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December 2015 Quarterly Activities Report

- **\$3,131,000 cash on hand at 31 December 2015**
- **Definitive agreement to acquire Bloom Lake Mine & Rail Assets**

REPORTING CURRENCY

Champion Iron Limited (Champion or the Company) has adopted Canadian Dollars as the reporting currency. Accordingly all financial details are in Canadian Dollars unless otherwise stated.

DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT TO ACQUIRE BLOOM LAKE MINE & RAIL ASSETS

On 14 December 2015, the Company announced that Québec Iron Ore Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, entered into an Asset Purchase Agreement (the "Asset Purchase Agreement") to acquire, subject to Court approval, the Bloom Lake Mine and related rail assets (collectively, "Bloom Lake") and the Quinto Mining Corporation mineral claims (the "Quinto Claims") in Québec (the "Acquisition") from affiliates of Cliffs Natural Resources Inc. (NYSE:CLF) that are currently subject to restructuring proceedings under the *Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act* (Canada) ("CCAA") (collectively, the "Bloom Lake CCAA Parties").

The Bloom Lake assets and the Quinto Claims are being acquired for a cash consideration of C\$10.5 million and the assumption of certain liabilities. The Acquisition is subject to the granting of an "Approval and Vesting Order" by the Québec Superior Court as part of the CCAA proceedings, providing that the Bloom Lake assets and the Quinto Claims will be acquired free and clear of any security interests and any other encumbrances (subject to certain limited permitted encumbrances). The Asset Purchase Agreement contains a number of closing conditions, including a requirement to obtain the Approval and Vesting Order and the conclusion by Champion of a private placement financing (which is further described below). If approved by the Court, the Acquisition is expected to be completed during the first quarter of 2016.

Further details of the acquisition can be found in the press release issued by the Company on 12 December 2015.

CONSOLIDATED FIRE LAKE NORTH (CFLN) PROJECT

The Company expended \$359,000 on limited exploration activity on the CFLN Project during the quarter ended 31 December 2015 primarily undertaken to maintain current claim holdings.

SOCIÉTÉ FERROVIAIRE DU NORD QUÉBÉCOIS (SFNQ) - RAIL FEASIBILITY STUDY

Champion continues to participate with the Québec government in the advancement of a multi-user railway solution to connect mine developers and producers in the Labrador Trough with the Port of Sept-Ile's new multi-user ship loading facilities at Pointe Noire. This remains Champion's preferred railway and port solution following evaluation and consideration of alternatives including several independent rail options to Pointe Noire and alternatives to access Baie-Comeau.

OTHER PROJECTS

At the Company's other exploration projects, there were minimal activities primarily undertaken to maintain current, significant mineral claim holdings.

CASH POSITION

As at 31 December 2015, Champion had \$3,131,000 cash in hand. During the quarter ended 31 December 2015, \$1,405,000 was spent on exploration and administration activities. Further detail is provided in the attached Appendix 5B.

MINING TENEMENTS AT 31 DECEMBER 2015

Through the Company's wholly owned subsidiary Champion Iron Mines Limited, the Company owns a 100% interest in the following properties (each a "Property"), covering 796 square kilometres (collectively, the "Fermont Holdings") located in the Fermont Iron Ore District of north eastern Quebec, which is 250 km north of the St. Lawrence River port town of Port-Cartier, and ranging from 6 to 80 kilometres southwest of Fermont.

Property-Québec	SNRC	Claims	Hectares
Consolidated Fire Lake North	23B06; 23B11; 23B12	558	28,196.10
Harvey-Tuttle	23B12; 23B05	186	9,748.46
Moire Lake	23B14	36	1,665.56
O'Keefe-Purdy	23B11; 23B12	213	11,016.02
Cassé Lake	23B05	100	5,261.40
Claire Lake	23B06	33	1,739.67
Hope Lake	23B06	20	1,054.12
Aubertin Tougard	22O13; 23B04	17	901.47
Jeannine Lake (Note 1)	22N16 23B04; 23C01;	21	1,117.40
Round Lake (Notes 1 & 2)	23N16	330	17,462.36
Silicate-Brutus	22O13	16	849.87
Big Three Lake	23C01	9	476.86
Property-Newfoundland	Licences		
Powderhorn	11346M, 11367M, 15136M, 15137M, 18969M, 19227M	148	3,700.00
Gullbridge	11956M, 11960M, 16260M, 16261M	179	4,475.00

Note 1 – Currently under option to Cartier Iron Corporation

Note 2 – Round Lake property includes Aubrey-Ernie, Black Dan, Penguin Lake and Round Lake project claims

During the quarter, 12 claims at the Hope Lake property and 2 claims at the O'keefe-Purdy property were allowed to expire while 14 additional claims were acquired by staking at the Silicate-Brutus property. The net result is no change in the total number of claims in the Fermont Holding properties however the total area under ownership is increased from 795 square kilometres to 796 square kilometres. The expired claims at the Hope Lake and O'keefe-Purdy properties contained no identified resources whilst the addition of the 14 claims at the Silicate-Brutus property secures the entire historic resource estimate of 345 MT grading 29.4% total iron. Further detail is provided in the attached Appendix 5B.

Through CIP Magnetite Limited, the Company has an option to purchase the following property:

Property	Licences	Claims	Hectares
Snelgrove Lake	017901M, 018333M, 018334M, 022461M	424	10,600

The Company did not enter into farm-in/farm-out arrangements during the quarter.

About Champion

Champion is an iron exploration and development company with offices in Montreal, Toronto and Australia, and is focused on developing its significant iron resources in the Labrador Trough in the province of Québec. Champion holds a 100% interest in the Fermont Iron Holdings, including its flagship Consolidated Fire Lake North Project, that is located in Canada's major iron ore producing district, in close proximity to producing iron mines, existing transportation and power infrastructure.

Consolidated Fire Lake North is located immediately north of Arcelor Mittal's operating Fire Lake Mine and 60 km south of Cliffs Natural Resources Inc.'s Bloom Lake Mine in northeastern Québec. Champion's management and board includes mining and exploration professionals with the mine development and operations experience to build, commission and operate the future Consolidated Fire Lake North mine.

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For additional information on Champion, please visit our website at www.championiron.com.

This Quarterly Activities Report includes certain information that may constitute "forward-looking information" under applicable Australian and Canadian securities legislation. Forward-looking information includes, but is not limited to, statements about planned operations at the Company's projects, including its joint venture projects. Forward-looking information is necessarily based upon a number of estimates and assumptions that, while considered reasonable, are subject to known and unknown risks, uncertainties, and other factors which may cause the actual results and future events to differ materially from those expressed or implied by such forward-looking information, including the risks identified in Champion's annual information forms, management discussion and analysis and other securities regulatory filings by Champion on ASX and SEDAR (including under the heading "Risk Factors" therein). There can be no assurance that such information will prove to be accurate, as actual results and future events could differ materially from those anticipated in such forward-looking information. Accordingly, readers should not place undue reliance on forward-looking information. All of Champion's forward-looking information contained in this Quarterly Activities Report is given as of the date hereof and is based upon the opinions and estimates of Champion's management and information available to management as at the date hereof. Champion disclaims any intention or obligation to update or revise any of its forward-looking information, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by law.

This Quarterly Activities Report has been prepared by Champion and no regulatory authority has approved or disapproved the information contained herein.

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Appendix 5B

Mining exploration entity quarterly report

Introduced 01/07/96 Origin Appendix 8 Amended 01/07/97, 01/07/98, 30/09/01, 01/06/10, 17/12/10

Name of entity

Champion Iron Limited

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

ABN

34 119 770 142

31 December 2015

Consolidated statement of cash flows

	Current quarter	Year to date
	C\$000's	(9 months) C\$000's
Cash flows related to operating activities		
1.1 Receipts from product sales and related debtors	133	423
1.2 Payments for (a) exploration & evaluation	(359)	(1,157)
(b) development	-	-
(c) production	-	-
(d) administration	(1,046)	(2,293)
1.3 Dividends received	-	-
1.4 Interest and other items of a similar nature received	27	103
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6 Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7 Other (refundable tax credit on exploration)	-	1,135
Other (credit on duties refundable for losses)	800	3,736
Other	(588)	(1,170)
Net Operating Cash Flows	(1,033)	777
Cash flows related to investing activities		
1.8 Payment for purchases of: (a) prospects	-	-
(b) equity investments	-	-
(c) other fixed assets	-	-
1.9 Proceeds from sale of: (a) prospects	-	-
(b) equity investments	-	-
(c) other fixed assets	-	-
1.10 Loans to other entities	-	-
1.11 Loans repaid by other entities	-	-
1.12 Other (option payment)	50	50
Other (acquisition of royalty)	-	(50)
Other (deposit)	-	(600)
Net investing cash flows	50	(600)
1.13 Total operating and investing cash flows (carried forward)	(983)	177

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1.13	Total operating and investing cash flows (brought forward)	(983)	177
Cash flows related to financing activities			
1.14	Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc.	-	-
1.15	Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares	-	-
1.16	Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
1.17	Repayment of borrowings	-	-
1.18	Dividends paid	-	-
1.19	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
Net financing cash flows		-	-
Net increase (decrease) in cash held		(983)	177
1.20	Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	3,817	2,646
1.21	Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	297	308
1.22	Cash at end of quarter	3,131	3,131

Payments to directors of the entity and associates of the directors

Payments to related entities of the entity and associates of the related entities

		Current quarter C\$000's
1.23	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	1,078
1.24	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.10	-

1.25 Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions

Includes payments for salaries, consulting fees, director fees and rent.

Non-cash financing and investing activities

2.1 Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows

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2.2 Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their share in projects in which the reporting entity has an interest

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Financing facilities available

Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position.

	Amount available C\$000's	Amount used C\$000's
3.1 Loan facilities	–	–
3.2 Credit standby arrangements	–	–

Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

	C\$000's
4.1 Exploration and evaluation	489
4.2 Development	–
4.3 Production	–
4.4 Administration	615
Total	1,104

Reconciliation of cash

Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.

	Current quarter C\$000's	Previous quarter C\$000's
5.1 Cash on hand and at bank	231	717
5.2 Deposits at call	2,900	3,100
5.3 Bank overdraft	–	–
5.4 Other (provide details)	–	–
Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.22)	3,131	3,817

Changes in interests in mining tenements

	Tenement reference	Nature of interest	Interest at beginning of quarter	Interest at end of quarter
6.1 Interests in mining tenements relinquished, reduced or lapsed	O'Keeffe-Purdy Hope Lake	Owned	11,120.56 ha	11,016.02 ha
		Owned	1,686.57 ha	1,054.12 ha
6.2 Interests in mining tenements acquired or increased	Silicate-Brutus	Owned	106.23 ha	849.87 ha

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Issued and quoted securities at end of current quarter

Description includes rate of interest and any redemption or conversion rights together with prices and dates.

	Total number	Number quoted	Issue price per security (see note 3)	Amount paid up per security (see note 3)
7.1 Preference ⁺securities <i>(description)</i>	–	–	–	–
7.2 Changes during quarter				
(a) Increases through issues	–	–	–	–
(b) Decreases through returns of capital, buy-backs, redemptions	–	–	–	–
7.3 ⁺Ordinary securities	198,319,784	198,319,784	–	Fully Paid
7.4 Changes during quarter				
(a) Increases through issues				
(i) Placement	–	–	–	–
(ii) Conversion of exchangeable shares	–	–	–	–
(b) Decreases through cancellation	–	–	–	–
7.5 ⁺Convertible debt securities <i>(description)</i>	–	–	–	–
7.6 Changes during quarter				
(a) Increases through issues	–	–	–	–
(b) Decreases through securities matured, converted	–	–	–	–
7.7 Options <i>(description and conversion factor)</i>	<i>Total number</i>		<i>Exercise price</i>	<i>Expiry date</i>
	73,333	–	\$2.9591	10/01/2016
	715,000	–	\$2.0455	09/09/2016
	1,173,333	–	\$0.5455	20/12/2016
	661,833	–	\$1.7728	23/12/2016
	1,000,000	–	A\$0.50	09/04/2017
	150,000	–	A\$0.50	18/06/2017
	1,000,000	–	A\$0.30	30/10/2017
	2,000,000	–	A\$0.30	11/12/2017
	1,000,000	–	A\$0.30	20/08/2018
	1,000,000	–	\$0.45	01/09/2018
	2,300,000	–	A\$0.50	29/11/2018
7.8 Issued during quarter	<i>Total number</i>		<i>Exercise Price</i>	<i>Expiry Date</i>
	–	–	–	–
7.9 Cancelled during quarter	–	–	–	–
7.10 Expired during quarter	1,466,667	–	\$1.3637	03/10/2015
	183,333	–	\$1.3637	04/10/2015
	500,000	–	A\$0.50	15/12/2015
7.11 Performance Shares	<i>Total number</i>	<i>Number quoted</i>	<i>Issue Price</i>	<i>Amount paid up</i>
	–	–	–	–
7.12 Exchangeable Shares	<i>Total number</i>	<i>Number quoted</i>	<i>Issue Price</i>	<i>Amount paid up</i>
	114,555	–	–	–
7.13 Special Voting Share	<i>Total number</i>	<i>Number quoted</i>	<i>Issue Price</i>	<i>Amount paid up</i>
	1	–	–	–

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7.14 Warrants	<i>Total number</i>	<i>Number quoted</i>	<i>Exercise Price</i>	<i>Expiry Date</i>
	–	–	–	–
7.15 Expired during quarter	–	–	–	–
7.16 Unsecured notes (totals only)	–	–	–	–

Compliance statement

1 This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Act or other standards acceptable to ASX (see note 5).

2 This statement does give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Sign here:



(Company Secretary)

Date: 28th January 2016

Print name: Pradip Devalia

Notes

1 The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity wanting to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes attached to this report.

2 The "Nature of interest" (items 6.1 and 6.2) includes options in respect of interests in mining tenements acquired, exercised or lapsed during the reporting period. If the entity is involved in a joint venture agreement and there are conditions precedent which will change its percentage interest in a mining tenement, it should disclose the change of percentage interest and conditions precedent in the list required for items 6.1 and 6.2.

3 **Issued and quoted securities** The issue price and amount paid up is not required in items 7.1 and 7.3 for fully paid securities.

4 The definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 6: Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources* and *AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report.

5 **Accounting Standards** ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Financial Reporting Standards for foreign entities. If the standards used do not address a topic, the Australian standard on that topic (if any) must be complied with.

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