334)               | -                             |
| Saarloq - Strategic Minerals                 | 7,348                         | (7,348)               | -                             |
| Sava - Strategic Minerals                    | 6,562                         | (6,562)               | -                             |
| Kobberminebugt - Strategic Minerals          | 6,840                         | (6,840)               | -                             |
| Stendalen - Strategic Minerals               | 4,837                         | (4,837)               | -                             |
| North Sava - Strategic Minerals              | 4,837                         | (4,837)               | -                             |
| <b>Total mineral properties</b>              | <b>85,579</b>                 | <b>(36,758)</b>       | <b>48,821</b>                 |

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### 8. MINERAL PROPERTIES (CONT'D)

|                                              | As at<br>December 31,<br>2021 | Additions     | As at<br>December 31,<br>2022 |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|-------------------------------|
|                                              | \$                            | \$            | \$                            |
| Nalunaq - Au                                 | 1                             | -             | 1                             |
| Tartog - Au                                  | 18,431                        | -             | 18,431                        |
| Vagar - Au                                   | 11,103                        | -             | 11,103                        |
| Nuna Nutaaq - Au                             | 6,076                         | -             | 6,076                         |
| Anoritoog - Au                               | 6,389                         | -             | 6,389                         |
| Siku - Au                                    | -                             | 6,821         | 6,821                         |
| Naalagaaffiup Portornga - Strategic Minerals | 6,334                         | -             | 6,334                         |
| Saarloq - Strategic Minerals                 | 7,348                         | -             | 7,348                         |
| Sava - Strategic Minerals                    | 6,562                         | -             | 6,562                         |
| Kobberminebugt - Strategic Minerals          | -                             | 6,840         | 6,840                         |
| Stendalen - Strategic Minerals               | -                             | 4,837         | 4,837                         |
| North Sava - Strategic Minerals              | -                             | 4,837         | 4,837                         |
| <b>Total mineral properties</b>              | <b>62,244</b>                 | <b>23,335</b> | <b>85,579</b>                 |

#### 8.1 Nalunaq - Au

Nalunaq A/S holds the gold exploitation licence number 2003/05 on the Nalunaq property (the "Nalunaq Licence") located in South West Greenland. The licence expires in April 2033 with an extension possible up to 20 years.

##### 8.1.1 Collaboration agreement and project schedule

Cyrus Capital Partners LP was the main creditor of Angel Mining PLC, the parent company of Angel Mining (Gold) A/S. Angel Mining PLC went into administration in February 2013 and as part of the Administrator's restructuring process, FBC Mining (Holdings) Ltd. ("FBC Mining") and Arctic Resources Capital S.à r.l. ("ARC") agreed to enter into a collaboration agreement ("Collaboration Agreement") (signed July 15, 2015) to progress the Nalunaq exploration project. FBC Mining is a 100% subsidiary of FBC Holdings S.à r.l which is managed by Cyrus Capital Partners LP.

In addition, ARC, FBC Mining and AEX Gold Limited (previously known as FBC Mining (Nalunaq) Limited) (a 100% subsidiary of FBC Mining) signed on July 17, 2015 the Nalunaq project schedule ("2015 Project Schedule") which was continued following the signature with Nalunaq A/S on March 31, 2017 of the 2016-2017 Nalunaq Project Schedule ("2016-2017 Project Schedule"), (collectively "Project Schedules").

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### 8. MINERAL PROPERTIES (CONT'D)

Finally, the conditions relating to a processing plant located on the Nalunaq Licence ("Processing Plant") and a royalty payment were outlined in the 2015 Project Schedule and formalized in the processing plant and royalty agreement ("Processing Plant and Royalty Agreement") signed on March 31, 2017 and the conditions are as follows:

- a) AEX Gold Limited transfers the Processing Plant to Nalunaq A/S under the following conditions:
  - i) An initial purchase price of US\$1;
  - ii) A deferred consideration of US\$1,999,999 ("Deferred Consideration") on a pay as you go basis until the Deferred Consideration is paid in full. If only part of the Processing Plant is used, then the Deferred Consideration payable shall be reduced by an amount to be agreed by the parties to reflect the value of the part of the Processing Plant used.
  - iii) The Deferred Consideration may be reduced to the extent that the Processing Plant or any part which is being used requires repairs, is not in good working condition or will not be capable of doing the work for which it was designed.
  - iv) Nalunaq A/S may dispose or otherwise deal with the Processing Plant or any part of it at its own cost. If any disposal proceeds (defined as proceeds received minus costs of dealing with the disposal) are received, that disposal proceeds shall be paid to AEX Gold Limited and such amount shall be deemed to be Deferred Consideration. If there are any disposal proceeds remaining after the Deferred Consideration has been paid in full, the disposal proceeds remaining may be retained by Nalunaq A/S.
- b) Nalunaq A/S shall pay to AEX Gold Limited a 1% royalty on Nalunaq A/S' net revenue generated on the Nalunaq Licence (total revenue minus production, transportation and refining costs), provided that in respect to the last completed calendar year, the operating profit per ounce of gold exceeded US\$500. The cumulative royalty payments over the life of mine are capped at a maximum of US\$1,000,000.

#### 8.1.2 Government of Greenland royalty

The Nalunaq Licence and subsequent Addendums does not have a royalty clause. However, according to the Addendum 3 of the *Mineral Resources Act* enacted on July 1, 2014, the Greenland Government may set terms on the licensee's payment of royalty or consideration, if the Greenland Government and the licensee agree, since the Nalunaq Licence was granted before July 1, 2014. Nalunaq A/S may have to pay to the Government of Greenland a sales royalty of up to 2.5% of the value of the minerals. Nalunaq A/S may on certain terms offset an amount equal to paid corporate income tax and corporate dividend tax against the sales royalty to be paid.

#### 8.1.3 Exploration commitments and exploitation milestones

After Nalunaq A/S has submitted its statements of expenses for the Nalunaq Licence for the 2017 and 2018 years, the MLSA has approved Nalunaq A/S' transition to the subsequent period (sub period 4) without a rollover of the unspent amount.

The Government of Greenland has been confirmed with Addendum No. 5 dated March 2020 which was signed by the Government of Greenland and therefore became effective on March 13, 2020, to extend the requirement dates to perform the following tasks. No later than December 31, 2022, the licensee shall prepare an environmental impact assessment, make a social impact assessment and perform an impact benefit agreement. The time limit for commencement of exploitation is January 1, 2023. As these deadlines have passed, the Government of Greenland has completed Addendum No. 6.

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### **8. MINERAL PROPERTIES (CONT'D)**

On the 14th and 15th December 2022 the Corporation signed Addendum 6 to the Nalunaq licence which amended certain of the milestone dates pertaining to the licence including commencing exploitation by 1 January 2026; preparing an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and Social Impact Assessment (SIA) by December 2023; negotiating, concluding and performing an Impact Benefit Agreement ("IBA") by 31 December 2024. Prior to commencement of exploitation and no later than December 31, 2025 the licence will be amended to include terms on royalty.

On September 21, 2023 and October 13, 2023 the Corporation signed Addendum 7 to the Nalunaq Licence which amended certain of the Milestones pertaining to the licence including preparing an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and Social Impact Assessment (SIA) by 30 June 2024. . The addendum became effective on November 6, 2023, when it was signed by the Government of Greenland. Failure to satisfy any of the conditions set forth in the addendums to the Nalunaq Licence may result in the MLSA revoking the Nalunaq Licence without further notice.

#### **8.2 Tartoq - Au**

##### **8.2.1 Purchase of the Tartoq Licence**

Nalunaq A/S signed on July 6, 2016 a sale and purchase agreement, to purchase from Nanoq Resources Ltd. the Tartoq exploration licence number 2015/17 located in Southwest Greenland, for a total consideration of \$7,221. The licence originally expired December 31, 2024 with an entitlement to a 5-year extension. The renewal for a period of five years has been confirmed with Addendum No. 3 dated February 2020 which was signed by Nalunaq A/S on February 13, 2020 and became effective on March 13, 2020 when it was signed by the Government of Greenland. In response to the COVID 19 pandemic, the Government of Greenland gave an extension of the licence period for all exploration licences by two years, therefore the licence expires December 31, 2026.

##### **8.2.2 Exploration commitments**

For the exploration licence, Nalunaq A/S 2023 obligation is DKK 2.031.600 of exploration activities in 2023, which together with the carried forward 2022 licence obligation of DKK 742,143 will result in DKK 2,773,743 (\$543,942 using the exchange rate as at December 31, 2023) exploration obligation in 2023 before an approval of 2023 incurred expenses by MLSA. For the purpose of crediting expenditures against the amounts set forth in the Tartoq Licence, actual expenditures are multiplied by a factor of between 1.5 and 3, depending upon the type of expenditures made. If these obligations are not met, certain measures may be taken by the licence holder to rectify the situation, including reducing the area of the licence proportionately to the spending shortfall or rolling over the exploration commitment to the next period subject to approval from the MLSA. Nalunaq A/S will submit statements of expenses for the Tartoq exploration licence for the 2023 year to the MLSA by April 1, 2024.

#### **8.3 Vagar - Au**

##### **8.3.1 Purchase of the Vagar Licence**

Nalunaq A/S entered into a sale and purchase agreement with NunaMinerals A/S, acting through its bankruptcy receiver, on February 6, 2017 to acquire the Vagar exploration licence number 2006/10 ("Vagar Licence") located in Western Greenland, along with all mineral exploration and mining-related data, maps and reports pertaining to the Vagar Licence, studies and reports, for a purchase price of \$9,465 (DKK 50,000). Upon the approval of the Greenland authorities received on October 30, 2017, Nalunaq A/S signed the paperwork to complete the licence transfer, which became effective upon the Greenland authorities executing the document on January 18, 2018. The licence originally expired December 31, 2021 with a possible 6-year extension. In response to the COVID 19 pandemic, the Government of Greenland gave an extension of the licence period for all exploration licences by two years, therefore the licence expired December 31, 2023.



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### **8. MINERAL PROPERTIES (CONT'D)**

The Corporation has applied for an additional 3 years extension and a licence reduction to a total area of 197 km<sup>2</sup> and are awaiting final documentation from the Government.

#### **8.3.2 Exploration commitments**

For the exploration licence, Nalunaq A/S shall complete DKK 16,353,000 of exploration activities in 2023. 2022 carried forward balance was DKK 5,716,001, resulting in DKK 22,069,001 (\$4,327,819 using the exchange rate as at December 31, 2023) exploration obligation in 2023 before an approval of 2023 incurred expenditures by MLSA. For the purpose of crediting expenditures against the amounts set forth in the Vagar Licence, actual expenditures are multiplied by a factor of between 1.5 and 3, depending upon the type of expenditures made. If these obligations are not met, certain measures may be taken by the licence holder to rectify the situation, including reducing the area of the licence proportionately to the spending shortfall or rolling over the exploration commitment to the next period subject to approval from the MLSA. Nalunaq A/S will submit its statements of expenses for the Vagar exploration licence for the 2023 year to the MLSA by April 1, 2024.

### **8.4 Nuna Nutaaq - Au**

#### **8.4.1 Purchase of the Nuna Nutaaq Licence**

The Corporation has acquired the right to conduct exploration activities on approximately 244km<sup>2</sup> of land in an area of Itillersuaq near Narsaq in South Greenland. The exploration rights have been granted to the Corporation under a new separate Exploration Licence 2019/113 Nuna Nutaaq. The licence application has been approved and all required documentation was signed by the Corporation on September 13, 2019 and the licence became effective on September 26, 2019 when it was signed by the Government of Greenland. The licence originally expired December 31, 2023 with an entitlement to a 5-year extension. In response to the COVID 19 pandemic, the Government of Greenland gave an extension of the licence period for all exploration licences by two years, therefore the licence expires December 31, 2025.

#### **8.4.2 Exploration commitments**

In 2023 Nalunaq A/S shall complete DKK 2,637,920 of exploration activities, received an approval of 2022 exploration expenses of 3,832,527 and 2022 carried forward credits of 2,344,489 which results in a total credit of DKK 3,229,826 for 2023 (credit of \$633,382 using the exchange rate as at December 31, 2023) so there is no exploration obligation in 2023 which was confirmed by MLSA. For the purpose of crediting expenditures against the amounts set forth in the Nuna Nutaaq Licence, actual expenditures are multiplied by a factor of between 1.5 and 3, depending upon the type of expenditures made. If these obligations are not met, certain measures may be taken by the licence holder to rectify the situation, including reducing the area of the licence proportionately to the spending shortfall or rolling over the exploration commitment to the next period subject to approval from the MLSA. Nalunaq A/S will submit statements of expenses for the Nuna Nutaaq exploration licence for the 2023 year to the MLSA by April 1, 2024.

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### **8. MINERAL PROPERTIES (CONT'D)**

#### **8.5 Anoritoq - Au**

##### **8.5.1 Purchase of the Anoritoq Licence**

The Corporation acquired the right to conduct exploration activities on approximately 1,185km<sup>2</sup> of land in the areas of Anoritoq and Kangerluluk in South Greenland. The exploration rights have been granted to the Corporation under a new separate Exploration Licence 2020/36, referred to as Anoritoq. The licence application has been approved and all required documentation was signed by the Corporation on June 11, 2020 and the licence became effective on June 24, 2020 when it was signed by the Government of Greenland. In October 2020, the Corporation was granted an addendum to the Anoritoq Licence, increasing the size of the licence to 1,889km<sup>2</sup> and became effective November 6, 2020 when it was signed by the Government of Greenland. The licence originally expired December 31, 2024 with a possible 5-year extension. In response to the COVID 19 pandemic, the Government of Greenland gave an extension of the licence period for all exploration licences by two years, therefore the licence expires December 31, 2026.

##### **8.5.2 Exploration commitments**

In 2023 Nalunaq A/S shall complete DKK 3,421,080 of exploration activities, received an approval of 2022 exploration expenses of DKK 969,834 and carry forward of 2022 credits of DKK 738,610 which results in total of DKK 2,682,470 (\$526,043 using the exchange rate as at December 31, 2023) exploration obligation in 2023 before an approval of 2023 expenses by MLSA. For the purpose of crediting expenditures against the amounts set forth in the Anoritoq Licence, actual expenditures are multiplied by a factor of between 1.5 and 3, depending upon the type of expenditures made. If these obligations are not met, certain measures may be taken by the licence holder to rectify the situation, including reducing the area of the licence proportionately to the spending shortfall or rolling over the exploration commitment to the next period subject to approval from the MLSA. Nalunaq A/S will submit its statements of expenses for the Anoritoq exploration licence for the 2023 year to the MLSA by April 1, 2024.

#### **8.6 Siku - Au**

##### **8.6.1 Purchase of the Siku Licence**

The Corporation acquired the right to conduct exploration activities on approximately 251km<sup>2</sup> of land in an areas between the Nanoq and Jokum's Shear project on the east coast of South Greenland. The exploration rights have been granted to the Corporation under a new separate Exploration Licence 2022/08, referred to as Siku. The licence application has been approved and all required documentation was signed by the Corporation on May 10, 2022 and the licence became effective on June 3, 2022 when it was signed by the Government of Greenland. The licence expires December 31, 2026 with a possible 5-year extension.

##### **8.6.2 Exploration commitments**

For the exploration licence, Nalunaq A/S shall complete DKK 603,720 of exploration activities in 2023 and carried forward DKK 296,595 from 2022 resulting in total obligation balance of DKK 900,315 (\$176,555 using the exchange rate as at December 31, 2023). For the purpose of crediting expenditures against the amounts set forth in the Siku Licence, actual expenditures are multiplied by a factor of between 1.5 and 3, depending upon the type of expenditures made. If these obligations are not met, certain measures may be taken by the licence holder to rectify the situation, including reducing the area of the licence proportionately to the spending shortfall or rolling over the exploration commitment to the next period subject to approval from the MLSA. Nalunaq A/S will submit its statements of expenses for the Siku exploration licence for the 2023 year to the MLSA by April 1, 2024.

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### 8. MINERAL PROPERTIES (CONT'D)

#### 8.7 Genex

On September 26, 2019, Nalunaq A/S was granted a prospecting licence number 2019/146 covering East Greenland, in this context defined as areas south of 75°N and east of 44°W. It is valid for a term of five years until December 31, 2023. Nalunaq A/S intends to reapply for the prospecting license over East Greenland. Nalunaq A/S is not obligated to spend exploration expenses regarding this licence area during this period.

On October 28, 2022, Nalunaq A/S was awarded a prospecting licence number 2022/77 covering West Greenland, in this context defined as areas south of 78°N and west of 44°W. It is valid for a term of five years until December 31, 2027. Nalunaq A/S is not obligated to spend exploration expenses regarding this licence area during this period.

### 9. CAPITAL ASSETS

|                                     | Field<br>equipment<br>and<br>infrastructure<br>\$ | Vehicles and<br>rolling stock<br>\$ | Equipment<br>(including<br>software)<br>\$ | Construction<br>In Progress<br>\$ | Total<br>\$         |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>2022</b>                         |                                                   |                                     |                                            |                                   |                     |
| Opening net book value              | 1,989,114                                         | 4,304,709                           | 156,011                                    | 7,452,668                         | 13,902,502          |
| Additions                           | -                                                 | -                                   | 179,040                                    | 69,417                            | 248,457             |
| Disposals                           | -                                                 | (123,360)                           | (40,501)                                   | -                                 | (163,861)           |
| Adjustment                          | -                                                 | -                                   | -                                          | -                                 | -                   |
| Depreciation                        | (253,362)                                         | (438,965)                           | (78,165)                                   | -                                 | (770,492)           |
| Closing net book value              | 1,735,752                                         | 3,742,384                           | 216,385                                    | 7,522,085                         | 13,216,606          |
| <b>As at December 31,<br/>2022</b>  |                                                   |                                     |                                            |                                   |                     |
| <b>Cost</b>                         | <b>2,351,041</b>                                  | <b>4,466,971</b>                    | <b>313,214</b>                             | <b>7,522,085</b>                  | <b>\$14,653,311</b> |
| <b>Accumulated<br/>depreciation</b> | <b>(615,289)</b>                                  | <b>(724,587)</b>                    | <b>(96,829)</b>                            | <b>-</b>                          | <b>(1,436,705)</b>  |
| <b>Closing net book value</b>       | <b>1,735,752</b>                                  | <b>3,742,384</b>                    | <b>216,385</b>                             | <b>7,522,085</b>                  | <b>13,216,606</b>   |
| <b>2023</b>                         |                                                   |                                     |                                            |                                   |                     |
| Opening net book value              | 1,735,752                                         | 3,742,384                           | 216,385                                    | 7,522,085                         | 13,216,606          |
| Additions                           | -                                                 | -                                   | -                                          | 25,761,155                        | 25,761,155          |
| Disposals                           | -                                                 | -                                   | (80,983)                                   | -                                 | (80,983)            |
| Adjustment                          | -                                                 | -                                   | 43,054                                     | -                                 | 43,192              |
| Depreciation                        | (198,373)                                         | (430,266)                           | (69,634)                                   | -                                 | (698,273)           |
| Closing net book value              | 1,537,379                                         | 3,312,118                           | 108,822                                    | 33,283,240                        | 38,241,559          |
| <b>As at December 31,<br/>2023</b>  |                                                   |                                     |                                            |                                   |                     |
| <b>Cost</b>                         | <b>2,351,041</b>                                  | <b>4,466,971</b>                    | <b>232,231</b>                             | <b>33,283,240</b>                 | <b>\$40,333,483</b> |
| <b>Accumulated<br/>depreciation</b> | <b>(813,662)</b>                                  | <b>(1,154,853)</b>                  | <b>(123,409)</b>                           | <b>-</b>                          | <b>(2,091,786)</b>  |
| <b>Closing net book value</b>       | <b>1,537,379</b>                                  | <b>3,312,118</b>                    | <b>108,822</b>                             | <b>33,283,240</b>                 | <b>38,241,559</b>   |

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### 9. CAPITAL ASSETS (CONT'D)

Depreciation of capital assets related to exploration and evaluation properties is being recorded in exploration and evaluation expenses in the consolidated statement of comprehensive loss, under depreciation. Depreciation of \$635,773 (\$721,072 – 2022) was expensed as exploration and evaluation expenses in 2023.

As of December 31, 2023, the amount of \$33,283,240 (\$7,522,085 as at December 31, 2022) of construction in progress is related to equipment and infrastructure received or in storage and which will be installed at the appropriate time. Equipment and infrastructure include process plant components that are not yet available for use.

As at December 31, 2023, the Corporation had capital commitments, of \$56,681,735. These commitments relate to the development of Nalunaq Project, rehabilitation of the Nalunaq mine, construction of processing plant, purchases of mobile equipment and establishment of surface infrastructure.

During 2023 the Company capitalised borrowing costs of \$1,457,638 to construction in progress, which are included in additions.

### 10. CONVERTIBLE NOTES

|                                        | Convertible notes<br>loan | Embedded<br>Derivatives at<br>FVTPL | Total             |
|----------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
|                                        | \$                        | \$                                  | \$                |
| Balance as at December 31, 2022        | -                         | -                                   | -                 |
| Gross proceeds from issue              | 30,431,180                | -                                   | 30,431,180        |
| Embedded derivative component          | (19,443,663)              | 19,443,663                          | -                 |
| Transaction costs (note 10.2)          | (362,502)                 | -                                   | (362,502)         |
| Accretion of discount                  | 949,062                   | -                                   | 949,062           |
| Accrued interest                       | 508,576                   | -                                   | 508,576           |
| Fair value change                      | -                         | 4,536,411                           | 4,536,411         |
| Foreign exchange loss (gain)           | (319,600)                 | -                                   | (319,600)         |
| <b>Balance as at December 31, 2023</b> | <b>11,763,053</b>         | <b>23,980,074</b>                   | <b>35,743,127</b> |
| Non-current portion                    | -                         | -                                   | -                 |
| <b>Current portion</b>                 | <b>11,763,053</b>         | <b>23,980,074</b>                   | <b>35,743,127</b> |

#### 10.1 Revolving Credit Facility

A \$25 million (US\$18.5 million) Revolving Credit Facility ("RCF") provided by Landsbankinn hf. and Fossar Investment Bank, with a two-year term and priced at SOFR plus 950bps. Interest is capitalized and payable at the end of the term.

The credit facility is denominated in US Dollars and the SOFR interest rate is determined with reference to the CME Term SOFR Rates published by CME Group Inc. The Landsbankinn hf. and Fossar revolving credit facility carries (i) a commitment fee of 0.40% per annum calculated on the undrawn facility amount and (ii) an arrangement fee of 2.00% on the facility amount where 1.5% is to be paid on or before the closing date of the facility and 0.50% is to be paid on or before the first draw down. The facility is not convertible into any securities of the Corporation.

The facility will be secured by (i) a bank account pledge from the Corporation and Nalunaq A/S, (ii) share pledges over all current and future acquired shares in Nalunaq A/S and Gardaq A/S held by the Corporation pursuant to the terms of share pledge agreements, (iii) a proceeds loan assignment agreement, (iv) a pledge agreement in respect of owner's mortgage deeds and (v) a licence transfer agreement. The Corporation has not yet drawn on this facility.

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### 10. CONVERTIBLE NOTES (CONT'D)

#### 10.2 Convertible notes

Convertible notes represent \$30.4 million (US\$22.4 million) notes issued to ECAM LP (US\$16 million), JLE Property Ltd. (US\$4 million) and Livermore Partners LLC (US\$2.4 million) with a four-year term and a fixed interest rate of 5%. The conversion price of \$0.90 per common share is the closing Canadian market price of the Amaroq shares on the day, prior to the closing day of the Debt Financing.

The convertible notes are denominated in US Dollars and will mature on September 30, 2027, being the date that is four years from the convertible note offering closing date. The principal amount of the convertible notes will be convertible, in whole or in part, at any time from one month after issuance into common shares of the Corporation ("Common Shares") at a conversion price of \$0.90 (£0.525) per Common Share for a total of up to 33,812,401 Common Shares. The Corporation may repay the convertible notes and accrued interest at any time, in cash, subject to providing 30 days' notice to the relevant noteholders, with such noteholders having the option to convert such convertible notes into Common Shares at the conversion price up to 5 days prior to the redemption date. If the Corporation chooses to redeem some but not all of the outstanding convertible notes, the Corporation shall redeem a pro rata share of each noteholder's holding of convertible notes. The Corporation shall pay a commitment fee to the holders of the convertible notes of, in aggregate, \$5,511,293 (US\$4,484,032), which shall be paid pro rata to each noteholder's holding of convertible notes. The commitment fee is payable on the earlier of (a) the date falling 20 business days after all amounts outstanding under the Bank Revolving Credit Facility have been repaid in full, but no earlier than the date that is 24 months after the date of issuance of the notes; and (b) the date falling 30 (thirty) months after the date of the subscription agreement in respect of the notes, irrespective of whether or not notes have converted at that date or been repaid.

The convertible notes will be secured by (i) bank account pledge agreements from the Corporation and Nalunaq A/S, (ii) share pledges over all current and future acquired shares in Nalunaq A/S and Gardaq A/S held by the Corporation pursuant to the terms of share pledge agreements, (iii) a proceeds loan assignment agreement, (iv) a pledge agreement in respect of owner's mortgage deeds and (v) a licence transfer agreement.

The convertible notes represent hybrid financial instruments with embedded derivatives requiring separation. The debt host portion (the "Host") of the instrument is classified at amortized cost, whereas the aggregate conversion and repayment options (the "Embedded Derivatives") are classified at fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL).

The fair value of the convertible notes at inception was recognized at \$30.4 million (US\$22.4 million) and \$19.4 million (US\$14.3 million) embedded derivative component was isolated and determined using a Black Scholes valuation model which required the use of significant unobservable inputs (note 22.4). As of December 31, 2023 the Corporation identified the fair value of embedded derivative associated with the early conversion option to be \$24.0 million. The change in fair value of embedded derivative in the period from September 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023 has been recognized in the statement of Income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss). The Host liability component at inception, before deducting transaction costs, was recognized to be the residual amount of \$10.9 million (US\$8.1 million) which is subsequently measured at amortized cost. Transaction costs incurred on the issuance of the convertible note amounted to \$1,004,030, of which \$362,502 was allocated to, and deducted from, the host liability component, and \$641,528 was allocated to the embedded derivative component and charged to profit and loss.

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### 10. CONVERTIBLE NOTES (CONT'D)

#### 10.3 Cost Overrun Facility

\$13.5 million (US\$10 million) Revolving Cost Overrun Facility from JLE Property Ltd. on the same terms as the Bank Revolving Credit Facility.

The Overrun Facility is denominated in US Dollars with a two-year term and will bear interest at the CME Term SOFR Rates by CME Group Inc. and have a margin of 9.5% per annum. The Overrun Facility carries a stand-by fee of 2.5% on the amount of committed funds. The Overrun Facility is not convertible into any securities of the Corporation.

The Overrun Facility will be secured by (i) bank account pledge agreements from the Corporation and Nalunaq A/S, (ii) share pledges over all current and future acquired shares in Nalunaq A/S and Gardaq A/S held by the Corporation pursuant to the terms of share pledge agreements, (iii) a proceeds loan assignment agreement, (iv) a pledge agreement in respect of owner's mortgage deeds and (v) a licence transfer agreement. The Corporation has not yet drawn on this facility.

### 11. LEASE LIABILITIES

|                                            | As at<br>December 31,<br>2023 | As at<br>December 31,<br>2022 |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
|                                            | \$                            | \$                            |
| Balance beginning                          | 729,237                       | 763,913                       |
| Lease payment                              | (105,894)                     | (88,245)                      |
| Interest                                   | 34,097                        | 37,523                        |
| Adjustment                                 | -                             | 16,046                        |
| Balance ending                             | 657,440                       | 729,237                       |
| Non-current portion – lease liabilities    | (577,234)                     | (657,440)                     |
| <b>Current portion – lease liabilities</b> | <b>80,206</b>                 | <b>71,797</b>                 |

#### Maturity analysis:

|                             |                |
|-----------------------------|----------------|
| 2024                        | 108,345        |
| 2025                        | 108,836        |
| 2026                        | 108,836        |
| 2027                        | 108,836        |
| 2028                        | 108,836        |
| Onwards                     | 235,809        |
| Undiscounted lease payments | 779,498        |
| Less: unearned interest     | (122,058)      |
|                             | <b>657,440</b> |

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### 11. LEASE LIABILITIES (CONT'D)

#### 11.1 Right of use asset

|                                 | As at<br>December 31,<br>2023 | As at<br>December 31,<br>2022 |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
|                                 | \$                            | \$                            |
| Opening net book value          | 655,063                       | 740,150                       |
| Additions                       | -                             | -                             |
| Disposals                       | -                             | -                             |
| Adjustment                      | -                             | (4,880)                       |
| Amortisation                    | (80,207)                      | (80,207)                      |
| <b>Closing net book value</b>   | <b>574,856</b>                | <b>655,063</b>                |
| <b>Cost</b>                     | <b>836,200</b>                | <b>836,200</b>                |
| <b>Accumulated amortisation</b> | <b>(261,344)</b>              | <b>(181,137)</b>              |
| <b>Closing net book value</b>   | <b>574,856</b>                | <b>655,063</b>                |

The Corporation has one lease for its office. In October 2020, the Corporation started the lease for five years and five months including five free rent months during this period. The monthly rent is \$8,825 until March 2024 and \$9,070 for the balance of the lease. The Corporation has the option to renew the lease for an additional five-year period at \$9,070 monthly rent indexed annually to the increase of the consumer price index of the previous year for the Montreal area.

A right-of-use asset of \$841,080 and an equivalent long term lease liability was recorded as of October 1, 2020, with a 5% incremental borrowing rate and considering that the renewal option would be exercised. Amortisation of right-of-use assets is being recorded in general and administrative expenses in the consolidated statement of comprehensive loss, under depreciation. Amortisation of \$80,207 (\$80,207 in 2022) was expensed as general and administration expenses in 2023.

### 12. SHARE CAPITAL

#### 12.1 Share Capital

The Corporation is authorized to issue an unlimited number of common voting shares and an unlimited number of preferred shares issuable in series, all without par value.

#### 12.2 Nasdaq Main Market Listing in Iceland

Subsequent to the approval by the Central Bank of Iceland (the "FSA") and satisfaction of all Nasdaq Main Market requirements the Corporation transferred all depository receipts from the Nasdaq First North Growth Market to the Nasdaq Main Market with the first day of trading on September 21, 2023. The mainboard listing in Iceland do not affect any shares traded on AIM or the TSX-V.

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### 13. STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION

#### 13.1 Stock options

An incentive stock option plan (the "Plan") was approved initially in 2017 and renewed by shareholders on June 15, 2023. The Plan is a "rolling" plan whereby a maximum of 10% of the issued shares at the time of the grant are reserved for issue under the Plan to executive officers, directors, employees and consultants. The Board of directors grants the stock options and the exercise price of the options shall not be less than the closing price on the last trading day, preceding the grant date. The options have a maximum term of ten years. Options granted pursuant to the Plan shall vest and become exercisable at such time or times as may be determined by the Board, except options granted to consultants providing investor relations activities shall vest in stages over a 12-month period with a maximum of one-quarter of the options vesting in any three-month period. The Corporation has no legal or constructive obligation to repurchase or settle the options in cash.

On January 17, 2022, the Corporation granted its officers, employees and consultant 4,100,000 stock options with an exercise price of \$0.60 and expiry date of January 17, 2027. The stock options vested 100% at the grant date. The options were granted at an exercise price equal to the closing market price of the shares the day prior to the grant. Total stock-based compensation costs amount to \$1,435,000 for an estimated fair value of \$0.35 per option.

On April 20, 2022, the Corporation granted a senior employee 73,333 stock options with an exercise price of \$0.75 and expiry date of April 20, 2027. The stock options vested 100% at the grant date. The options were granted with an exercise price equal to the closing market price of the shares the day prior to the grant. Total stock-based compensation costs amount to \$32,267 for an estimated fair value of \$0.44 per option. The fair value of the options granted was estimated using the Black-Scholes model with no expected dividend yield, 68.9% expected volatility, 2.7% risk-free interest rate and a 5-year term. The expected life and expected volatility were estimated by benchmarking comparable companies to the Corporation.

On July 14, 2022, the Corporation granted an employee 39,062 stock options with an exercise price of \$0.64 and expiry date of July 14, 2027. The stock options vested 100% at the grant date. The options were granted with an exercise price equal to the closing market price of the shares the day prior to the grant. Total stock-based compensation costs amount to \$14,844 for an estimated fair value of \$0.38 per option. The fair value of the options granted was estimated using the Black-Scholes model with no expected dividend yield, 69% expected volatility, 3.1% risk-free interest rate and a 5-year term. The expected life and expected volatility were estimated by benchmarking comparable companies to the Corporation.

On December 30, 2022, the Corporation granted its employees and consultant 1,330,000 stock options with an exercise price of \$0.70 and expiry date of December 30, 2027. The stock options vested 100% at the grant date. The options were granted at an exercise price equal to the closing market price of the shares the day prior to the grant. Total stock-based compensation costs amount to \$545,300 for an estimated fair value of \$0.41 per option.

On July 24, 2023, the Corporation granted an on-hire incentive stock option award to a new senior employee of Amaroq. The option award gives the employee the right to acquire up to 19,480 common shares under the Corporation's stock option Plan. The option has an exercise price of \$0.77 per share which vested on October 24, 2023. The option will expire if it remains unexercised five years from the date of the award.



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### 13. STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION (CONT'D)

On December 20, 2023, the Corporation granted its employees 61,490 stock options with an exercise price of \$1.09 and expiry date of December 20, 2028. The stock options vested 100% at the grant date. The options were granted at an exercise price equal to the closing market price of the shares the day prior to the grant. Total stock-based compensation costs amount to \$36,894 for an estimated fair value of \$0.60 per option.

The fair value of each option granted was estimated at the time of grant using the Black-Scholes option pricing model. Black-Scholes is a pricing model used to determine the fair price or theoretical value for a call or a put option based on the following assumptions at the measurement date:

|                              | December 31,<br>2023 | December 31,<br>2022 |
|------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Risk free rate               | 3.1% - 3.7%          | 1.5% - 3.3%          |
| Expected life (years)        | 5 years              | 5 years              |
| Volatility                   | 68.0% - 61.6%        | 68.9% - 69.4%        |
| Share price at date of grant | \$0.77 - \$1.09      | \$0.60 - \$0.75      |
| Fair value per option        | \$0.46 - \$0.60      | \$0.35 - \$0.44      |

The total share-based payment expenses related to the options and the amount credited to contributed surplus were \$52,303 (\$2,046,342 for the year ended December 31, 2022). The following table outlines the activity for stock options for the years ended December 31, 2023, and 2022:

Changes in stock options are as follow:

|                          | 2023                 |                                       | 2022                 |                                       |
|--------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|
|                          | Number of<br>options | Weighted<br>average<br>exercise price | Number of<br>options | Weighted<br>average<br>exercise price |
| Balance, beginning       | 10,717,395           | \$ 0.57                               | 6,935,000            | \$ 0.51                               |
| Granted                  | 80,970               | 1.01                                  | 5,542,395            | 0.63                                  |
| Expired                  | -                    | -                                     | (1,500,000)          | 0.53                                  |
| Exercised                | (1,610,000)          | 0.46                                  | (260,000)            | 0.50                                  |
| <b>Balance, end</b>      | <b>9,188,365</b>     | <b>0.59</b>                           | <b>10,717,395</b>    | <b>0.57</b>                           |
| Balance, end exercisable | 9,188,365            | 0.59                                  | 10,684,062           | 0.57                                  |

From the options exercised during the period ended December 31, 2023, 1,012,971 shares were withheld to cover the stock option grant price and related taxes.

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### 13. STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION (CONT'D)

Stock options outstanding and exercisable as at December 31, 2023 are as follows:

| Number of options<br>outstanding | Number of options<br>exercisable | Exercise<br>price<br>\$ | Expiry date        |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
| 1,670,000                        | 1,670,000                        | 0.38                    | December 31, 2025  |
| 1,395,000                        | 1,395,000                        | 0.70                    | December 31, 2026  |
| 100,000                          | 100,000                          | 0.50                    | September 13, 2026 |
| 3,600,000                        | 3,600,000                        | 0.60                    | January 17, 2027   |
| 73,333                           | 73,333                           | 0.75                    | April 20, 2027     |
| 39,062                           | 39,062                           | 0.64                    | July 14, 2027      |
| 1,330,000                        | 1,330,000                        | 0.70                    | December 30, 2027  |
| 900,000                          | 900,000                          | 0.59                    | December 31, 2027  |
| 19,480                           | 19,480                           | 0.77                    | July 24, 2028      |
| 61,490                           | 61,490                           | 1.09                    | December 20, 2028  |
| <b>9,188,365</b>                 | <b>9,188,365</b>                 |                         |                    |

#### 13.2 Restricted Share Unit

##### Conditional awards under the RSU

##### 13.2.1 Description

Conditional awards were made in 2022 that give participants the opportunity to earn restricted share unit awards under the Corporation's Restricted Share Unit Plan ("RSU Plan") subject to the generation of shareholder value over a four-year performance period.

The awards are designed to align the interests of the Corporation's employees and shareholders, by incentivising the delivery of exceptional shareholder returns over the long-term. Participants receive a 10% share of a pool which is defined by the total shareholder value created above a 10% per annum compound hurdle.

The awards comprise three tranches, based on performance measured from January 1, 2022, to the following three measurement dates:

- First Measurement Date: December 31, 2023;
- Second Measurement Date: December 31, 2024; and
- Third Measurement Date: December 31, 2025.

Restricted share unit awards granted under the RSU Plan as a result of achievement of the total shareholder return performance conditions are subject to continued service, with vesting as follows:

- Awards granted after the First Measurement Date - 50% vest after one year, 50% vest after three years.
- Awards granted after the Second Measurement Date - 50% vest after one year, 50% vest after two years.
- RSUs granted after the Third Measurement Date - 100% vest after one year.

The maximum term of the awards is therefore four years from grant.

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### 13. STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION (CONT'D)

The Corporation's starting market capitalization is based on a fixed share price of \$0.552. Value created by share price growth and dividends paid at each measurement date will be calculated with reference to the average closing share price over the three months ending on that date.

- After December 31, 2023, 100% of the pool value at the First Measurement Date is delivered as restricted share units under the RSU Plan, subject to the maximum number of shares that can be allotted not being exceeded.
- After December 31, 2024, the pool value at the Second Measurement Date is reduced by the pool value from the First Measurement Date (increased in line with share price movements between the First and Second Measurement Dates). 100% of the remaining pool value, if any, is delivered as restricted share units under the RSU Plan.
- After December 31, 2025, the pool value at the Third Measurement Date is reduced by the pool value from the Second Measurement Date (increased in line with share price movements between the Second and Third Measurement Dates), and then further reduced by the pool value from the First Measurement Date (increased in line with share price movements between the First Measurement Date and the Third Measurement Date). 100% of the remaining pool value, if any, is delivered as restricted share units under the RSU Plan.

#### 13.2.2 RSU Plan Amendment

The RSU Plan was amended by a shareholders General Meeting on June 15, 2023. As a result of the amendment the number of shares that could be issued under the RSU Plan to satisfy the conditional awards and other share awards was increased from 10% of a fixed share capital amount of 177,098,740 shares to 10% of share capital at the time of award, amounting to 10% of 263,073,022 shares, reduced by the number of outstanding options at each calculation date. As a result, an additional expense based on the difference between the fair value of the conditional awards before and after the modification will be recognised over the service period. The incremental fair value was determined and incorporated into the valuation in 12.2.2.

#### 13.2.3 New Conditional Award under RSU Plan

On 13 October 2023, Amaroq made an award (the "Award") under the RSU Plan as detailed below. The Award consists of a conditional right to receive value if the future performance targets, applicable to the Award, are met. Any value to which the participants are eligible in respect of the Award will be granted as Restricted Share Units (each an "RSU"), with each RSU entitling a participant to receive common shares in the Corporation. Each RSU will be granted under, and governed in accordance with, the rules of the Corporation's Restricted Share Unit Plan.

|                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Award Date               | October 13, 2023                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Initial Price            | CAD 0.552                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Hurdle Rate              | 10% p.a. above the Initial Price                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Total Pool               | 10% of the growth in value above the Hurdle rate, not exceeding 10% of the Corporation's share capital.<br>The number of shares will be determined at the Measurement Dates.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| Participant proportion   | Edward Wyvill, Corporate Development 10%                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| Performance Period       | January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2025 (inclusive)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Normal Measurement Dates | First Measurement Date: December 31, 2023, 50% vesting on the first anniversary of grant, with the remaining 50% vesting on the third anniversary of grant.<br>Second Measurement Date: December 31, 2024, 50% vesting on the first anniversary of grant, with the remaining 50% vesting on the second anniversary of grant.<br>Third Measurement Date: December 31, 2025, vesting on the first anniversary of grant. |

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### 13. STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION (CONT'D)

#### 13.2.4 Valuation

The fair value of the award granted in December 2022 and modified June 2023, in addition to the award granted October 13, 2023, increased to \$7,378,000 based on 90% of the available pool being awarded. A charge of \$1,856,000 was recorded during the year ended December 31, 2023 (nil in the year ended December 31, 2022).

The fair value was obtained through the use of a Monte Carlo simulation model which calculates a fair value based on a large number of randomly generated projections of the Corporation's share price.

| Assumption                                            | Value              |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Grant date                                            | December 30, 2022  |
| Amendment date                                        | June 15, 2023      |
| Additional award date                                 | October 13, 2023   |
| Expected life (years)                                 | 2.22 – 3.00        |
| Share price at grant date                             | \$0.70 - \$0.97    |
| Exercise price                                        | N/A                |
| Dividend yield                                        | 0%                 |
| Risk-free rate                                        | 3.60% - 4.71%      |
| Volatility                                            | 55% - 72%          |
| <i>Fair value of awards - First Measurement Date</i>  | <i>\$4,420,000</i> |
| <i>Fair value of awards - Second Measurement Date</i> | <i>\$1,946,000</i> |
| <i>Fair value of awards - Third Measurement Date</i>  | <i>\$1,012,000</i> |
| <b>Total fair value of awards (90% of pool)</b>       | <b>\$7,378,000</b> |

Expected volatility was determined from the daily share price volatility over a historical period prior to the date of grant with length commensurate with the expected life. A zero dividend yield has been used based on the dividend yield as at the date of grant.

### 14. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The capital of the Corporation consists of the items included in equity and balances thereof and changes therein are depicted in the consolidated statement of changes in equity.

The Corporation's objectives are to safeguard the Corporation's ability to continue as a going concern in order to pursue its acquisition, exploration and evaluation activities and to maintain a flexible capital structure which optimizes the costs of capital at an acceptable risk. The Corporation manages the capital structure and makes adjustments to it in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. As the Corporation does not have cash flow from operations, to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Corporation may attempt to issue new shares, issue debt, acquire or dispose of assets or adjust the amount of cash. In order to maximize ongoing development efforts and to continue operations, the Corporation does not pay out dividends. The Corporation is not subject to externally imposed restrictions on capital.

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**15. EMPLOYEE REMUNERATION**

**Salaries**

|                                                                                      | 2023             | 2022             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                                                      | \$               | \$               |
| Salaries                                                                             | 4,635,391        | 3,502,513        |
| Director's fees                                                                      | 631,667          | 628,000          |
| Benefits                                                                             | 380,839          | 590,407          |
|                                                                                      | 5,647,897        | 4,720,920        |
| Less: salaries and benefits presented in E&E expenses                                | (704,620)        | (904,888)        |
| <b>Salaries and directors' fees disclosed in general and administrative expenses</b> | <b>4,943,277</b> | <b>3,816,032</b> |

**16. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION EXPENSES**

| 2023                                                           | Nalunaq          | Vagar         | Nuna<br>Nutaq | Anoritoq | Saarloq        | Sava             | Kobbermi<br>nebugt | Stendalen       | North<br>Sava    | Total            |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------|---------------|----------|----------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                                | \$               | \$            | \$            | \$       | \$             | \$               | \$                 | \$              | \$               | \$               |
| Geology                                                        | 385,796          | -             | 30,056        | -        | (1,921)        | (59,660)         | (16,914)           | (20,202)        | (34,913)         | 282,242          |
| Lodging and on-site support                                    | 305,808          | -             | -             | -        | (854)          | (29,413)         | (5,737)            | (5,676)         | (8,791)          | 255,337          |
| Drilling                                                       | 1,354,447        | -             | -             | -        | -              | (144,019)        | -                  | -               | -                | 1,210,428        |
| Analysis                                                       | 32,177           | 156           | -             | -        | (87)           | (25,060)         | (1,035)            | (173)           | -                | 5,978            |
| Geophysics survey                                              | -                | -             | -             | -        | -              | -                | -                  | -               | (416,177)        | (416,177)        |
| Transport                                                      | 800,247          | 3,922         | -             | -        | (442)          | (37,154)         | (2,450)            | (2,290)         | (3,256)          | 758,577          |
| Supplies and equipment                                         | 1,498,097        | -             | -             | -        | (661)          | (18,736)         | (7,148)            | (7,779)         | (13,575)         | 1,450,198        |
| Helicopter Charter                                             | 1,210,601        | 14,007        | -             | -        | -              | (241,390)        | (13,072)           | -               | -                | 970,146          |
| Logistic support                                               | -                | -             | -             | -        | (3,316)        | (16,275)         | (12,479)           | (9,796)         | (9,643)          | (51,509)         |
| Maintenance infrastructure                                     | 1,641,203        | 1,569         | -             | -        | (1,544)        | (83,364)         | (23,521)           | (26,700)        | (48,770)         | 1,458,873        |
| Project Engineering costs                                      | 55,792           | -             | -             | -        | -              | -                | -                  | -               | -                | 55,792           |
| Government fees                                                | -                | 994           | -             | -        | -              | -                | -                  | -               | -                | 994              |
| <b>Exploration and evaluation expenses before depreciation</b> | <b>7,284,168</b> | <b>20,648</b> | <b>30,056</b> | <b>-</b> | <b>(8,825)</b> | <b>(655,071)</b> | <b>(82,356)</b>    | <b>(72,616)</b> | <b>(535,125)</b> | <b>5,980,879</b> |
| Depreciation                                                   | 635,773          | -             | -             | -        | -              | -                | -                  | -               | -                | 635,773          |
| <b>Exploration and evaluation expenses</b>                     | <b>7,919,941</b> | <b>20,648</b> | <b>30,056</b> | <b>-</b> | <b>(8,825)</b> | <b>(655,071)</b> | <b>(82,356)</b>    | <b>(72,616)</b> | <b>(535,125)</b> | <b>6,616,652</b> |

| 2022                                                           | Nalunaq          | Vagar            | Nuna<br>Nutaq  | Anoritoq      | Saarloq      | Sava           | Kobbermi<br>nebugt | Stendalen     | North<br>Sava  | Total             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------|----------------|-------------------|
|                                                                | \$               | \$               | \$             | \$            | \$           | \$             | \$                 | \$            | \$             | \$                |
| Geology                                                        | 1,001,263        | 54,524           | 30,992         | 17,966        | 1,919        | 75,596         | 16,914             | 20,202        | 34,912         | 1,254,288         |
| Lodging and on-site support                                    | 170,024          | 20,900           | 4,546          | 6,652         | 854          | 29,413         | 5,737              | 5,676         | 8,791          | 252,593           |
| Drilling                                                       | 2,962,491        | 611,610          | -              | -             | -            | 144,019        | -                  | -             | -              | 3,718,120         |
| Analysis                                                       | 205,304          | 86,765           | -              | 1,208         | 87           | 25,060         | 1,035              | 173           | -              | 319,632           |
| Geophysics survey                                              | -                | -                | 364,827        | -             | -            | -              | -                  | -             | 416,177        | 781,004           |
| Transport                                                      | 222,546          | 84,644           | 2,028          | 3,052         | 442          | 37,154         | 2,450              | 2,290         | 3,256          | 357,862           |
| Supplies and equipment                                         | 484,461          | 21,247           | 5,211          | 7,178         | 661          | 20,959         | 7,148              | 7,779         | 13,575         | 568,219           |
| Helicopter Charter                                             | 221,039          | 424,586          | -              | 19,850        | -            | 267,957        | 13,072             | -             | -              | 946,504           |
| Logistic support                                               | 904,310          | 62,777           | 11,530         | 18,478        | 3,316        | 16,275         | 12,479             | 9,796         | 9,643          | 1,048,604         |
| Maintenance infrastructure                                     | 2,401,358        | 62,431           | 16,437         | 21,886        | 1,544        | 83,558         | 23,521             | 26,700        | 48,770         | 2,686,205         |
| Project Engineering costs                                      | 35,946           | -                | -              | -             | -            | -              | -                  | -             | -              | 35,946            |
| Government fees                                                | 2,584            | 7,893            | -              | -             | -            | -              | -                  | -             | -              | 10,477            |
| <b>Exploration and evaluation expenses before depreciation</b> | <b>8,611,326</b> | <b>1,437,377</b> | <b>435,571</b> | <b>96,270</b> | <b>8,823</b> | <b>699,991</b> | <b>82,356</b>      | <b>72,616</b> | <b>535,124</b> | <b>11,979,454</b> |
| Depreciation                                                   | 721,072          | -                | -              | -             | -            | -              | -                  | -             | -              | 721,072           |
| <b>Exploration and evaluation expenses</b>                     | <b>9,332,398</b> | <b>1,437,377</b> | <b>435,571</b> | <b>96,270</b> | <b>8,823</b> | <b>699,991</b> | <b>82,356</b>      | <b>72,616</b> | <b>535,124</b> | <b>12,700,526</b> |

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### 16. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION EXPENSES (CONT'D)

Exploration and Evaluation expenses for the period of twelve months ended December 31, 2023 are net of \$1,353,993 of Exploration and Evaluation expenses incurred by Nalunaq A/S during the period from June 9 2022 to April 13, 2023 for the six non-gold strategic mineral licenses that have been transferred from Nalunaq A/S to Gardaq A/S (Note 21.1).

### 17. GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE

|                                                             | 2023              | 2022              |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|                                                             | \$                | \$                |
| Salaries and benefits                                       | 4,311,610         | 3,188,032         |
| Director's fees                                             | 631,667           | 628,000           |
| Professional fees                                           | 3,298,134         | 2,258,660         |
| Marketing and industry involvement                          | 713,161           | 598,447           |
| Insurance                                                   | 289,042           | 341,793           |
| Travel and other expenses                                   | 1,383,767         | 746,180           |
| Regulatory fees                                             | 953,521           | 212,939           |
| <b>General and administration before following elements</b> | <b>11,580,902</b> | <b>7,974,051</b>  |
| Stock-based compensation (note 13.1)                        | 1,908,303         | 2,046,342         |
| Depreciation                                                | 142,707           | 129,627           |
| <b>General and administrative</b>                           | <b>13,631,912</b> | <b>10,150,020</b> |

### 18. FINANCE COSTS

|                          | 2023          | 2022          |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|
|                          | \$            | \$            |
| Lease interest (note 11) | 34,097        | 37,523        |
| Other finance costs      | 223           | -             |
| <b>Finance costs</b>     | <b>34,320</b> | <b>37,523</b> |

### 19. INCOME TAXES

Tax expense differs from the amount computed by applying the combined Canadian Statutory and Greenlandic income tax rates, applicable to the Corporation, to the loss before income taxes due to the following:

|                                             | 2023        | 2022         |
|---------------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|
|                                             | \$          | \$           |
| Net loss before income taxes                | (833,513)   | (21,898,963) |
| Income tax rates                            | 26.5%       | 26.5%        |
| Income tax recovery                         | (220,881)   | (5,803,225)  |
| Increase (decrease) attributable to:        |             |              |
| Non deductible expenses                     | 1,971,160   | 547,829      |
| Difference in statutory tax rate            | (234,138)   | 213,652      |
| Changes in unrecognized deferred tax assets | (1,516,141) | 5,041,744    |
| Tax recovery                                | -           | -            |

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### 19. INCOME TAXES (CONT'D)

The analysis of the Corporation's deferred tax assets and liabilities as at December 31, 2023 and 2022 is as follows:

|                                    | 2023      | 2022      |
|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
|                                    | \$        | \$        |
| Deferred tax assets (liabilities): |           |           |
| Capital assets                     | (718,851) | (636,131) |
| Non-capital losses                 | 718,851   | 636,131   |
|                                    | -         | -         |

The Corporation records deferred income tax assets to the extent that it is probable that sufficient taxable income will be realized during the carry-forward period to utilize these net future tax assets.

The significant components of deductible temporary differences and unused tax losses for which the benefits have not been recorded on the consolidated statement of financial position as at December 31, 2023 are as follows:

| Greenland                         | As at<br>December 31,<br>2023 |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
|                                   | \$                            |
| Non-capital losses carry forwards | 58,120,333                    |

As the Corporation is a mineral licence holder, the non-capital losses in Greenland have no expiration date.

| Canada                                             | As at<br>December 31,<br>2023 |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
|                                                    | \$                            |
| Non-capital losses carry forwards expiring in 2038 | 965,032                       |
| Non-capital losses carry forwards expiring in 2039 | 1,272,338                     |
| Non-capital losses carry forwards expiring in 2040 | 1,210,348                     |
| Non-capital losses carry forwards expiring in 2041 | 5,622,490                     |
| Non-capital losses carry forwards expiring in 2042 | 8,261,231                     |
| Non-capital losses carry forwards expiring in 2043 | 7,680,772                     |
| Non-capital losses carry forwards expiring in 2044 | 10,153,386                    |

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### 20. NET LOSS PER SHARE

The calculation of basic and diluted net loss per share for the year ended December 31, 2023, was based on the net loss attributable to shareholders of \$833,513 (\$21,898,963 for the year ended December 31, 2022) and the weighted average number of common shares outstanding for the year ended December 31, 2023 of 272,623,548 (191,575,781 for the year ended December 31, 2022). As a result of the net loss for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, all potentially dilutive common shares are deemed to be antidilutive and thus diluted net loss per share is equal to the basic net loss per share for these periods.

|                                                                | 2023             | 2022                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
|                                                                | \$               | \$                  |
| <b>Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss)</b>       | <b>(833,513)</b> | <b>(21,898,963)</b> |
| Weighted average number of common shares outstanding - basic   | 272,623,548      | 191,575,781         |
| Weighted average number of common shares outstanding – diluted | 272,623,548      | 191,575,781         |
| Basic earnings (loss) per share                                | (0.003)          | (0.11)              |
| Diluted earnings (loss) per common share                       | (0.003)          | (0.11)              |

### 21. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND KEY MANAGEMENT COMPENSATION

#### 21.1 Gardaq Joint Venture

|                           | 2023             | 2022     |
|---------------------------|------------------|----------|
|                           | \$               | \$       |
| Project management income | 1,714,559        | -        |
| E&E expenses (Note 16)    | 4,352,897        | -        |
|                           | <b>6,067,456</b> | <b>-</b> |

As at December 31, 2023, the balance receivable from Gardaq amounted to \$3,521,938 (\$nil as at December 31, 2022). This receivable balance represents the current balance of project management costs and exploration and evaluation costs incurred by the Corporation for six strategic minerals licenses transferred from Nalunaq A/S to Gardaq A/S. The exploration and evaluation costs incurred by the Corporation are transferred to Gardaq A/S from Nalunaq A/S in accordance with the respective clauses of the SSHA. (Note 16).



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### 21. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND KEY MANAGEMENT COMPENSATION (CONT'D)

#### 21.2 Key Management Compensation

The Corporation's key management are the members of the board of directors, the President and Chief Executive Officer, the Chief Financial Officer, the Vice President Exploration and the Corporate Secretary. Key management compensation is as follows:

|                                                    | 2023             | 2022             |
|----------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                    | \$               | \$               |
| Short-term benefits                                |                  |                  |
| Professional fees                                  | -                | -                |
| Salaries and benefits                              | 3,209,409        | 2,104,440        |
| Salaries and benefits included in the E&E expenses | -                | -                |
| Director's fees                                    | 631,667          | 628,000          |
| Long-term benefits                                 |                  |                  |
| Stock-based compensation (note 13.1)               | 1,716,000        | 1,117,000        |
| <b>Total compensation</b>                          | <b>5,557,076</b> | <b>3,849,440</b> |

Key management are subject to employment agreements which provide for payments on termination, without cause or following a change of control, providing for payments up to one base salary.

The compensation of directors is as follows:

|                           | 2023                    |                          |                    | 2022                    |                          |                    |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|
|                           | Short-term benefits (a) | Stock-based compensation | Total compensation | Short-term benefits (a) | Stock-based compensation | Total compensation |
|                           | \$                      | \$                       | \$                 | \$                      | \$                       | \$                 |
| Eldur Olafsson            | 1,553,155               | -                        | 1,553,155          | 801,935                 | 385,000                  | 1,186,935          |
| Jaco Crouse               | 841,207                 | -                        | 841,207            | 496,699                 | 315,000                  | 811,699            |
| Graham Stewart            | 181,000                 | -                        | 181,000            | 181,000                 | -                        | 181,000            |
| Sigurbjorn                | -                       | -                        | -                  | -                       | -                        | -                  |
| Thorkelsson               | 86,000                  | -                        | 86,000             | 86,000                  | -                        | 86,000             |
| Liane Kelly               | 89,667                  | -                        | 89,667             | 86,000                  | -                        | 86,000             |
| Line Frederiksen          | 86,000                  | -                        | 86,000             | 86,000                  | -                        | 86,000             |
| David Neuhauser           | 86,000                  | -                        | 86,000             | 86,000                  | -                        | 86,000             |
| Warwick Morley-Jepson     | 103,000                 | -                        | 103,000            | 103,000                 | -                        | 103,000            |
| <b>Total compensation</b> | <b>3,026,029</b>        | <b>-</b>                 | <b>3,026,029</b>   | <b>1,926,634</b>        | <b>700,000</b>           | <b>2,626,634</b>   |

(a) Short-term benefits comprise salary, director fees as applicable, annual bonus and pension.

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### 21. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND KEY MANAGEMENT COMPENSATION (CONT'D)

During 2023 certain directors acquired additional shares (net of shares withheld) by exercising their options. During 2022, the directors participated in the November 3, 2022 fundraising for \$2,700,132. The director participation is as follows:

|                        | 2023                    | 2022                    |
|------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
|                        | Number of<br>new shares | Number of<br>new shares |
| Eldur Olafsson         | 228,571                 | 814,162                 |
| Jaco Crouse            | -                       | 285,714                 |
| Graham Stewart         | 57,534                  | 142,857                 |
| Sigurbjorn Thorkelsson | -                       | 1,444,424               |
| David Neuhauser        | -                       | 2,285,714               |
| <b>Total</b>           | <b>286,105</b>          | <b>4,972,871</b>        |

During 2024, a director of the Company participating in the 13 February 2024 fundraiser and acquired an additional 2,700,000 new common shares in the Company as a result (Note 23).

### 22. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Corporation is exposed to various financial risks resulting from both its operations and its investment activities. The Management manages financial risks. The Corporation does not enter into financial instruments agreements, including derivative financial instruments, for speculative purposes. The Corporation's main financial risks exposure and its financial policies are described below.

#### 22.1 Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will cause a financial loss for the other party by failing to discharge an obligation. The Corporation's cash and escrow account for environmental monitoring are exposed to credit risk. Management believes the credit risk on cash and escrow account for environmental monitoring is small because the counterparties are chartered Canadian and Greenlandic banks.

#### 22.2 Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Corporation will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Corporation seeks to ensure that it has sufficient capital to meet short-term financial obligations after taking into account its exploration and operating obligations and cash on hand. The Corporation anticipates seeking additional financing in order to fund general and administrative costs and exploration and evaluation costs. The Corporation's options to enhance liquidity include the issuance of new equity instruments or debt.

The following table summarizes the carrying amounts and contractual maturities of financial liabilities:

|               | As at December 31, 2023     |                      |                      | As at December 31, 2022        |                      |
|---------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|
|               | Trade and<br>other payables | Convertible<br>Notes | Lease<br>liabilities | Trade and<br>other<br>payables | Lease<br>liabilities |
|               | \$                          | \$                   | \$                   | \$                             | \$                   |
| Within 1 year | 6,273,978                   | -                    | 108,345              | 1,138,961                      | 105,894              |
| 1 to 5 years  | -                           | 35,743,127           | 544,178              | -                              | 434,852              |
| 5 to 10 years | -                           | -                    | 126,975              | -                              | 344,646              |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>6,273,978</b>            | <b>35,743,127</b>    | <b>779,498</b>       | <b>1,138,961</b>               | <b>885,392</b>       |

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## 22. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONT'D)

### 22.3 Currency risk

As at December 31, 2023 and 2022, a portion of the Corporation's transactions are denominated in DKK, Euros, US\$ and British Pounds (GBP) to the extent such currencies are different from the relevant group entities' functional currency.

The Corporation had the following balances in currencies:

| As at December 31, 2023                     | In DKK           | In Euros          | In US\$          | In GBP           |
|---------------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Cash                                        | 3,307,004        | 511,458           | 9,913,039        | 3,106,964        |
| Escrow account for environmental monitoring | 3,054,191        | -                 | -                | -                |
| Prepaid expenses and others                 | 7,868,890        | 7,637,896         | 680,855          | 3,092            |
| Trade and other payables                    | (8,242,210)      | (107,103)         | (282,634)        | (20,476)         |
| Convertible notes loan (note 10)            | -                | -                 | (8,879,786)      | -                |
|                                             | 5,987,875        | 8,042,251         | 1,431,474        | 3,089,580        |
| Exchange rate                               | 0.1961           | 1.4620            | 1.3247           | 1.6863           |
| <b>Equivalent to CAD</b>                    | <b>1,174,222</b> | <b>11,757,771</b> | <b>1,896,274</b> | <b>5,209,959</b> |

Based on the above net exposures as at December 31, 2023, and assuming that all other variables remain constant, a 10% appreciation or depreciation of the Canadian dollar against the DKK, Euro, US\$ and GBP by 10% would decrease/increase profit or loss by \$2,003,823.

| As at December 31, 2022                     | In DKK         | In Euros        | In US\$          | In GBP           |
|---------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|
| Cash                                        | 1,493,645      | 72,577          | 6,372,862        | 5,580,141        |
| Escrow account for environmental monitoring | 2,193,001      | -               | -                | -                |
| Prepaid expenses and others                 | 207,465        | -               | -                | -                |
| Trade and other payables                    | (1,440,197)    | (81,970)        | (112,718)        | (57,639)         |
|                                             | 2,453,914      | (9,393)         | 6,260,144        | 5,522,502        |
| Exchange rate                               | 0.1948         | 1.4487          | 1.3541           | 1.6370           |
| <b>Equivalent to CAD</b>                    | <b>478,022</b> | <b>(13,608)</b> | <b>8,476,861</b> | <b>9,040,336</b> |

Based on the above net exposures as at December 31, 2022, and assuming that all other variables remain constant, a 10% appreciation or depreciation of the Canadian dollar against the DKK, Euro, US\$ and GBP by 10% would decrease/increase profit or loss by \$1,798,162.

### 22.4 Fair value

Financial assets and liabilities recognized or disclosed at fair value are classified in the fair value hierarchy based upon the nature of the inputs used in the determination of fair value. The levels of the fair value hierarchy are:

- Level 1 - Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities
- Level 2 - Inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e., as prices) or indirectly (i.e., derived from prices)
- Level 3 - Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (i.e., unobservable inputs)

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### 22. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONT'D)

The following table summarizes the carrying value of the Corporation's financial instruments:

|                                                  | December 31, 2023 | December 31, 2022 |
|--------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|                                                  | \$                | \$                |
| Cash                                             | 21,014,633        | 50,137,569        |
| Trade and other receivables                      | 3,521,938         | -                 |
| Sales tax receivable                             | 69,756            | 95,890            |
| Deposit                                          | 27,944            | 27,944            |
| Investment in equity-accounted joint arrangement | 23,492,811        | -                 |
| Escrow account for environmental monitoring      | 598,939           | 427,120           |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities         | (6,273,979)       | (1,138,961)       |
| Convertible notes                                | (35,743,127)      | -                 |
| Lease liabilities                                | (657,440)         | (729,237)         |

Due to the short-term maturities of cash, trade and other receivables, and accounts payable and accrued liabilities, the carrying amounts of these financial instruments approximate fair value at the respective balance sheet date.

The carrying value of the convertible note instrument approximates its fair value at maturity and includes the embedded derivative associated with the early conversion option and the host liability at amortized cost. The embedded derivative's valuation model uses historical volatility as an estimate of current market expectations of volatility. Volatility is an unobservable input and changes in the estimate of volatility impacts the fair value of the embedded derivative and profit and loss. The follow table displays the sensitivity of the embedded derivative's fair value to changes in the volatility estimate as of December 31, 2023:

| Change in volatility | Volatility | Fair Value of Embedded Derivative | Change in Fair Value | Impact on Profit and Loss |
|----------------------|------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| %                    | %          | \$                                | \$                   | \$                        |
| 0                    | 63.73%     | 23,980,074                        | -                    | -                         |
| +5%                  | 66.92%     | 24,575,411                        | 595,336              | (595,336)                 |
| +15%                 | 73.29%     | 25,741,602                        | 1,761,527            | (1,761,527)               |
| +25%                 | 79.67%     | 26,869,400                        | 2,889,325            | (2,889,325)               |
| -5%                  | 60.55%     | 23,378,006                        | (602,068)            | 602,068                   |
| -15%                 | 54.17%     | 22,159,072                        | (1,821,003)          | 1,821,003                 |
| -25%                 | 47.80%     | 20,931,967                        | (3,048,107)          | 3,048,107                 |

The carrying value of lease liabilities approximate their fair value based upon a discounted cash flows method using a discount rate that reflects the Corporation's borrowing rate at the end of the period.

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### 23. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

#### 23.1 Fundraising

On February 13, 2024, the Company announced the successful completion of its oversubscribed fundraising which resulted in a total of 62,724,758 new common shares being conditionally placed with new and existing institutional investors at a placing price of 74 pence (CAD \$1.25 at the closing exchange rate on 9 February 2024). The placing price represents a 5.7% premium to the closing share price on 9 February 2024 on the AIM exchange. The fundraising will consist of:

- A placing of new common shares with new and existing institutional investors at the placing price (the "UK Placing"). Stifel Nicolaus Europe Limited is acting as the sole bookrunner and broker on the UK Placing.
- A placing of new depository receipts representing new common shares with new and existing investors at the placing price (the "Icelandic Placing"). Landsbankinn hf. And Fossar fjarfestingarbanki hf. Are acting as joint bookrunners on the Icelandic Placing and Landsbankinn hf. Is acting as underwriter.
- A private placement of new common shares by certain existing institutional investors and a director of the Company at the placing price (the "Canadian Subscription"). The Director has committed to subscribe to approximately CAD \$3.4 million (equivalent to GBP 2.0 million) in the fundraising.

As a result of the subscription, net proceeds of approximately GBP 44 million (CAD 75 million) have been raised, exceeding the initial targeted amount of GBP 30 million. The shares subscribed to, when issued, will be credited as fully paid and will rank *pari passu* in all respects with the existing common shares of the Company. Following the admission of the subscribed shares, Amaroq's total issued share capital will consist of 326,455,446 common shares.

The proceeds of the fund will be used to further advance exploration at the Company's Vagar and Nanoq licenses and to fund an additional capital injection into its Garda joint venture, as well as to accelerate mining and development of the Company's Nalunaq gold project.

The Fundraising closed on February 23, 2024.

##### 23.1.1 Related party transaction

Amaroq director, Sigurbjorn Throkellsson, has participated in the Canadian Subscription acquiring a total of 2,700,000 new common shares representing gross proceeds of CAD 3.4 million (GBP 2.0 million) via Klettur LP (in which he is a sole beneficiary).

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### 23. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS (CONT'D)

#### 23.2 Awards under Restricted Share Units Plan ("RSU")

On 23 February 2024, in alignment with the Company's RSU plan dated 15 June 2023, the Company granted an award (the "Award") to directors and employees of the Company as listed in the table below.

Conditional awards were granted to participants on 30 December 2022 and 13 October 2023. The performance period runs from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2025 with measurement dates at 31 December 2023, 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2025.

The details of the Award are as follows:

|                                                               |                                                                                                                                                                   |                       |                                        |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Award Date                                                    | 23 February 2024                                                                                                                                                  |                       |                                        |
| Initial Price                                                 | CAD 0.552                                                                                                                                                         |                       |                                        |
| Hurdle Rate                                                   | 10% p.a. above the Initial Price                                                                                                                                  |                       |                                        |
| Total Pool                                                    | 10% of the growth in value above the Hurdle rate, not exceeding 10% of the Company's share capital<br>The number of shares is determined at the Measurement Dates |                       |                                        |
| Participants, proportions and number of shares subject to RSU | <b>Participant</b>                                                                                                                                                | <b>Proportion (%)</b> | <b>Number of shares subject to RSU</b> |
|                                                               | Eldur Olafsson, CEO                                                                                                                                               | 40%                   | 3,805,377 shares                       |
|                                                               | Jaco Crouse, CFO                                                                                                                                                  | 20%                   | 1,902,688 shares                       |
|                                                               | Joan Plant, Executive VP                                                                                                                                          | 10%                   | 951,344 shares                         |
|                                                               | James Gilbertson, VP Exploration                                                                                                                                  | 10%                   | 951,344 shares                         |
|                                                               | Edward Wyvill, Corporate Development                                                                                                                              | 10%                   | 951,344 shares                         |
| First Measurement Date:                                       | 31 December 2023<br>50% of the Shares will vest on the first anniversary of grant, with the remaining 50% vesting on the third anniversary of grant.              |                       |                                        |