

ANNOUNCEMENT

JORC RESOURCE AT BALLINE

Haddington Resources Limited (ASX: HDN) is pleased to announce an Indicated Mineral Resource to JORC reporting standards for its Balline Industrial Garnet project of 30.3 million tonnes at a grade of 7.11% Heavy Mineral.

Drill programmes exploring the Balline Heavy Mineral Prospect (E70/2509 and E70/2546) during 2007 and 2008 have been completed. Haddington's consultants have estimated an Indicated Resource as set out in the 'Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves' (JORC Code 2004 Edition) comprising 30.3 million tonnes of sand containing 7.11% heavy minerals, 6.12% -63 micron material (slime) and 3.62% oversize. The Bulk Density is estimated to be 1.60 T/m³ and the Heavy Mineral Suite to contain the valuable components garnet, ilmenite, zircon, rutile and altered ilmenite. The details of the Estimate are summarised in the following tables and the location of the drill collars are shown on the plan.

Balline 2008 Mineral Resource Estimate

Mineralisation Zone	Category	Tonnes (million)	Heavy Mineral %	Oversize %	Slimes %
North	Indicated	22.2	7.03	4.19	5.56
Central	Indicated	8.1	7.31	2.05	7.66
	Total	30.3	7.11	3.62	6.12

(Note: The resource is quoted from blocks with a grade of greater than 6% heavy minerals.

Differences may occur due to rounding errors)

ASX Code

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Capital Details

Shares on issue 126.7M
Share Price \$0.10
Market cap \$12.7M
12 month low \$0.08
12 month high \$0.54
Cash at 30 Sept \$3.8M

Directors

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Projects

Tabalong Coal
Balline Garnet
Liberator Uranium

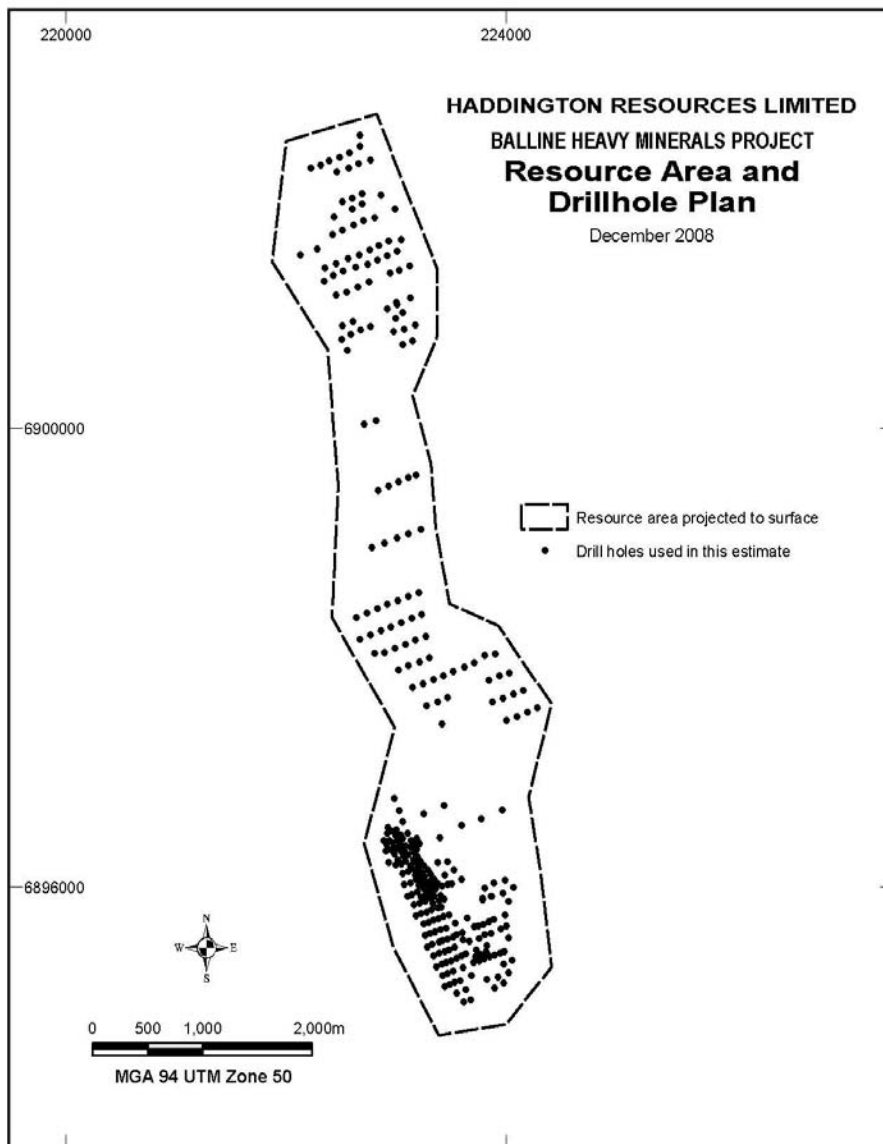
Drilling Services

Queensland
Western Australia
Indonesia

Haddington (ASX: HDN) is a diversified exploration, development and services company with exploration and development activities in uranium, garnet and coal, and a profitable drilling and exploration services arm providing drilling and geophysical. The Company is expanding its mining services businesses and is working toward becoming a producer of coal and garnet in the medium term.

Balline 2008 Composition of the Heavy Mineral Fraction

Mineral Species	Northern Zone %	Central Zone %
Rutile, Anatase	1.25	1.01
Ilmenite	2.45	3.54
Altered Ilmenite, Leucoxene, Pseudo-Rutile	18.07	12.22
Zircon	1.15	1.08
Garnet	73.21	79.47
Others	3.88	2.60
Total	99.99	99.91



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The Company will now make application for a mining licence over the resource area and will expedite processes required to bring the project into production. Haddington Resources Ltd is targeting a 15+ year mine life for the Balline project.

The Balline project is located approximately 40km south of Kalbarri in Western Australia. The resource is contained within two major zones of garnet-bearing sands; the 'North' zone which is located within a broad gap in a major north-south trending limestone ridge and the 'Central' zone where heavy mineral sands concentrated in a narrow, near-surface, strandline parallel to a prominent north-south ridge.

Haddington has purchased the 283 hectare freehold property in which the 'Central' Zone is located. The central location of this title provides a base for development of the project and will allow orderly progress for permitting, infrastructure and mine development. Discussions are underway to secure port capacity and storage facilities at Geraldton.

Ongoing metallurgical studies will now be completed and product samples produced for consideration by potential buyers.

The Company plans to utilize existing plant and equipment from its former tantalite processing plant as the basis for construction of a spiral plant capable of producing between 100,000 and 150,000 tonnes of heavy minerals per year.

The company has held preliminary discussions with potential buyers and indications are that the demand for industrial garnet remains strong.

**ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
HADDINGTON RESOURCES LIMITED.**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Colin McCavana".

Colin McCavana
Managing Director

Competent Persons

The team of Competent Persons involved in the preparation of the Mineral Resource are as follows:

- *Mr John Noakes, Craigstone Pty Ltd was responsible for the data analysis and takes overall responsibility for the Mineral Resource estimate.*
- *Mr David Williams, CSA Global Pty. Ltd. was responsible for the resource estimation.*

The information in this Report that relates to in-situ Mineral Resources is based on information compiled by John S Noakes of Craigstone Pty Ltd. John S Noakes takes overall responsibility for the Report. He is a Fellow of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and has sufficient experience, which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration, and to the activity he is undertaking, to qualify as a Competent Person in terms of the 'Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves' (JORC Code 2004 Edition). John S Noakes consents to the inclusion of such information in this Report in the form and context in which it appears.