APAC RESOURCES

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To	:	ASX Market Announcements Office Australian Securities Exchange Limited	**By email**	:	maogroup@asx.com.au
From	:	Lin Wei			
Date	:	2 July 2025	**Page(s)**	:	6 (including this page)

Dear ASX Market Announcements Office,

AIC Mines Limited (ACN: 060 156 452)

Please find enclosed a Form 603 – Notice of initial substantial holder dated 2 July 2025 in respect of the interests of APAC Resources Limited and its related bodies corporate ("**APAC Group**") in AIC Mines Limited (ASX: A1M).

Yours faithfully,
For and on behalf of
APAC RESOURCES LIMITED

Lin Wei
Company Secretary

Form 603

Corporations Act 2001
Section 671B

Notice of initial substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme: AIC MINES LIMITED

ACN/ARSN: 060 156 452

1. Details of substantial holder (1)

Name: APAC Resources Limited and its related bodies corporate, including the entities referred to in section 1 of Annexure A ("APAC Group")

ACN/ARSN (if applicable): N/A

The holder became a substantial holder on 30/06/2025

2. Details of voting power

The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme that the substantial holder or an associate (2) had a relevant interest (3) in on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Class of securities (4)	Number of securities	Person's votes (5)	Voting power (6)
See section 2 of Annexure A			

3. Details of relevant interests

The nature of the relevant interest the substantial holder or an associate had in the following voting securities on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Nature of relevant interest (7)	Class and number of securities
See section 3 of Annexure A		

4. Details of present registered holders

The persons registered as holders of the securities referred to in paragraph 3 above are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Registered holder of securities	Person entitled to be registered as holder (8)	Class and number of securities
See section 4 of Annexure A			

5. Consideration

The consideration paid for each relevant interest referred to in paragraph 3 above, and acquired in the four months prior to the day that the substantial holder became a substantial holder is as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Date of acquisition	Consideration (9)		Class and number of securities
		Cash	Non-cash	
See section 5 of Annexure A				

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6. Associates

The reasons the persons named in paragraph 3 above are associates of the substantial holder are as follows:

Name and ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	Nature of association
See section 6 of Annexure A	

7. Addresses

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

Name	Address
See section 7 of Annexure A	

Signature

print name Lin Wei capacity Company Secretary

sign here date 02/07/2025

DIRECTIONS

(1) If there are a number of substantial holders with similar or related relevant interests (eg. a corporation and its related corporations, or the manager and trustee of an equity trust), the names could be included in an annexure to the form. If the relevant interests of a group of persons are essentially similar, they may be referred to throughout the form as a specifically named group if the membership of each group, with the names and addresses of members is clearly set out in paragraph 7 of the form.

(2) See the definition of "associate" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.

(3) See the definition of "relevant interest" in sections 608 and 671B(7) of the Corporations Act 2001.

(4) The voting shares of a company constitute one class unless divided into separate classes.

(5) The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme (if any) that the person or an associate has a relevant interest in.

(6) The person's votes divided by the total votes in the body corporate or scheme multiplied by 100.

(7) Include details of:

(a) any relevant agreement or other circumstances by which the relevant interest was acquired. If subsection 671B(4) applies, a copy of any document setting out the terms of any relevant agreement, and a statement by the person giving full and accurate details of any contract, scheme or arrangement, must accompany this form, together with a written statement certifying this contract, scheme or arrangement; and

(b) any qualification of the power of a person to exercise, control the exercise of, or influence the exercise of, the voting powers or disposal of the securities to which the relevant interest relates (indicating clearly the particular securities to which the qualification applies).

See the definition of "relevant agreement" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.

(8) If the substantial holder is unable to determine the identity of the person (eg. if the relevant interest arises because of an option) write "unknown".

(9) Details of the consideration must include any and all benefits, money and other, that any person from whom a relevant interest was acquired has, or may, become entitled to receive in relation to that acquisition. Details must be included even if the benefit is conditional on the happening or not of a contingency. Details must be included of any benefit paid on behalf of the substantial holder or its associate in relation to the acquisitions, even if they are not paid directly to the person from whom the relevant interest was acquired.

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Annexure "A"

Form 603
Notice of initial substantial holder

AIC Mines Limited
ACN 060 156 452

This Annexure "A" of 3 pages referred to in the Form 603 (Notice of initial substantial holder), signed by me and dated 2 July 2025.

Signed: **Lin Wei**

1. Details of substantial holder

Substantial holder ("APAC Group")
APAC Resources Limited and its related bodies corporate, including the entities listed in the first column of the table in section 7 of this Annexure A ("**APAC Group**")

2. Details of voting power

Class of securities (4)	Number of securities	Person's votes (5)	Voting power (6)
Fully paid ordinary shares ("**Shares**")	38,910,256	38,910,256	5.42% (based on 718,482,640 Shares on issue)

3. Details of relevant interests

Holder of relevant interest	Nature of relevant interest (7)	Class and number of securities
APAC Group	APAC Group holds a relevant interest under section 608(3) of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth) in the same Shares which Mount Gibson Iron Limited (**MGI**) has a relevant interest. Any change of MGI's relevant interest in Shares will also result in the same change to the APAC Group's Relevant Interest in AIC Mines Limited and may not be separately notified in the future.	38,910,256 Shares

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4. Details of present registered holders

Holder of relevant interest	Registered holder of securities	Person entitled to be registered as holder (8)	Class and number of securities
APAC Group	Gibson Minerals Limited ("**GML**")	GML	38,910,256 Shares

5. Consideration

Holder of relevant interest	Date of acquisition	Consideration (9)		Class and number of securities
		Cash	Non-cash	
APAC Group	30 June 2025	N/A		10,833,333 Shares

6. Associates

Name and ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	Nature of association
See section 7 below	Associates under section 12(2)(a) of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth)

7. Addresses

Name	Address
APAC Resources Limited	Room 2304, 23rd Floor, Allied Kajima Building, 138 Gloucester Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong
APAC Resources Commodity Trading Limited	C/- Room 2304, 23rd Floor, Allied Kajima Building, 138 Gloucester Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong
Accardo Investments Limited	As above
Allied Properties Resources Limited	As above
Allied Resources Limited	As above
APAC Resources Asia Limited	As above
APAC Resources Assets Limited	As above
APAC Resources Beijing Limited	As above
APAC Resources China Limited	As above
APAC Resources Group Limited	As above
APAC Resources Hong Kong Limited	As above
APAC Resources Investments Limited	As above
APAC Resources Management Limited	As above
APAC Resources Mining Limited	As above

Name	Address
APAC Resources (Qingdao) Company Limited	As above
APAC Resources Shanghai Limited	As above
APAC Resources Strategic Holdings Limited	As above
APAC Resources Treasury Management Limited	As above
Asia Cheer Trading Limited	As above
Bowen Limited	As above
Brilliant Success Investments Limited	As above
Ever Front Investments Limited	As above
First Landmark Limited	As above
Fortune Arm Limited	As above
Fortune Desire Investments Limited	As above
Jetwood Investment Limited	As above
Genuine Legend Limited	As above
Long Success Investment Limited	As above
Lucky Mark Investment Limited	As above
Moon Investment Holding Limited	As above
Mount Sun Investments Limited	As above
Ruiyu (Shanghai) Investment Consulting Co., Ltd.	As above
Shanghai Merchants Holdings Limited	As above
Sino Chance Trading Limited	As above
Smart Circle Investments Limited	As above
Super Grand Investments Limited	As above
Ultimate Smart Holdings Limited	As above
Ultra Effort Limited	As above
Zenith Element Limited	As above
Shenzhen Bowen New Energy Co., Ltd.	As above

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