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## Awati Resources Pty Ltd Acquisition Completed and Operations Update

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### Awati Acquisition

Manhattan Corporation Limited (**the Company**) (**ASX: MHC**), is pleased to advise it has completed the acquisition of 100% of the business and assets of Awati Resources Pty Ltd (**Awati**) refer to the Company's announcement on 2 December 2019. **Attached** is an Appendix 2A and Notice under Section 708A(5)(e).

The 200 million Shares issued to the Awati vendors are subject to a voluntary 12 month escrow period from the date on which they were issued.

### Appointment and Resignation of Directors

Mr Jens Balkau has been appointed to the Company's board as a non-executive director as at 6 April 2020.

Jens has more than 40 years' experience as a geologist, formerly with Western Mining Corporation and Regis Resources Limited, where he led the discovery and definition of more than 5Moz of gold in the Duketon Belt of Western Australia. His discovery record also includes the world-class Tampakan copper-gold project in the Philippines and he was involved in the Babel and Nebo nickel discoveries in the West Musgrave region of central Australia. Jens is a member of the AusIMM and Australian Institute of Geoscientists.

Mr Robert Perring has resigned as a director of the board. The Company extends its sincere appreciation to Mr Perring for his efforts whilst on the board.

### Operations Update – COVID-19

The Company is in the final stages of securing government environmental approvals to commence RC drilling at the New Bendigo Prospect. Approvals are expected to be granted within the coming weeks.

Once the COVID-19 travel restrictions across the State Borders are lifted, Manhattan will be in a position to commence field activities.

Approved & Authorised by the MHC Board

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**Company Secretary**  
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### Forward looking statements

*This announcement may contain certain "forward-looking statements" which may not have been based solely on historical facts, but rather may be based on the Company's current expectations about future events and results. Where the Company expresses or implies an expectation or belief as to future events or results, such expectation or belief is expressed in good faith and believed to have a reasonable basis. However, forward looking statements are subject to risks, uncertainties, assumptions and other factors, which could cause actual results to differ materially from future results expressed, projected or implied by such forward-looking statements. Such risks include, but are not limited to third party actions, metals price volatility, currency fluctuations and variances in exploration results, ore grade or other factors, as well as political and operational risks, and governmental regulation and judicial outcomes. For a more detailed discussion of such risks and other factors, see the Company's Annual Reports, as well as the Company's other releases. The Company does not undertake any obligation to release publicly any revisions to any "forward-looking statement" to reflect events or circumstances after the date of this announcement, or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events, except as may be required under applicable securities laws.*

## Appendix 2A

### Application for quotation of +securities

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

If you are an entity incorporated outside Australia and you are seeking quotation of a new class of +securities other than CDIs, you will need to obtain and provide an International Securities Identification Number (ISIN) for that class. Further information on the requirement for the notification of an ISIN is available from the Create Online Forms page. ASX is unable to create the new ISIN for non-Australian issuers.

\*Denotes minimum information required for first lodgement of this form, with exceptions provided in specific notes for certain questions. The balance of the information, where applicable, must be provided as soon as reasonably practicable by the entity.

#### Part 1 – Entity and announcement details

Question no	Question	Answer
1.1	*Name of entity We (the entity here named) apply for +quotation of the following +securities and agree to the matters set out in Appendix 2A of the ASX Listing Rules. <sup>1</sup>	Manhattan Corporation Limited
1.2	*Registration type and number <i>Please supply your ABN, ARSN, ARBN, ACN or another registration type and number (if you supply another registration type, please specify both the type of registration and the registration number).</i>	ABN 61 123 156 089
1.3	*ASX issuer code	MHC
1.4	*This announcement is <i>Tick whichever is applicable.</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A new announcement <input type="checkbox"/> An update/amendment to a previous announcement <input type="checkbox"/> A cancellation of a previous announcement
1.4a	*Reason for update <i>Mandatory only if "Update" ticked in Q1.4 above. A reason must be provided for an update.</i>	Not Applicable
1.4b	*Date of previous announcement to this update <i>Mandatory only if "Update" ticked in Q1.4 above.</i>	Not Applicable
1.4c	*Reason for cancellation <i>Mandatory only if "Cancellation" ticked in Q1.4 above.</i>	Not Applicable
1.4d	*Date of previous announcement to this cancellation <i>Mandatory only if "Cancellation" ticked in Q1.4 above.</i>	Not Applicable

<sup>1</sup> Appendix 2A of the Listing Rules includes a warranty that an offer of the securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act. If the securities to be quoted have been issued by way of a pro rata offer, to give this warranty, you will generally need to have lodged a cleansing notice with ASX under section 708AA(2)(f) or 1012DAA(2)(f) of the Corporations Act within 24 hours before the securities are offered (see ASIC Regulatory Guide 189 *Disclosure relief for rights issues*). If in doubt, please consult your legal adviser.

1.5	*Date of this announcement	06 April 2020
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## Part 2 – Type of issue

Question No.	Question	Answer
2.1	<p>*The +securities to be quoted are: <i>Select whichever item is applicable.</i> <i>If you wish to apply for quotation of different types of issues of securities, please complete a separate Appendix 2A for each type of issue.</i></p>	<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Being issued as part of a transaction or transactions previously announced to the market in an Appendix 3B</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Being issued under a +dividend or distribution plan</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Being issued as a result of options being exercised or other +convertible securities being converted</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Unquoted partly paid +securities that have been paid up and are now quoted fully paid +securities</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> +Restricted securities where the escrow period has expired or is about to expire</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> +Securities previously issued under an +employee incentive scheme where the restrictions on transfer have ceased or are about to cease</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> +Securities issued under an +employee incentive scheme that are not subject to a restriction on transfer or that are to be quoted notwithstanding there is a restriction on transfer</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other</p>
2.2a.1	<p>*Date of Appendix 3B notifying the market of the proposed issue of +securities for which quotation is now being sought <i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Being issued as part of a transaction or transactions previously announced to the market in an Appendix 3B"</i></p>	02 December 2019
2.2a.2	<p>*Are there any further issues of +securities yet to take place to complete the transaction(s) referred to in the Appendix 3B? <i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Being issued as part of a transaction or transactions previously announced to the market in an Appendix 3B".</i></p>	No

2.2a.2.1	<p>*Please provide details of the further issues of +securities yet to take place to complete the transaction(s) referred to in the Appendix 3B</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Being issued as part of a transaction or transactions previously announced to the market in an Appendix 3B" and your response to Q2.2a.2 is "Yes".</i></p> <p><i>Please provide details of the proposed dates and number of securities for the further issues. This may be the case, for example, if the Appendix 3B related to an accelerated pro rata offer with an institutional component being quoted on one date and a retail component being quoted on a later date.</i></p>	Not Applicable
2.2b.1	<p>*Date of Appendix 3A.1 lodged with ASX in relation to the underlying +dividend or distribution</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Being issued under a dividend or distribution plan".</i></p>	Not Applicable
2.2b.2	<p>*Does the +dividend or distribution plan meet the requirement of listing rule 7.2 exception 4 that it does not impose a limit on participation?</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Being issued under a dividend or distribution plan".</i></p> <p><i>Note: Exception 4 only applies where security holders are able to elect to receive all of their dividend or distribution as securities. For example, Exception 4 would not apply in the following circumstances: 1) The entity has specified a dollar limit on the level of participation e.g. security holders can only participate to a maximum value of \$x in respect of their entitlement, or 2) The entity has specified a maximum number of securities that can participate in the plan e.g. security holders can only receive securities in lieu of dividend payable for x number of securities.</i></p>	Not Applicable
2.2c.1	<p>Please state the number and type of options that were exercised or other +convertible securities that were converted (including their ASX security code)</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Being issued as a result of options being exercised or other convertible securities being converted".</i></p>	Not Applicable
2.2c.2	<p>And the date the options were exercised or other +convertible securities were converted</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Being issued as a result of options being exercised or other convertible securities being converted".</i></p> <p><i>Note: If this occurred over a range of dates, enter the date the last of the options was exercised or convertible securities was converted.</i></p>	Not Applicable
2.2d.1	<p>Please state the number and type of partly paid +securities (including their ASX security code) that were fully paid up</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Unquoted partly paid securities that have been paid up and are now quoted fully paid securities".</i></p>	Not Applicable

2.2d.2	<p>And the date the +securities were fully paid up</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Unquoted partly paid securities that have been paid up and are now quoted fully paid securities".</i></p> <p><i>Note: If this occurred over a range of dates, enter the date the last of the securities was fully paid up.</i></p>	Not Applicable
2.2e.1	<p>Please state the number and type of +restricted securities (including their ASX security code) where the escrow period has expired or is about to expire</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Restricted securities where the escrow period has expired or is about to expire".</i></p>	Not Applicable
2.2e.2	<p>And the date the escrow restrictions have ceased or will cease</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Restricted securities where the escrow period has expired or is about to expire".</i></p> <p><i>Note: If this occurred over a range of dates, enter the date the last of the escrow restrictions has ceased or will cease.</i></p>	Not Applicable
2.2f.1	<p>Please state the number and type of +securities (including their ASX security code) previously issued under the +employee incentive scheme where the restrictions on transfer have ceased or are about to cease</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Securities previously issued under an employee incentive scheme where the restrictions on transfer have ceased or are about to cease".</i></p>	Not Applicable
2.2f.2	<p>And the date the restrictions on transfer have ceased or will cease:</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Securities previously issued under an employee incentive scheme where the restrictions on transfer have ceased or are about to cease".</i></p> <p><i>Note: If this occurred over a range of dates, enter the date the last of the restrictions on transfer has ceased or will cease.</i></p>	Not Applicable
2.2g.1	<p>Please state the number and type of +securities (including their ASX security code) issued under an +employee incentive scheme that are not subject to a restriction on transfer or that are to be quoted notwithstanding there is a restriction on transfer</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Securities issued under an employee incentive scheme that are not subject to a restriction on transfer or that are to be quoted notwithstanding there is a restriction on transfer".</i></p>	Not Applicable

2.2g.2	<p>*Please attach a document or provide details of a URL link for a document lodged with ASX detailing the terms of the +employee incentive scheme or a summary of the terms.</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Securities issued under an employee incentive scheme that are not subject to a restriction on transfer or that are to be quoted notwithstanding there is a restriction on transfer".</i></p>	Not Applicable					
2.2g.3	<p>*Are any of these +securities being issued to +key management personnel (KMP) or an +associate</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Securities issued under an employee incentive scheme that are not subject to a restriction on transfer or that are to be quoted notwithstanding there is a restriction on transfer".</i></p>	Not Applicable					
2.2g.3.a	<p>*Provide details of the recipients and the number of +securities issued to each of them.</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Securities issued under an employee incentive scheme that are not subject to a restriction on transfer or that are to be quoted notwithstanding there is a restriction on transfer" and your response to Q2.2g.3 is "Yes". Repeat the detail in the table below for each KMP involved in the issue. If the securities are being issued to the KMP, repeat the name of the KMP or insert "Same" in "Name of registered holder". If the securities are being issued to an associate of a KMP, insert the name of the associate in "Name of registered holder".</i></p> <table border="1" data-bbox="336 967 1362 1066"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="336 967 675 1014">Name of KMP</th> <th data-bbox="675 967 1050 1014">Name of registered holder</th> <th data-bbox="1050 967 1362 1014">Number of +securities</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="336 1014 675 1066"></td> <td data-bbox="675 1014 1050 1066"></td> <td data-bbox="1050 1014 1362 1066"></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Name of KMP	Name of registered holder	Number of +securities			
Name of KMP	Name of registered holder	Number of +securities					
2.2h.1	<p>*The purpose(s) for which the entity is issuing the +securities is:</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Other".</i></p> <p><i>You may select one or more of the items in the list.</i></p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> To raise additional working capital</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> To fund the retirement of debt</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> To pay for the acquisition of an asset [provide details below]</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> To pay for services rendered [provide details below]</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other [provide details below]</p> <p><i>Additional details:</i></p>					
2.2h.2	<p>*Please provide any further information needed to understand the circumstances in which you are applying to have these +securities quoted on ASX, including (if applicable) why the issue of the +securities has not been previously announced to the market in an Appendix 3B</p> <p><i>You must answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is "Other". If there is no other information to provide, please answer "Not applicable" or "N/A".</i></p>	Not Applicable					
2.2i	<p>*Are these +securities being offered under a +disclosure document or +PDS?</p> <p><i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is any option other than "Being issued as part of a transaction or transactions previously announced to the market in an Appendix 3B".</i></p>	No					

2.2i.1	*Date of +disclosure document or +PDS? <i>Answer this question if your response to Q2.1 is any option other than "Being issued as part of a transaction or transactions previously announced to the market in an Appendix 3B" and your response to Q2.2i is "Yes". Under the Corporations Act, the entity must apply for quotation of the securities within 7 days of the date of the disclosure document or PDS.</i>	Not Applicable
2.3	*The +securities to be quoted are: <i>Tick whichever is applicable</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Additional +securities in a class that is already quoted on ASX ("existing class") <input type="checkbox"/> New +securities in a class that is not yet quoted on ASX ("new class")

### Part 3A – number and type of +securities to be quoted (existing class or new class) where issue has previously been notified to ASX in an Appendix 3B

Answer the questions in this Part if your response to Q2.1 is "Being issued as part of a transaction or transactions previously announced to the market in an Appendix 3B" and your response to Q2.3 is "existing class" or "new class".

Question No.	Question	Answer
3A.1	*ASX security code & description	(a) MHC Ordinary Fully Paid Shares (b) MHCO Listed Options Expiring 01-Aug-2023
3A.2	*Number of +securities to be quoted	(a) 200,000,000 (b) 100,000,000

### Part 3B – number and type of +securities to be quoted (existing class) where issue has not previously been notified to ASX in an Appendix 3B

Answer the questions in this Part if your response to Q2.1 is anything other than "Being issued as part of a transaction or transactions previously announced to the market in an Appendix 3B" and your response to Q2.3 is "existing class".

**PART 3B – IS NOT APPLICABLE**

### Part 3C – number and type of +securities to be quoted (new class) where issue has not previously been notified to ASX in an Appendix 3B

Answer the questions in this Part if your response to Q2.1 is anything other than "Being issued as part of a transaction or transactions previously announced to the market in an Appendix 3B" and your response to Q2.3 is "new class".

**PART 3C – IS NOT APPLICABLE**

### Part 4 – Issue details

Question No.	Question	Answer
4.1	*Have the +securities to be quoted been issued yet?	Yes

4.1a	*What was their date of issue? <i>Answer this question if your response to Q4.1 is "Yes".</i>	06 April 2020
4.1b	*What is their proposed date of issue? <i>Answer this question if your response to Q4.1 is "No".</i>	Not Applicable
4.2	*Are the +securities to be quoted being issued for a cash consideration? <i>If the securities are being issued for nil cash consideration, answer this question "No".</i>	50,000,000 MHCO Listed Options
4.2a	*In what currency is the cash consideration being paid <i>For example, if the consideration is being paid in Australian Dollars, state AUD. Answer this question if your response to Q4.2 is "Yes".</i>	AUD
4.2b	*What is the issue price per +security <i>Answer this question if your response to Q4.2 is "Yes" and by reference to the issue currency provided in your response to Q4.2a. Note: you cannot enter a nil amount here. If the securities are being issued for nil cash consideration, answer Q4.2 as "No" and complete Q4.2c and Q4.2d.</i>	\$0.0001 per MHCO Listed Option
4.2c	Please describe the consideration being provided for the +securities to be quoted <i>Answer this question if your response to Q4.2 is "No".</i>	In respect of 200,000,000 MHC Ordinary Fully Paid Shares and 50,000,000 MHCO Listed Options, the consideration is the acquisition of 100% of the issued shares of Awati Resources Limited (the holder of the Tibooburra Gold Project).
4.2d	Please provide an estimate (in AUD) of the value of the consideration being provided per +security for the +securities to be quoted <i>Answer this question if your response to Q4.2 is "No".</i>	200,000,000 MHC Ordinary Fully Paid Shares – deemed issue price of A\$0.005 per Share. 50,000,000 MHCO Listed Options deemed issue price of A\$0.002 per Listed Option.
4.3	Any other information the entity wishes to provide about the issue	No



## Part 5 – Issued capital following quotation

Following the quotation of the +securities the subject of this application, the issued capital of the entity will comprise:

*Note: the figures provided in the tables in sections 5.1 and 5.2 below are used to calculate the total market capitalisation of the entity published by ASX from time to time. Please make sure you include in the relevant table each class of securities issued by the entity.*

*If you have quoted CHESD Depository Interests (CDIs) issued over your securities, include them in the table in section 5.1 and include in the table in section 5.2 any securities that do not have CDIs issued over them (and therefore are not quoted on ASX).*

*Restricted securities should only be included in the table in section 5.1 if you are applying to have them quoted because the escrow period for the securities has expired or is about to expire. Otherwise include them in the table in section 5.2.*

5.1	<b>*Quoted +securities</b> (total number of each +class of +securities quoted on ASX following the +quotation of the +securities the subject of this application)	
	ASX security code and description	Total number of +securities on issue
	MHC – Fully Paid Ordinary Shares MHCO – Listed Options Expiring 01-Aug-2023 exercisable at 1 cent	1,126,278,693 200,000 001
5.2	<b>*Unquoted +securities</b> (total number of each +class of +securities issued but not quoted on ASX):	
	ASX security code and description	Total number of +securities on issue
	MHCAB - Performance Shares	300,000,000

## Part 6 – Other Listing Rule requirements

The questions in this Part should only be answered if you are an ASX Listing (ASX Foreign Exempt Listings and ASX Debt Listings do not need to complete this Part) and:

- your response to Q2.1 is "Being issued under a dividend/distribution plan" and the response to Q2.2b.2 is "No"; or
- your response to Q2.1 is "Other".

Note that if your response to Q2.1 is "Being issued as part of a transaction or transactions previously announced to the market in an Appendix 3B", it is assumed that you will have provided the information referred to in this Part in the Appendix 3B.

Question No.	Question	Answer
6.1	*Has the entity obtained, or is it obtaining, +security holder approval for the issue under listing rule 7.1?	Yes
6.1a	*Date of meeting or proposed meeting to approve the issue under listing rule 7.1 <i>Answer this question if the response to Q6.1 is "Yes".</i>	23 January 2020
6.1b	*Are any of the +securities being issued without +security holder approval using the entity's 15% placement capacity under listing rule 7.1?	No

	<i>Answer this question if the response to Q6.1 is "No".</i>	
6.1b.1	<p>*How many +securities are being issued without +security holder approval using the entity's 15% placement capacity under listing rule 7.1?</p> <p><i>Answer this question if the response to Q6.1 is "No" and the response to Q6.1b is "Yes".</i></p> <p><i>Please complete and separately send by email to your ASX listings adviser a work sheet in the form of Annexure B to Guidance Note 21 confirming the entity has the available capacity under listing rule 7.1 to issue that number of securities.</i></p>	Not Applicable
6.1c	<p>*Are any of the +securities being issued without +security holder approval using the entity's additional 10% placement capacity under listing rule 7.1A (if applicable)?</p> <p><i>Answer this question if the response to Q6.1 is "No".</i></p>	Not Applicable
6.1c.1	<p>*How many +securities are being issued without +security holder approval using the entity's additional 10% placement capacity under listing rule 7.1A?</p> <p><i>Answer this question if the response to Q6.1 is "No" and the response to Q6.1c is "Yes".</i></p> <p><i>Please complete and separately send by email to your ASX listings adviser a work sheet in the form of Annexure C to Guidance Note 21 confirming the entity has the available capacity under listing rule 7.1A to issue that number of securities.</i></p>	Not Applicable

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### Notice under Section 708A(5)(e) of the Corporations Act

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Manhattan Corporation Limited (**the Company**) (**ASX: MHC**) provides notification in accordance with section 708A(5)(e) of the Corporations Act (**Act**) 2001 (Cth) and the details required under section 708A(6) of the Act in relation to the following Securities (Securities) issued by the Company on 06 April 2020 (in accordance with the Announcement dated 2 December 2019 and approved by MHC Shareholders at the General meeting held on 23 January 2020).

Class of Securities	Fully paid ordinary shares	Listed Options with an exercise price of \$0.01 expiring 01 August 2023
Total number issued	200,000,000	100,000,000

The Company advises

1. the above Securities were issued without disclosure to investors under Part 6D.2 of the Act;
2. this Notice is being given under section 708A(5)(e) of the Act;
3. as at the date of this Notice, the Company has complied with the provisions of Chapter 2M of the Act as they apply to the Company and section 674, of the Act; and
4. as at the date of this Notice, there is no information that is excluded information within the meaning of sections 708A(7) and 708A(8) of the Act, being information that:
  - (a) has been excluded from a continuous disclosure notice in accordance with the ASX Listing Rules; and
  - (b) investors and their professional advisers would reasonably require for the purpose of making an informed assessment of:
    - the assets and liabilities, financial position and performance, profits and losses and prospects of the Company; or
    - the rights and liabilities attaching to the Securities.

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