Consolidated Financial Statements

For the years ended April 30, 2018 and April 30, 2017

(Audited)



REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Shareholders and Directors of Starcore International Mines Ltd.

Opinion on the consolidated Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Starcore International Mines Ltd. (the "Entity"), which comprise the consolidated statements of financial position as of April 30, 2018 and 2017, the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income (loss), cash flows and changes in equity for the years ended April 30, 2018 and 2017 and the related notes, comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information (collectively referred to as the consolidated financial statements).

In our opinion, these consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Entity as at April 30, 2018 and 2017 and its financial performance and its cash flows for the years ended April 30, 2018 and 2017 in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

Basis for Opinion

Management's Responsibility for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board, 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.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards and the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) ("PCAOB"). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud. Those standards also require that we comply with ethical requirements, including independence. We are required to be independent with respect to the Entity in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in Canada, the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB. We are a public accounting firm registered with the PCAOB.

An audit includes performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatements of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures to respond to those risks. Such procedures included obtaining and examining, on a test basis, audit evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on our judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, we consider internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements 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 entity's internal control. The Entity is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion.



An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies and principles used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained in our audits is sufficient and appropriate to provide a reasonable basis for our audit opinion.

We have served as the Entity's auditor since 2016.

"DAVIDSON & COMPANY LLP"

Vancouver, Canada

Chartered Professional Accountants

July 27, 2018

Starcore International Mines Ltd. Consolidated Statements of Financial Position (in thousands of Canadian dollars)

As at		April 30, 2018		April 30, 2017
Assets				
Current				
Cash	\$	2,321	\$	5,558
Short-term Investments (note 5)		-		4,005
Amounts Receivable (note 6)		3,348		4,777
Inventory (note 7)		3,499		2,921
Prepaid Expenses and Advances		355		349
Total Current Assets		9,523		17,610
Non-Current				
Mining Interest, Plant and Equipment (notes 8 & 11)		41,476		52,921
Exploration and Evaluation Assets (note 9)		5,177		5,955
Reclamation Deposits		165		165
Deferred Tax Assets (note 18)		8,110		5,445
Total Non-Current Assets		54,928		64,486
Total Assets	\$	64,451	\$	82,096
Liabilities				
Current				
Trade and Other Payables	\$	4,774	\$	2,496
Current Portion of Loan Payable (note 10)		-		1,646
Total Current Liabilities		4,774		4,142
Non-Current				
Loan Payable (note 10)		1,334		-
Rehabilitation and Closure Cost Provision (note 11)		1,162		1,131
Deferred Tax Liabilities (note 18)		8,113		11,905
Total Non-Current Liabilities		10,609		13,036
Total Liabilities	\$	15,383	\$	17,178
Equity				
Share Capital (note 12)	\$	50,725	\$	50,605
Equity Reserve	Ψ	11,178	Ψ	11,173
Foreign Currency Translation Reserve		1,234		5,209
Accumulated Deficit		(14,069)		(2,069)
Total Equity		49,068		64,918
Total Liabilities and Equity	\$	64,451	\$	82,096

Commitments (notes 11 and 14) Subsequent Event (notes 9 and 19)

Approved by the Directors:

"Robert Eadie" Director "Gary Arca" Director

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

Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss) (in thousands of Canadian dollars except per share amounts)

For the year ended April 30,		2018		2017
Revenues	ф	21.005	ф	24.642
Mining	\$	21,005	\$	24,642
Purchased concentrate		6,802		2,586
Total Revenues		27,807		27,228
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Cost of Operations		(20, (72)		(10.641)
Mining		(20,672)		(18,641)
Purchased concentrate		(7,150)		(2,151)
Depreciation and depletion		(4,913)		(5,610)
Total Cost of Sales		(32,735)		(26,402)
Earnings (Loss) from operations		(4,928)		826
Financing costs (note 10)		(61)		(626)
Foreign exchange gain		193		1,283
Management fees and salaries (notes 12 & 14)		(1,514)		(1,642)
Office and administration		(1,908)		(1,368)
Professional and consulting fees		(1,204)		(731)
Property investigation costs (note 9)		(433)		_
Regulatory and transfer agent fees		(166)		(218)
Shareholder relations		(198)		(291)
Logg before other income (logg)		,		, ,
Loss before other income (loss)		(10,219)		(2,767)
Other Income (Loss)				
Gain on sale of San Pedrito (note 8)		-		7,128
Impairment of Mining Interest, Plant and Equipment (note 8)		(6,713)		-
Loss on disposal of Exploration and Evaluation Asset (note 9)		(1,013)		-
Total other income (loss)		(7,726)		7,128
Earnings (loss) before taxes		(17,945)		4,361
Income tax recovery (note 18)				
Deferred		5,945		2,861
Earnings (Loss) for the year		(12,000)		7,222
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Other comprehensive loss				
Item that may subsequently be reclassified to loss				
Foreign currency translation differences		(3,975)		(177)
Comprehensive income (loss) for the year	\$	(15,975)	\$	7,045
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Basic (loss) earnings per share (note 16)	Þ	(0.24)	\$	0.15
Diluted (loss) earnings per share (note 16)	\$	(0.24)	\$	0.15

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Starcore International Mines Ltd. Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (in thousands of Canadian dollars)

For the years ended April 30,	2018	2017
Cash provided by		
Operating activities		
Earnings (Loss) for the year	\$ (12,000) \$	7,222
Items not involving cash:		
Depreciation and depletion	5,032	5,628
Gain on sale of San Pedrito	- (5.045)	(7,128)
Income tax (recovery) (note 18) Interest on long-term debt (note 10)	(5,945) 83	(2,861) 536
Rehabilitation and closure cost accretion (note 11)	64	80
Unwinding of discount on long-term debt (note 10)	-	48
Share-based compensation (note 12)	(64)	267
Impairment of Mining Interest, Plant and Equipment (note 8)	6,713	-
Loss on disposal of Exploration and Evaluation Asset (note 9)	1,013	-
Write-down for obsolete equipment (note 8)	-	37
Cash generated by (used in) operating activities		
before working capital changes	(5,104)	3,829
Change in non-cash working capital items		
Amounts receivable	(475)	(559)
Inventory	(1,181)	(1,591)
Prepaid expenses and advances	(78)	(214)
Trade and other payables	826	595
Cash inflow (outflow) for operating activities	(6,012)	2,060
Financing activities		
Issuance of shares (note 12)	125	-
Advance of loan payable (note 10)	1,283	-
Repayment of loan payable (note 10)	(1,213)	(4,500)
Interest paid (note 10)	(311)	(538)
Financing fees (note 10)	-	(45)
Cash outflow for financing activities	(116)	(5,083)
Investing activities		
Cash acquired on sale of San Pedrito (note 8)	832	10,171
Interest received	86	57
Investment in exploration and evaluation assets (note 9)	(481)	(2,068)
Purchase of mining interest, plant and equipment (note 8)	(2,190)	(2,709)
Sale of Exploration and Evaluation property (note 9) Sale of short-term investments (note 5)	128 4,022	1,769
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Cash inflow for investing activities	2,397	7,220
Total increase (decrease) in cash	(3,731)	4,197
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash	494	(2,887)
Cash, beginning of year	5,558	4,248
Cash, end of year	\$ 2,321 \$	5,558

During the year ended April 30, 2018, the Company accrued \$1,525 in equipment purchased through Trade Payables.

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

Starcore International Mines Ltd. Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity

For the years ended April 30, 2018 and April 30, 2017

(in thousands of Canadian dollars, except for number of shares)

	Number of Shares Outstanding	Share Capital	Equity Reserve	Foreign Currency Translation Reserve	Accumulated Income (Deficit)	Total
Balance, April 30, 2016	49,146,851	\$ 50,605	\$ 11,173	\$ 5,386	\$ (9,291)	\$ 57,873
Foreign currency translation	-	-	-	(177)	-	(177)
Earnings for the year	-	-	-		7,222	7,222
Balance, April 30, 2017	49,146,851	50,605	11,173	5,209	(2,069)	64,918
Issued for cash pursuant to:						
- Private placement at \$0.25 (Note 12)	500,000	120	5	-	-	125
Foreign currency translation	-	_	_	(3,975)	-	(3,975)
Loss for the year	-	-	-	-	(12,000)	(12,000)
Balance, April 30, 2018	49,646,851	\$ 50,725	\$ 11,178	\$ 1,234	\$ (14,069)	\$ 49,068

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

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1. Corporate Information

Starcore International Mines Ltd. is the parent company of its consolidated group (the "Company" or "Starcore") and was incorporated in Canada with its head office located at Suite 750 – 580 Hornby Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V6C 3B6.

Starcore is engaged in exploring, extracting and processing gold and silver through its wholly-owned subsidiaries, Compañia Minera Peña de Bernal, S.A. de C.V. ("Bernal"), which owns the San Martin mine in Queretaro, Mexico and Altiplano GoldSilver S.A. de C.V ("Altiplano"), which owns the gold and silver concentrate processing plant in Matehuala, Mexico.

The Company is also engaged in acquiring mining related operating assets and exploration assets in North America directly and through corporate acquisitions.

2. Basis of Preparation

a) Statement of Compliance

These consolidated financial statements for the Company have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB").

The financial statements were authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on July 27, 2018.

b) <u>Basis of Measurement</u>

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except certain financial instruments, which are measured at fair value, as explained in the Company's accounting policies discussed in note 3.

The consolidated financial statements are presented in Canadian dollars, which is also the parent company's functional currency, and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand dollars, unless otherwise indicated.

The preparation of consolidated financial statements in compliance with IFRS requires management to make certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise judgment in applying the Company's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgment of complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the consolidated financial statements are disclosed in note 4.

c) Basis of Consolidation

These consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and all of its subsidiaries, which are entities controlled by the Company. Control exists when the Company has the power to govern the financial and operating policies of an entity so as to obtain benefits from the entity's activities. Subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial results of the Company from the effective date of acquisition up to the effective date of disposal or loss of control. The Company's wholly-owned subsidiaries, Bernal and Altiplano, along with various other subsidiaries, carry out their operations in Mexico, U.S.A. and in Canada.

All intra-group transactions, balances, income and expenses are eliminated, in full, on consolidation.

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies set out below were applied consistently to all periods presented in these consolidated financial statements, unless otherwise indicated.

a) Foreign Currency Translation

The functional currency of Starcore, the parent, is the Canadian dollar ("CAD") and the functional currency of its subsidiaries is the United States dollar ("USD") (collectively "Functional Currency"). Foreign currency accounts are translated into the Functional Currency as follows:

• At the transaction date, each asset, liability, revenue and expense denominated in a foreign currency is translated into the Functional Currency by the use of the exchange rate in effect at that date. At the period end date, unsettled monetary assets and liabilities are translated into the Functional Currency by using the exchange rate in effect at the period end.

Foreign exchange gains and losses are recognized in net earnings and presented in the Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income in accordance with the nature of the transactions to which the foreign currency gains and losses relate, except for foreign exchange gains and losses from translating available-for-sale investments in marketable securities which are recognized in other comprehensive income as part of the total change in fair values of the securities. Unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses on cash and cash equivalent balances denominated in foreign currencies are disclosed separately in the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows.

b) Foreign Operations

The assets and liabilities of foreign operations with Functional Currencies differing from the presentation currency, including fair value adjustments arising on acquisition, are translated to CAD at exchange rates in effect at the reporting date. The income and expenses of foreign operations with Functional Currencies differing from the presentation currency are translated into CAD at the year-to-date average exchange rates.

The Company's foreign currency differences are recognised and presented in other comprehensive income as a foreign currency translation reserve ("Foreign Currency Translation Reserve"), a component of equity. When a foreign operation is disposed of such that control, significant influence or joint control is lost, the cumulative amount in the translation reserve related to that foreign operation is reclassified to profit or loss as part of the gain or loss on disposal.

c) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions and other short-term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and subject to an insignificant risk of change in value. At April 30, 2018 and April 30, 2017, the Company has no cash equivalents.

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies – (cont'd)

d) Short Term Investments

Short term investments, which consist of fixed term deposits held at a bank with a maturity with a maturity of more than three months at the time of issuance, are recorded at fair value.

e) Revenue Recognition

Revenue from the sale of metals is recognized when the significant risks and rewards of ownership have passed to the buyer, it is probable that economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Company, the sale price can be measured reliably, the Company has no significant continuing involvement and the costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transaction can be measured reliably.

Revenues from metal concentrate sales are subject to adjustment upon final settlement of metal prices, weights, and assays as of a date that may be up to two weeks after the shipment date. The Company records adjustments to revenues monthly based on quoted forward prices for the expected settlement period. Adjustments for weights and assays are recorded when results are determinable or on final settlement. Accounts receivable for metal concentrate sales are therefore measured at fair value.

f) <u>Inventory</u>

Finished goods and work-in-process are measured at the lower of average cost and net realizable value. Net realizable value is calculated as the estimated price at the time of sale based on prevailing and long-term metal prices less estimated future costs to convert the inventories into saleable form and estimated costs to sell.

Ore extracted from the mines is processed into finished goods (gold and by-products in doré). Costs are included in work-in-process inventory based on current costs incurred up to the point prior to the refining process, including applicable depreciation and depletion of mining interests, and removed at the average cost per recoverable ounce of gold. The average costs of finished goods represent the average costs of work-in-process inventories incurred prior to the refining process, plus applicable refining costs.

Supplies are measured at average cost. In the event that the net realizable value of the finished product, the production of which the supplies are held for use in, is lower than the expected cost of the finished product, the supplies are written down to net realizable value. Replacement costs of supplies are generally used as the best estimate of net realizable value. The costs of inventories sold during the year are presented in the Company's profit and loss.

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies – (cont'd)

g) Mining Interest, Plant and Equipment

Mining interests represent capitalized expenditures related to the development of mining properties and related plant and equipment.

Recognition and Measurement

On initial recognition, equipment is valued at cost, being the purchase price and directly attributable cost of acquisition or construction required to bring the asset to the location and condition necessary to be capable of operating in the manner intended by the Company, including appropriate borrowing costs and the estimated present value of any future unavoidable costs of dismantling and removing items. The corresponding liability is recognized within provisions.

Mining expenditures incurred either to develop new ore bodies or to develop mine areas in advance of current production are capitalized. Mine development costs incurred to maintain current production are included in the consolidated statement of operations. Exploration costs relating to the current mine in production are expensed to net income as incurred due to the immediate exploitation of these areas or an immediate determination that they are not exploitable.

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition and preparation for use, are capitalized. Capitalization of borrowing costs, begins when expenditures are incurred and activities are undertaken to prepare the asset for its intended use. The amount of borrowing costs capitalized cannot exceed the actual amount of borrowing costs incurred during the period. All other borrowing costs are expensed as incurred.

The capitalization of borrowing costs is discontinued when substantially all of the activities necessary to prepare the qualifying asset for its intended use or sale are complete. Capitalized borrowing costs are amortized over the useful life of the related asset.

Major Maintenance and Repairs

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognized as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that the future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to the Company's profit or loss during the financial year in which they are incurred.

Subsequent Costs

The cost of replacing part of an item of equipment is recognized in the carrying amount of the item if it is probable that the future economic benefits embodied within the part will flow to the Company and its costs can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognized. The costs of the day-to-day servicing of equipment are recognized in the Company's profit or loss as incurred.

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies – (cont'd)

g) Mining Interest, Plant and Equipment – (cont'd)

Leased Equipment

Leased assets in which the Company receives substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset are capitalized as finance leases at the lower of the fair value of the asset or the estimated present value of the minimum lease payments. The corresponding lease obligation is recorded within debt on the statement of financial position.

Assets under operating leases are not capitalized and rental payments are included in earnings based on the terms of the lease.

Derecognition

Upon sale or abandonment, the cost of the property, plant, and equipment and related accumulated depreciation or depletion, are removed from the accounts and any gains or losses thereon are included in operations.

Depreciation and Impairment

Mining interest, plant and equipment are subsequently measured at cost less accumulated depreciation, less any accumulated impairment losses, with the exception of land which is not depreciated. Depletion of mine properties is charged on a unit-of-production basis over proven and probable reserves and resources expected to be converted to reserves. Currently the depletion base is approximately 10 years of expected production. Depreciation of plant and equipment and corporate office equipment, vehicles, software and leaseholds is calculated using the straight-line method, based on the lesser of economic life of the asset and the expected life of mine of approximately 10 years. Where components of an asset have different useful lives, depreciation is calculated on each separate part. Depreciation commences when an asset is available for use. At the end of the each calendar year estimates of proven and probable gold reserves and a portion of resources expected to be converted to reserves are updated and the calculations of amortization of mining interest, plant and equipment is prospectively revised.

The Company reviews and evaluates its mining interests, plant and equipment for impairment at least annually or when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the related carrying amounts may not be recoverable. Impairment is considered to exist if the recoverable value of a cash generating unit is less than the carrying amount of the assets. An impairment loss is measured and recorded based on the greater of the cash generating unit's fair value less cost to sell or its value in use versus its carrying value. Future cash flows are estimated based on expected future production, commodity prices, operating costs and capital costs.

Mining interests, plant and equipment that have been impaired in prior periods are tested for possible reversal of impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the impairment has reversed. If the impairment has reversed, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to its recoverable amount but not beyond the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognized for the asset in the prior periods. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognized in the consolidated statement of operations.

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies – (cont'd)

h) Rehabilitation and Closure Cost Provision

The Company records a provision for the estimated future costs of rehabilitation and closure of operating and inactive mines and development projects, which are discounted to net present value using the risk free interest rates applicable to the future cash outflows. Estimates of future costs represent management's best estimates which incorporate assumptions on the effects of inflation, movements in foreign exchange rates and the effects of country and other specific risks associated with the related liabilities. The provision for the Company's rehabilitation and closure cost obligations is accreted over time to reflect the unwinding of the discount with the accretion expense included in finance costs in the Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income. The provision for rehabilitation and closure cost obligations is re-measured at the end of each reporting period for changes in estimates and circumstances. Changes in estimates and circumstances include changes in legal or regulatory requirements, increased obligations arising from additional mining and exploration activities, changes to cost estimates and changes to risk free interest rates.

Rehabilitation and closure cost obligations relating to operating mines and development projects are initially recorded with a corresponding increase to the carrying amounts of related mining properties. Changes to the obligations are also accounted for as changes in the carrying amounts of related mining properties, except where a reduction in the obligation is greater than the capitalized rehabilitation and closure costs, in which case, the capitalized rehabilitation and closure costs is reduced to nil and the remaining adjustment is included in production costs in the Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income. Rehabilitation and closure cost obligations related to inactive mines are included in production costs in the Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income on initial recognition and subsequently when re-measured.

i) Exploration and Evaluation Expenditures

Once the legal right to explore a property has been acquired, costs directly related to exploration and evaluation ("E&E") expenditures are recognized and capitalized, in addition to the acquisition costs. These direct expenditures include such costs as materials used, surveying and sampling costs, drilling costs, payments made to contractors, geologists, consultants, and depreciation on plant and equipment during the exploration phase. Costs not directly attributable to E&E activities, including general and administrative overhead costs, are expensed in the period in which they occur.

When a project is determined to no longer have commercially viable prospects to the Company, E&E expenditures in respect of that project are deemed to be impaired. As a result, those E&E expenditures, in excess of estimated recoveries, are written off to the Company's profit or loss.

The Company assesses E&E assets for impairment when facts and circumstances suggest that the carrying amount of an asset may exceed its recoverable amount.

Once the technical feasibility and commercial viability of extracting the mineral resource has been determined, the property is considered to be a mine under development and is classified as "mines under construction". E&E assets are tested for impairment before the assets are transferred to development properties.

Any incidental revenues earned in connection with exploration activities are applied as a reduction to capitalized exploration costs.

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies – (cont'd)

j) Financial Instruments

Financial instruments are classified as one of the categories below based upon the purpose for which the asset was acquired. All transactions related to financial instruments are recorded on a trade date basis. The Company's accounting policy for each category is as follows:

Loans and Receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets resulting from the delivery of cash or other assets by a lender to a borrower in return for a promise to repay on a specified date or dates, or on demand. They are initially recognized at fair value plus transaction costs that are directly attributable to their acquisition or issue, and subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, less any impairment losses.

Amortised cost is calculated taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and includes fees that are an integral part of the effective interest rate and transaction costs. Gains and losses are recognized in the profit or loss when the loans and receivables are derecognized or impaired, as well as through the amortization process.

The Company's cash is accounted for at fair value and amounts receivable are all accounted for as loans and receivables.

Available-for-Sale

Non-derivative financial assets not included in the above category are classified as available-for-sale. Available-for-sale investments are carried at fair value with changes in fair value recognized in accumulated other comprehensive loss/ income. Where there is a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of an available-for-sale financial asset, which constitutes objective evidence of impairment, the full amount of the impairment, including any amount previously recognized in other comprehensive loss/income is recognized in the Company's profit or loss. If there is no quoted market price in an active market and fair value cannot be readily determined, available-for-sale investments are carried at cost.

Purchases and sales of available-for-sale financial assets are recognized on a trade date basis. On sale or impairment, the cumulative amount recognized in other comprehensive loss/income is reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive loss/income to the Company's profit or loss.

Impairment of Financial Assets

At each reporting date, the Company assesses whether there is any objective evidence that a financial asset or a group of financial assets is impaired. A financial asset or group of financial assets is deemed to be impaired if, there is objective evidence of impairment as a result of one or more events that has occurred subsequent to the initial recognition of the asset and that event has an impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset or the group of financial assets.

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies – (cont'd)

j) <u>Financial Instruments</u> – (cont'd)

Financial Liabilities

Financial liabilities are classified as other financial liabilities, based on the purpose for which the liability was incurred, and comprised of trade and other payables, and loan payable. These liabilities are recognized at fair value, net of any transaction costs directly attributable to the issuance of the instrument and subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. This ensures that, any interest expense over the period to repayment is at a constant rate on the balance of the liability carried in the statement of financial position. Interest expense in this context includes initial transaction costs and premiums payable on redemption, as well as any interest or coupon payable while the liability is outstanding.

Trade and other payables & loan payable represent goods and services provided to the Company prior to the end of the period which are unpaid. Trade payable amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition.

Fair value hierarchy

Financial instruments recognized at fair value on the consolidated balance sheets must be classified into one of the three following fair value hierarchy levels:

Level 1 – measurement based on quoted prices (unadjusted observed in active markets) for identical assets or liabilities;

Level 2 – measurement based on inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1, that are observable for the asset or liability;

Level 3 – measurement based on inputs that are not observable (supported by little or no market activity) for the asset or liability.

The Company's financial instruments recognized at fair value consist of short term investments having a fair value of Nil (2017 - 4,005) measured in accordance with Level 1.

k) Income Taxes

Current tax and deferred taxes are recognized in the Company's profit or loss, except to the extent that it relates to a business combination or items recognized directly in equity or in other comprehensive loss/income.

Current income taxes are recognized for the estimated taxes payable or receivable on taxable income or loss for the current year and any adjustment to income taxes payable in respect of previous years. Current income taxes are determined using tax rates and tax laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the period end date.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized where the carrying amount of an asset or liability differs from its tax base, except for taxable temporary differences arising on the initial recognition of goodwill and temporary differences arising on the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction which is not a business combination and at the time of the transaction affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss.

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies – (cont'd)

k) Income Taxes – (cont'd)

Recognition of deferred tax assets for unused tax losses, tax credits and deductible temporary differences is restricted to those instances where it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the deferred tax asset can be utilised. At the end of each reporting period, the Company reassesses unrecognized deferred tax assets. The Company recognizes a previously unrecognized deferred tax asset to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profit will allow the deferred tax asset to be recovered.

1) Share Capital

Financial instruments issued by the Company are classified as equity, only to the extent that they do not meet the definition of a financial liability or asset. The Company's common shares, share warrants and share options are classified as equity instruments.

Incremental costs, directly attributable to the issue of new shares, warrants or options, are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from proceeds.

m) <u>Profit or Loss per Share</u>

Basic profit or loss per share is computed by dividing the Company's profit or loss applicable to common shares by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding for the relevant period.

Diluted profit or loss per share is computed by dividing the Company's profit or loss applicable to common shares, by the sum of the weighted average number of common shares outstanding and all additional common shares that would have been outstanding if potentially dilutive instruments were converted at the beginning of the period.

n) Share-based Payments

Where equity-settled share options are awarded to employees or non-employees, the fair value of the options at the date of grant is charged to the Company's profit or loss over the vesting period. The number of equity instruments expected to vest at each reporting date, are taken into account so that the cumulative amount recognized over the vesting period is based on the number of options that eventually vest. Non-vesting conditions and market vesting conditions are factored into the fair value of the options granted. As long as all other vesting conditions are satisfied, a charge is made irrespective of whether these vesting conditions are satisfied. The cumulative expense is not adjusted for failure to achieve a market vesting condition or where a non-vesting condition is not satisfied.

Where the terms and conditions of options are modified before they vest, the increase in the fair value of the options, measured immediately before and after the modifications, is charged to the Company's profit or loss over the remaining vesting period.

Where equity instruments are granted to employees, they are recorded at the fair value of the equity instrument granted at the grant date. The grant date fair value is recognized in the Company's profit or loss over the vesting period, described as the period during which all the vesting conditions are to be satisfied.

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies – (cont'd)

n) Share-based Payments – (cont'd)

Where equity instruments are granted to non-employees, they are recorded at the fair value of the goods or services received in the Company's profit or loss, unless they are related to the issuance of shares. Amounts related to the issuance of shares are recorded as a reduction of share capital.

When the value of goods or services received in exchange for the share-based payment cannot be reliably estimated, the fair value is measured by use of a valuation model. The expected life used in the model is adjusted, based on management's best estimate, for effects of non-transferability, exercise restrictions and behavioural considerations.

All equity-settled share based payments are reflected in equity reserve, until exercised. Upon exercise, shares are issued from treasury and the amount reflected in equity reserve is credited to share capital, adjusted for any consideration paid.

Where a grant of options is cancelled or settled during the vesting period, excluding forfeitures when vesting conditions are not satisfied, the Company immediately accounts for the cancellation as an acceleration of vesting and immediately recognizes the amount that otherwise would have been recognized for services received over the remainder of the vesting period.

Any payment made to the employee on the cancellation is accounted for as the repurchase of an equity interest except to the extent that the payment exceeds the fair value of the equity instrument granted, measured at the repurchase date. Any such excess is recognized as an expense.

Where vesting conditions are not satisfied and options are forfeited, the Company reverses the fair value amount of the unvested options which had been recognized over the vesting period.

o) New and Revised Accounting Standards

The following accounting standards have been issued or amended but are not yet effective. The Company has not early adopted these new and amended standards. The Company continues to evaluate the new standards but currently no material impact is expected as a result of the adoptions of these new and amended standards:

- IFRS 3 "Business Combination"
- IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments"
- IFRS 10 "Consolidated Financial Statements"
- IFRS 16 "Leases"
- IAS 12 "Income Taxes"
- IAS 23 "Borrowing Costs"
- IAS 28 "Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures"
- IFRIC 23 "Uncertainty over Income Tax treatments"

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Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgments

The Company makes estimates and assumptions about the future that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities. Estimates and judgments are continually evaluated based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. In the future, actual experience may differ from these estimates and assumptions.

The effect of a change in accounting estimate is recognized prospectively by including it in the Company's profit or loss in the period of the change, if it affects that period only, or in the period of the change and future periods, if the change affects both.

Information about critical judgments in applying accounting policies that have the most significant risk of causing material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities recognized in the consolidated financial statements within the next financial year are discussed below:

Economic Recoverability and Profitability of Future Economic Benefits of Mining Interests

Management has determined that mining interests, evaluation, development and related costs incurred which have been capitalized are economically recoverable. Management uses several criteria in its assessments of economic recoverability and probability of future economic benefit including geologic and metallurgic information, history of conversion of mineral deposits to proven and probable reserves, scoping and feasibility studies, accessible facilities, existing permits and life of mine plans.

Impairments b)

The Company assesses its mining interest, plant and equipment assets annually to determine whether any indication of impairment exists. Where an indicator of impairment exists, a formal estimate of the recoverable amount is made, which is considered to be the higher of the fair value less costs to sell and value in use. These assessments require the use of estimates and assumptions such as long-term commodity prices, discount rates, future capital requirements, exploration potential and operating performance.

Rehabilitation Provisions

Rehabilitation provisions have been created based on the Company's internal estimates. Assumptions, based on the current economic environment, have been made which management believes are a reasonable basis upon which to estimate the future liability. These estimates take into account any material changes to the assumptions that occur when reviewed regularly by management. Estimates are reviewed annually and are based on current regulatory requirements. Significant changes in estimates of contamination, restoration standards and techniques will result in changes to provisions from period to period. Actual rehabilitation costs will ultimately depend on future market prices for the rehabilitation costs, which will reflect the market condition at the time that the rehabilitation costs are actually incurred. The final cost of the currently recognized rehabilitation provision may be higher or lower than currently provided.

The inflation rate applied to estimated future rehabilitation and closure costs is 3.5% and the discount rate currently applied in the calculation of the net present value of the provision is 8%.

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4. Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgments – (cont'd)

d) Income Taxes

Significant judgment is required in determining the provision for income taxes. There are many transactions and calculations undertaken during the ordinary course of business for which the ultimate tax determination is uncertain. The Company recognizes liabilities and contingencies for anticipated tax audit issues based on the Company's current understanding of tax law. For matters where it is probable that an adjustment will be made, the Company records its best estimate of the tax liability including the related interest and penalties in the current tax provision. Management believes they have adequately provided for the probable outcome of these matters; however, the final outcome may result in a materially different outcome than the amount included in the tax liabilities.

In addition, the Company recognizes deferred tax assets relating to tax losses carried forward to the extent there are sufficient taxable temporary differences (deferred tax liabilities) relating to the same taxation authority and the same taxable entity against which the unused tax losses can be utilized. However, utilization of the tax losses also depends on the ability of the taxable entity to satisfy certain tests at the time the losses are recuperated.

e) Share-based Payment

The Company measures the cost of equity-settled transactions with employees, and some with non-employees, by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. Estimating fair value for share-based payment transactions requires determining the most appropriate valuation model, which is dependent on the terms and conditions of the grant.

This estimate also requires determining the most appropriate inputs to the valuation model including the expected life of the share option, expected forfeiture rate, volatility and dividend yield and making assumptions about them. The assumptions and models used for estimating fair value for share-based payment transactions are disclosed in the notes.

f) <u>Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resource Estimates</u>

Mineral reserves are estimates of the amount of ore that can be economically and legally extracted from the Company's mining properties. The Company estimates its mineral reserve and mineral resources based on information compiled by Qualified Persons as defined by Canadian Securities Administrators National Instrument 43-101 Standards for Disclosure of Mineral Projects. Such information includes geological data on the size, depth and shape of the mineral deposit, and requires complex geological judgments to interpret the data. The estimation of recoverable reserves is based upon factors such as estimates of commodity prices, future capital requirements, and production costs along with geological assumptions and judgments made in estimating the size and grade that comprise the mineral reserves. Changes in the mining reserve or mineral resource estimates may impact the carrying value of mineral properties and deferred development costs, property, plant and equipment, provision for site reclamation and closure, recognition of deferred income tax assets and depreciation and amortization charges.

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4. Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgments – (cont'd)

g) <u>Units of production depletion</u>

Estimated recoverable reserves are used in determining the depreciation of mine specific assets. This results in depreciation charges proportional to the depletion of the anticipated remaining life of mine production. Each item's life, which is assessed annually, has regard to both its physical life limitations and to present assessments of economically recoverable reserves of the mine property at which the asset is located. These calculations require the use of estimates and assumption, including the amount of recoverable reserves and estimate of future capital expenditure. Changes are accounted for prospectively.

5. Short-term Investments

The Company purchases Guaranteed Investment Certificate ("GIC") denominated in USD and Mexican Pesos ("MP") as Short-term Investments.

During the period ending April 30, 2018, the Company held \$Nil (April 30, 2017 - \$409) in regards to GIC denominated in USD. The Company also held \$Nil (April 30, 2017 - \$3,596) GIC denominated in MP.

6. Amounts Receivable

	April 30, 2018	Aj	April 30, 2017		
Taxes receivable	\$ 1,941		1,911		
San Pedrito sale (note 8) Trades receivable	1,359		2,644 148		
Other	48		74		
	\$ 3,348	\$	4,777		

7. Inventory

	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017
Carrying value of inventory:		
Doré	\$ 955	\$ 922
Goods in transit	376	429
Work-in-process	662	377
Concentrate	595	189
Stockpile	118	196
Supplies	793	808
	\$ 3,499	\$ 2,921

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8. Mining Interest, Plant and Equipment

				F	Plant and Equipment Altiplano	Corporate Office Equipment		Total	
Cost	Ф		Φ.			•			
Balance, April 30, 2016 Additions	\$	70,018 484	\$	20,308 2,034	\$	6,327 119	\$ 605 72	\$	97,258 2,709
Write-down of equipment		-		(37)		-	-		(37)
Disposal of San Pedrito		(5,249)		-		_	_		(5,249)
Effect of foreign exchange		7,795		1,394		559	-		9,748
Balance, April 30, 2017		73,048		23,699		7,005	677		104,429
Additions		902		2,720		78	15		3,715
Write-down of equipment		(5,000)		(1,925)		-	-		(6,925)
Effect of foreign exchange		(4,592)		(1,318)		(429)	-		(6,339)
Balance, April 30, 2018	\$	64,358	\$	23,176	\$	6,654	\$ 692	\$	94,880
Depreciation									
Balance, April 30, 2016	\$	31,781	\$	8,516	\$	-	\$ 343	\$	40,640
Depreciation for the year		3,786		1,532		220	90		5,628
Effect of foreign exchange		4,090		1,142		8	-		5,240
Balance, April 30, 2017		39,657		11,190		228	433		51,508
Depreciation for the year		2,887		1,621		434	90		5,032
Write-down of equipment		-		(212)		-	-		(212)
Effect of foreign exchange		(2,232)		(680)		(12)	-		(2,924)
Balance, April 30, 2018	\$	40,312	\$	11,919	\$	650	\$ 523	\$	53,404
Carrying amounts			·						_
Balance, April 30, 2017	\$	33,391	\$	12,509	\$	6,777	\$ 244	\$	52,921
Balance, April 30, 2018	\$	24,046	\$	11,257	\$	6,004	\$ 169	\$	41,476

Impairment on Mining Interest

The Company considered that the carrying amount of its assets being higher than market capitalization of the Company at April 30, 2018 was an indicator of impairment. In determining the recoverable amounts of the Company's mining interests, the Company's management makes estimates of the discounted future cash flows expected to be derived from the Company's mining properties, costs to sell the mining properties and the appropriate discount rate. The projected cash flows are significantly affected by changes in assumptions about gold's selling price, future capital expenditures, changes in the amount of recoverable reserves, resources, and exploration potential, production cost estimates, discount rates and exchange rates. Based on the calculation, at April 30, 2018, management has decided to record an impairment of \$5,000 on the San Martin Project. The key assumptions used for assessing the recoverable amount are gold price of USD \$1,300/oz and a discount rate of 9%.

Management has also determined that the CIL plant constructed in 2016 is no longer useful in the operations of the San Martin mine in Queretaro, Mexico. While this plant has a value as a functioning carbon leach plant and has operated to process third party carbon concentrates, the Company cannot guarantee its usefulness in the future or the ability to attract third party carbon concentrates for processing. As a result, management has decided to write down the plant to \$nil value and record an impairment of the book value of \$1,713 to the Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss).

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8. Mining Interest, Plant and Equipment – (cont'd)

Sale of San Pedrito

On March 21, 2017, the Company finalized the sale of its San Pedrito Property, a non-core asset located in Queretaro, Mexico for MXN\$ 192,784,331. The San Pedrito property was part of Starcore's original acquisition in 2007, when the Company acquired the San Martin Mine from Goldcorp for US\$26 million. The disposition of San Pedrito was recorded during the prior year ended April 30, 2017 and a gain of \$7,128 was reported on the Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss). The Company has recorded an allowance for MXN\$15.0 million for amounts that management has deemed uncertain for collectability.

Details of the transaction are as follows: Total surface area sold covers 74.0831.544 hectares (740,831.544 square meters) sold at \$250 pesos per square meter. Payments are staged as follows:

Surface Area in hectares (ha)	Equivalent in square meters (sm)	Mexican Pesos ⁽⁴⁾	Canadian Dollars ⁽²⁾⁽⁴⁾	Status
55.068 ha	550,685.485 sm	MXN\$ 137,671,371	C\$ 9,640,852	
Interest Received		MXN\$ 7,576,445	C\$ 530,563	
		MXN\$ 145,247,816	C\$ 10,171,415	Payment received
Parcel of 12 ha ⁽¹⁾	120,000.000 sm	MXN\$ 30,000,000	C\$ 2,100,840	Pending clearance
Parcel of 2.014 ha ⁽¹⁾	20,146.059 sm	MXN\$ 5,036,515	C\$ 352,697	Pending clearance
Parcel of 5 ha	50,000.000 sm	MXN\$ 12,500,000	C\$ 832,731 ⁽³⁾	Payment received

⁽¹⁾ The remaining two parcels await various confirmations from different local and federal authorities. As the Company receives these confirmations, the buyer will immediately remit the corresponding payment for each parcel of land. It is expected that these clearances will be confirmed within the next 6 months.

Altiplano Facility

On August 5, 2015, the Company acquired Cortez Gold Corp. ("Cortez") (TSXV: CUT) in an all-share transaction completed pursuant to a court approved Plan of Arrangement under the Business Corporations Act (British Columbia). Pursuant to the acquisition, the purchase price was allocated based on management's best estimates and assumptions, after taking into account all relevant information available. As a result, apart from working capital allocations, \$6,094 was allocated to plant, machinery and equipment. The Altiplano Plant is a facility which processes third party gold and silver concentrate in Matehuala, Mexico.

The Company's management determined the commencement of commercial production to begin on November 1, 2016. As a result, prior to commencement of commercial production, all of the pre-operational costs and any test production revenue were capitalized to Plant costs. Subsequent to November 1, 2016, the consolidated statements of operations include the operating revenues and expenses from the Altiplano operations.

⁽²⁾ Based on exchange rate of 14.28 Pesos/CAD\$ as at close of March 21, 2017.

⁽³⁾ Based on exchange rate of 15.01 Pesos/CAD\$ on the actual date of collection on November 8, 2017.

⁽⁴⁾ Amounts are not rounded to the nearest thousand.

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9. Exploration and Evaluation Assets

a) American Consolidated Minerals ("AJC") properties

Pursuant to the Acquisition of AJC, the Company has acquired the rights to three exploration properties as follows:

i) Lone Ranch, U.S.A

The Company has acquired the right to a 100% undivided interest, subject to a 3% net smelter royalty ("NSR"), in 73 mining claims located in Ferry County, Washington State, United States of America ("Lone Ranch") from MinQuest Inc. ("MinQuest"). Consideration to be paid for the interest is USD\$360 (payable over 5 years commencing October 19, 2018), and the Company must incur total exploration expenditures of USD\$1,225 (USD\$175 incurred) on the property, by the third anniversary of October 19, 2018 as agreed by MinQuest. Annual payments commencing October 19, 2018 are \$60, \$80, \$100, and \$170 respectively.

These payment requirements will commence earlier should the Company enter into a joint venture agreement over the property or complete a bankable feasibility study on the property.

The optionor has also granted the Company the right to purchase up to one-half of the NSR (or 1.5%) on the basis of USD\$1,500 per each 1% of the royalty. If the Company does not incur the exploration expenditures as specified, the unpaid portions may be paid to the optionor to maintain the option.

ii) Toiyabe, U.S.A

The Company has the right to acquire a 100% undivided interest, subject to a 3% NSR, in 165 mining claims located in Lander County, Nevada, United States of America ("Toiyabe") from MinQuest. Consideration to be paid for the interest is USD\$900 (payable over 5 years commencing October 19, 2018) and the Company must incur total exploration expenditures of USD\$1,025 (incurred) on the property, by the fifth anniversary of October 19, 2018 as agreed by MinQuest. Annual payments commencing October 19, 2018 are \$60, \$80, \$100, \$120, \$140 and \$400 respectively.

These payment requirements will commence earlier should the Company enter into a joint venture agreement over Toiyabe or complete a bankable feasibility study on the property.

The optionor has also granted the Company the right to purchase up to one-half of the NSR (or 1.5%) on the basis of USD \$2,000 per each 1% of the royalty.

iii) Sierra Rosario, Mexico

The Company acquired a 100% interest in the 978-hectare Sierra Rosario Property, over 2 claims that are located in the state of Sinaloa, Mexico ("Sierra Rosario").

During the current year ended April 30, 2018, the Company entered into an agreement to sell the claims of the Sierra Rosario property. The Company received proceeds of \$128 (\$100 USD) over a six month period. The excess of property costs over the recovered amount of \$1,013 was recognized as a loss on disposal of exploration and evaluation assets in the Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income (Loss).

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9. Exploration and Evaluation Assets – (cont'd)

b) Creston Moly ("Creston") properties

i) El Creston Project, Mexico

The Company acquired a 100% interest in the nine mineral claims known as the El Creston molybdenum property located northeast of Hermosillo, State of Sonora, Mexico, which has completed a Preliminary Economic Assessment on the property based on zones of porphyry-style molybdenum ("Mo")/copper ("Cu") mineralization. The mineral concessions are subject to a 3% net profits interest.

ii) Ajax Project, Canada

The Company acquired a 100% interest in six mineral claims known as the Ajax molybdenum property located in B.C.

iii) Molybrook Project, Canada

The Company owns 100% of the 44 mineral claims of the Moly Brook molybdenum property, located on the southern coast of Newfoundland. The Moly Brook property is subject to a 2% NSR, of which 1.5% can be purchased by the Company for \$1,500.

During the year ended April 30, 2016, the Company reduced its claims to focus of the core project and to reduce its holding costs.

c) Santa Fe property

On November 21, 2017, the Company announced it had entered into a Letter of Intent ("LOI") with third parties to acquire approximately 21,000 hectares located in the state of Sinaloa, Mexico, more commonly known as the Santa Fe Project ("Santa Fe" or the "Property").

Subsequent to the year ended April 30, 2018, the Company announced that it has completed its due diligence and review of the Santa Fe Project and will not be proceeding with the proposed acquisition. The Company has no further obligations on Santa Fe property and costs of \$433 associated with the property, as well as other properties being investigated, were expensed as property investigation costs in the current year.

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9. Exploration and Evaluation Assets – (cont'd)

	AJC Creston Properties Properties			nta Fe operty	Total			
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Acquisition costs:	¢	1.002	ď	2.001	¢		¢	2.004
Balance, April 30, 2016	\$	1,083	\$	2,001	\$	-	\$	3,084
Effect of foreign exchange		131						131
Balance, April 30, 2017								
•		1,214		2,001		-		3,215
Property disposition		(970)		-		-		(970)
Recovery on disposal of E&E Asset		(128)		-		-		(128)
Effect of foreign exchange		(80)		-		-		(80)
Balance, April 30, 2018		36		2,001		-		2,037
Exploration costs:								
Balance, April 30, 2016		121		659		-		780
Assays		82		-		-		82
Exploration cost		96		-		-		96
Drilling		1,288		-		-		1,288
Geological		178		139		-		317
Legal fees		_		41		-		41
Maintenance		56		189		-		245
Effect of foreign exchange		(109)				-		(109)
Balance, April 30, 2017		1,712		1,028		-		2,740
Exploration cost		23		_		-		23
Drilling		18		-		-		18
Geological		31		13		45		89
Legal fees		-		15		-		15
Maintenance		62		274		-		336
Property disposition		(37)		-		(45)		(82)
Effect of foreign exchange				1		-		1
Balance, April 30, 2018	\$	1,809	\$	1,331	\$	-	\$	3,140
Total Exploration and Evaluation Assets	Φ.	2.026	Φ.	2.020	¢		ø	5.055
Balance, April 30, 2017	\$	2,926	\$	3,029	\$	-	\$	5,955
Balance, April 30, 2018	\$	1,845	\$	3,332	\$	-	\$	5,177

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10. Loan payable

During the year ended July 31, 2015, the Company secured a \$1,305 (USD \$1,000) loan with a lender, bearing interest at 8% per annum, compounded annually.

The full principal of \$1,213 plus accrued interest of \$311 for a total of \$1,524 on the loan was repaid to the lender during the year ended April 30, 2018.

During the current year ended April 30, 2018, the Company secured an additional \$1,283 (USD \$1,000) loan ("Loan") with a lender. The Loan is secured against certain assets of the Company and bears interest at 8% per annum, compounded and paid annually. The full principal plus accrued interest on the loan shall be repayable to the lender on October 25, 2019.

On November 17, 2015, the Company completed a private placement of secured bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$4,500 ("the Bonds"). The Bonds carried interest of 8% per annum, payable on November 12, 2016 and were secured against all of the Company's asset that ranks pari passu with the existing debt obligations of the Company. During the year ended April 30, 2017, the bonds were extended by 6 months to May 12, 2017. On April 12, 2017, the Company elected an early repayment of the Bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$4.5 million.

Changes to the loan payable balance during the year ended April 30, 2018 and the year ended April 30, 2017, are as follows:

]	Principal	Interest	Discount	Total
Balance, April 30, 2016	\$	5,754	\$ 282	\$ (48)	\$ 5,988
Repayment on debt		(4,500)	(538)	48	(4,990)
Interest accrual		-	536	-	536
Foreign exchange adjustment		112	=	-	112
Balance, April 30, 2017		1,366	280	-	1,646
Financing, October 25, 2017		1,283	-	-	1,283
Repayment on debt		(1,213)	(311)	-	(1,524)
Interest accrual		_	83	-	83
Foreign exchange adjustment		(154)	-	-	(154)
Balance, April 30, 2018	\$	1,282	\$ 52	\$ -	\$ 1,334

	April 30,	April 30, 2018		
Current Non-Current	\$	- 1,334	\$	1,646 -
	\$	1,334	\$	1,646

Subsequent to the year ended April 30, 2018, the Company completed a private placement of secured bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$3,000 bond (see note 19).

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10. Loan payable – (cont'd)

The Company's financing costs for the year ended April 30, 2018 and April 30, 2017 as reported on its Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss) can be summarized as follows:

For the year ended April 30,	2	2018	2017
Unwinding of discount on rehabilitation and closure accretion (note 11)	\$	64	\$ 80
Discount unwinding on debt repaid		-	48
Extension fee		-	45
Interest expense on debt		83	536
Interest revenue		(86)	(83)
	\$	61	\$ 626

11. Rehabilitation and Closure Cost Provision

The Company's asset retirement obligations consist of reclamation and closure costs for the mine. At April 30, 2018, the present value of obligations is estimated at \$1,162 (2017 - \$1,131) based on expected undiscounted cash-flows at the end of the mine life of MXN\$ 18,729 or \$1,280 (2017 - \$1,347), which is calculated annually over 5 to 10 years. Such liability was determined using a discount rate of 8% (2017 - \$8) and an inflation rate of 3.5% (2017 - \$3.5%).

Significant reclamation and closure activities include land rehabilitation, demolition of buildings and mine facilities, closing portals to underground mining areas and other costs.

Changes to the reclamation and closure cost balance during the year are as follows:

	A	April 30, 2017			
Balance, beginning of year	\$	1,131	\$	1,091	
Accretion expense		64		80	
Foreign exchange fluctuation		(33)		(40)	
Balance, end of year	\$	1,162	\$	1,131	

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12. Share Capital

a) Common Shares

The Company is authorized to issue an unlimited number of common shares, issuable in series.

The holders of common shares are entitled to one vote per share at meetings of the Company and to receive dividends, which may be declared from time-to-time. All shares are ranked equally with regard to the Company's residual assets.

During the year ended April 30, 2018, the Company:

- Completed a non-brokered private placement to an officer and director of the Company through the issuance of 500,000 units at a price of \$0.25 per unit for gross proceeds of \$125. Each unit is comprised of one common share of Starcore and one-half of one transferable common share purchase warrant, each whole warrant exercisable for a period of four years from the date of issue to purchase one common share of Starcore at a price of \$0.30 per share.

The Company calculated the fair value of the share component to be the lesser of the market price for the shares on the date of grant, which was \$0.24 per share, and the offering price, which was \$0.25 per unit. The shares, therefore, had a market price of \$0.24 per share or \$120 and the fair value of the warrants was calculated as the difference of \$5. As such, share capital was increased by \$120 and equity reserve increased by \$5.

During the year ended April 30, 2017, the Company did not issue any common shares.

b) <u>Warrants</u>

A summary of the Company's outstanding share purchase warrants at April 30, 2018 and 2017 and the changes during the year ended is presented below:

	Number of warrants	a	eighted verage cise price
Outstanding at April 30, 2016 Warrants expired	139,284 (139,284)	\$	1.20 1.20
Outstanding at April 30, 2017 Warrants issued	250,000		0.30
Outstanding at April 30, 2018	250,000	\$	0.30

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12. Share Capital – (cont'd)

b) Warrants - (cont'd)

A summary of the Company's outstanding share purchase warrants is presented below:

Number of Warrants	Exercise Price	Expiry Date
250,000	\$0.30	March 7, 2022

c) <u>Share-based Payments</u>

The Company, in accordance with the policies of the TSX, was previously authorized to grant options to directors, officers, and employees to acquire up to 20% of the amount of stock outstanding. In January 2014, the Company's shareholders voted to cancel the Company's option plan and, as a result, the Company's Board of Directors may not grant further options. The Company's management and directors are reviewing alternative compensation arrangements for the Company's employees and directors.

The following is a summary of changes in options for the years ending April 30, 2018 and 2017:

	Number of Shares	Weighted Average Exercise Price
Balance at April 30, 2016	2,846,250	\$1.07
Forfeited/expired	(1,497,500)	1.23
Balance at April 30, 2017	1,348,750	0.90
Forfeited	(400,000)	0.94
Outstanding and Exercisable at April 30, 2018	948,750	\$0.88

The following is a summary of the Company's outstanding and exercisable options at April 30, 2018:

	Weighted	
Number	Average	Weighted
Outstanding	Exercise Price	Average Life
50,000	\$1.00	0.37
50,000	\$0.80	0.31
50,000	\$0.92	0.35
798,750	\$0.88	0.71
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948,750	\$0.88	0.65

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12. Share Capital – (cont'd)

d) Deferred Share Units ("DSU") & Restricted Share Units ("RSU")

Effective August 1, 2016, The Board of Directors has approved the adoption of a Restricted Share Unit and Deferred Share Unit Plan (the "RSU/DSU Plan") as part of the Company's compensation arrangements for directors, officers, employees or consultants of the Company or a related entity of the Company.

Although the RSU/DSU Plan is share-based, all vested RSUs and DSUs will be settled in cash. No common shares will be issued.

RSU

The RSU plan is for eligible members of the Board of Directors, eligible employees and eligible contractors. The RSUs will vest over a period of three years from the date of grant, vesting as to one-third at the end of each calendar year. In addition to the vesting period, the Company has also set Performance Conditions that will accompany vested RSUs.

The Performance Conditions to be met are established by the Board at the time of grant of the RSU. RSUs that are permitted to be carried over to the succeeding years shall expire no later than August 1st of the third calendar year after the year in which the RSUs have been granted, and will be terminated to the extent the performance objectives or other vesting criteria have not been met. The RSU share plan transactions during the period were as follows:

	Number of Share Units
Outstanding at April 30, 2016	-
Granted	961,000
Cancelled	(204,000)
Outstanding at April 30, 2017 Granted Exercised Cancelled	757,000 705,000 (178,750) (42,000)
Outstanding at April 30, 2018	1,241,250

Management has determined that 50% of the RSU's will be deemed payable on the vesting dates based on current performance criteria measures. As such only 50% of the RSU's have been valued at fair value of \$0.195 per share. The liability portion for the year ended April 30, 2018 is \$70 which has been included under Trades and Other Payables on the Statement of Financial Position.

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12. Share Capital – (cont'd)

d) Deferred Share Units ("DSU") & Restricted Share Units ("RSU") – (cont'd)

DSU

The Company introduced a DSU plan for eligible directors. The DSUs are paid in full in the form of a lump sum payment no later than August 1st of the calendar year immediately following the calendar year of termination of service.

DSU Awards going forward will vest on each anniversary date of the grant over a period of 3 years. The DSU share plan transactions during the period were as follows:

	Number of Share Units
Outstanding at April 30, 2016	-
Granted	760,000
Exercised	(20,000)
Cancelled	(140,000)
Outstanding at April 30, 2017 Granted	600,000 410,000
Outstanding at April 30, 2018	1,010,000

On August 1, 2017, the Company granted 410,000 DSUs to eligible directors. Based on the fair value of \$0.195 per share, the Company has recorded a liability of \$136 under Trades and Other Payable on the Statement of Financial Position.

13. Financial Instruments

All significant financial assets, financial liabilities and equity instruments of the Company are either recognized or disclosed in the consolidated financial statements together with other information relevant for making a reasonable assessment of future cash flows, interest rate risk and credit risk. Cash and short-term investments are carried at their fair value. There are no material differences between the carrying values and the fair values of any other financial assets or liabilities.

In the normal course of business, the Company's assets, liabilities and future transactions are impacted by various market risks, including currency risks associated with inventory, revenues, cost of sales, capital expenditures, interest earned on cash and the interest rate risk associated with floating rate debt.

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13. Financial Instruments – (cont'd)

a) Currency Risk

Currency risk is the risk to the Company's earnings that arises from fluctuations of foreign exchange rates and the degree of volatility of these rates. The Company does not use derivative instruments to reduce its exposure to foreign currency risk. At April 30, 2018, the Company had the following financial assets and liabilities denominated in CAD and denominated in MXN\$:

In '000 of	CAD	M	XN\$
Cash	\$ 245	MP	8,305
Other working capital amounts - net	\$ (188)	MP	44,441

At April 30, 2018, US dollar amounts were converted at a rate of \$1.2821 Canadian dollars to \$1 US dollar and MP were converted at a rate of MP18.78 to \$1 US Dollar. A 10% increase or decrease in the US dollar exchange may increase or decrease annual earnings from mining operations by approximately \$1,996. A 10% increase or decrease in the MP exchange rate will decrease or increase annual earnings from mining operations by approximately \$487.

b) <u>Interest Rate Risk</u>

The Company's cash earns interest at variable interest rates. While fluctuations in market rates do not have a material impact on the fair value of the Company's cash flows, future cash flows may be affected by interest rate fluctuations. The Company is not significantly exposed to interest rate fluctuations and interest rate risk consists of two components:

- (i) To the extent that payments made or received on the Company's monetary assets and liabilities are affected by changes in the prevailing market interest rates, the Company is exposed to interest rate cash flow risk.
- (ii) To the extent that changes in prevailing market interest rates differ from the interest rates in the Company's monetary assets and liabilities, the Company is exposed to interest rate price risk.

c) <u>Credit Risk</u>

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation and cause the other party to incur a financial loss. The Company is exposed to credit risk with respect to its cash and short-term investments, the balance of which at April 30, 2018 is \$2,321 (2017- \$5,558) and \$Nil (2017 - \$4,005), respectively. Cash of \$974 (2017- \$1,982) and short-term investments of \$Nil (2017- \$3,596) are held at a Mexican financial institution, cash of \$23 (2017– \$3) are held at a US financial institution and the remainder of \$1,324 (2017- \$3,573) and the short-term investment of \$Nil (2017- \$409) are held at a chartered Canadian financial institution; the Company is exposed to the risks of those financial institutions. The taxes receivable are comprised of Mexican VAT taxes receivable of \$1,907 and GST receivable of \$34, which are subject to review by the respective tax authority, and \$1,359 related to amount owed from the sale of its San Pedrito Property (note 8).

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13. Financial Instruments – (cont'd)

d) Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk arises from the excess of financial obligations over available financial assets due at any point in time. The Company's objective in managing liquidity risk is to maintain sufficient readily available reserves in order to meet its liquidity requirements. The Company accomplishes this by achieving profitable operations and maintaining sufficient cash reserves. As at April 30, 2018, the Company was holding cash of \$2,321 (2017 - \$5,558) and short-term investments of \$Nil (2017 - \$4,005).

Obligations due within twelve months of April 30,	2018)21	2022 and beyond				
Trade and other payables	\$ 4,774	\$ _	\$ -	\$	-	\$	_
Current portion of loan payable	-	1,334	-		-		-
Reclamation and closure obligations	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-	\$	1,280

The Company's trade and other payables are due in the short term. Long-term obligations include the Company's reclamation and closure cost obligations, other long-term liabilities and deferred income taxes. Management believes that profits generated from the mine will be sufficient to meet its financial obligations.

e) Commodity Risk

Mineral prices and marketability fluctuate and any decline in mineral prices may have a negative effect on the Company. Mineral prices, particularly gold and silver prices, have fluctuated widely in recent years. The marketability and price of minerals which may be produced and sold by the Company will be affected by numerous factors beyond the control of the Company. These other factors include delivery uncertainties related to the proximity of its resources to processing facilities and extensive government regulations related to price, taxes, royalties, allowable production land tenure, the import and export of minerals and many other aspects of the mining business. Declines in mineral prices may have a negative effect on the Company. A 10% decrease or increase in metal prices may result in a decrease or increase of \$2,781 in revenue and net income.

14. Commitments and related party transactions

Except as disclosed elsewhere in these consolidated financial statements, the Company has the following commitments outstanding at April 30, 2018:

- a) As at April 30, 2018, the Company has shared lease commitments for office space of approximately \$144 per year, expiring at various dates up to April 2020, which includes minimum lease payments and estimated taxes, but excluded operating costs, taxes and utilities, to expiry.
- b) As at April 30, 2018, the Company has a land lease agreement commitment with respect to the land at the mine site, for \$132 per year until December 2018. The Company also has ongoing commitments on the exploration and evaluation assets of approximately \$220 per year increasing over the next 5 years for the AJC properties (see Note 9).
- c) As at April 30, 2018, the Company has management contracts to officers and directors totaling \$600 per year, payable monthly, expiring in January 2020 and US\$315 per year, payable monthly, expiring in August 2021.

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14. Commitments and related party transactions – (cont'd)

The Company paid the following amounts to key management and directors in the years:

For the year ended April 30,	2018	2017			
Management fees	\$ 1,112	\$ 958			
Legal fees	64	116			
Directors fees	86	187			
Total	\$ 1,262	\$ 1,261			

15. Capital Disclosures

The Company's objective when managing capital is to safeguard the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, so that it can continue to provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders.

The Company considers the items included in the consolidated statements of changes in equity as capital. The Company manages the capital structure and makes adjustments to it in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may issue new shares through private placements, sell assets to reduce debt or return capital to shareholders. The Company is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements and there were no changes to the capital management in the year ended April 30, 2018.

16. Earnings per Share

The Company calculates the basic and diluted income (loss) per share using the weighted average number of shares outstanding during each year and the diluted income (loss) per share assumes that the outstanding vested stock options and share purchase warrants had been exercised at the beginning of the year.

The denominator for the calculation of income (loss) per share, being the weighted average number of shares, is calculated as follows:

For the years ended	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017
Issued common share, beginning of year Weighted average issuances	49,146,851 73,973	49,146,851
Basic weighted average common shares Effect of dilutive warrants and options	49,220,824	49,146,851
Diluted weighted average common shares	49,220,824	49,146,851

Vested share purchase options totalling 948,750 at April 30, 2018 (2017 - 1,348,750) and share purchase warrants totaling 250,000 (2017 – Nil) were not included in the computation of diluted earnings per share as the effect was anti-dilutive.

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17. Segmented Information

The Company operates in three reportable geographical and one operating segment. Selected financial information by geographical segment is as follows:

	Mexico						Canada			JSA	April 30, 2018			
		Bernal		Altiplano	Other		Total							Total
Revenue														
Mined Ore	\$,		\$ -	\$ -	\$	21,005	\$	-		\$	-	\$	21,005
Purchase Concentrate		3,976		2,826	-		6,802		-			-		6,802
Cost of sales:														
Mined Ore		(20,532)		-	(140)		(20,672)		-			-		(20,672)
Purchase Concentrate		(3,654)		(3,496)	-		(7,150)		-			-		(7,150)
Depreciation		(4,492)		(421)	-		(4,913)		-			-		(4,913)
Earnings (loss) from operations		(3,697)		(1,091)	(140)		(4,928)		-			-		(4,928)
Corporate costs and taxes		4,343		294	(409)		4,228		(3,586))		12		654
Write off Mining Interest		(6,713)		-	-		(6,713)		-			-		(6,713)
Disposal of Exploration and Evaluation		(1,079)		-	118		(961)		-			(52)		(1,013)
Earnings (loss) for the year		(7,145)		(797)	(432)		(8,374)		(3,586))		(40)		(12,000)
Mining interest, plant and equipment		35,302		6,005	1		41,308		168			-		41,476
Total assets	\$	48,614		\$ 8,095	\$ 3,930	\$	60,639	\$	3,537		\$	2,150	\$	66,326
				Mexico				(Canada		US	A	Ap	oril 30, 2017
		Bernal	A	Altiplano		7	Γotal							Total
Revenue														
Mined Ore	\$	24,642	\$	-	\$	6	24,642	\$	-	\$		-	\$	24,642
Purchase Concentrate		418		2,168			2,586		-			-		2,586
Cost of sales:														
Mined Ore		(18,641)		-			(18,641)		-	-				(18,641)
Purchase Concentrate		(287)		(1,864)			(2,151)		-			-		(2,151)
Depreciation		(5,360)		(250)			(5,610)		-			-		(5,610)
Earnings (loss) from operations		772		54			826		-			-		826
Corporate costs and taxes		3,302		(308)			2,994		(3,707)			(19)		(732)
Sale of San Pedrito		7,128		-			7,128		-			-		7,128
Earnings (loss) for the year		11,202		(254)			10,948		(3,707)			(19)		7,222
Mining interest, plant and equipment		45,899		6,777			52,676		245			-		52,921
Total assets		61,401		11,165			72,566		7,559		1,	,971		82,096

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17. Segmented Information - (cont'd)

During the years ended April 30, 2018 and 2017, the Company earned all of its revenues from two customers. As at April 30, 2018, the Company does not consider itself to be economically dependent on these customers as transactions with these parties can be easily replaced by transactions with other parties on similar terms and conditions. The balance owing from these customers on April 30, 2018 was \$Nil (2017 - \$148).

18. Income Taxes

Current and deferred income tax expenses differ from the amount that would result from applying the Canadian statutory income tax rates to the Company's earnings before income taxes. This difference is reconciled as follows:

For the periods ended Apri		oril 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	
(Loss) Earnings before income taxes	\$	(17,945)	\$	4,361
Income tax expense (recovery) at statutory rate		(5,981)		1,134
Difference from higher statutory tax rates on earnings of foreign subsidiaries		(917)		_
Permanent Difference		()17)		(1,286)
Effect of Mexican mining royalty tax (SMD) on deferred income tax liabilities		(375)		(3,568)
Recognition of previously unrecognized non-capital loss carry				
forward and other deductible tax benefits		1,328		859
Income tax (recovery) expense	\$	(5,945)	\$	(2,861)

In September 2017, the British Columbia (BC) Provincial Government of Canada proposed changes to the general corporate income tax rate to increase the rate from 11% to 12% effective January 1, 2018 and onwards. This change in tax rate was substantively enacted on October 26, 2017. The relevant deferred tax balances have been measured to reflect the increase in the Company's combined Federal and Provincial (BC) general corporate income tax rate from 26% to 27%.

The significant components of the Company's deferred income tax assets and liabilities are as follows:

	April 30, 2018			April 30, 2017	
Deferred income tax assets (liabilities):		-			
Mining interest, plant and equipment	\$	(4,235)	\$	(7,805)	
Payments to defer		(172)		(31)	
Insurance		(14)		(14)	
Reclamation and closure costs provision		956		1,018	
Exploration assets		(368)		(346)	
Expenses reserve		255		146	
Pension-fund reserve		200		121	
Deferred mining tax		(1,193)		(1,670)	
Non-capital losses and other deductible tax benefits		5,316		4,682	
Sale on San Pedrito		· -		(2,138)	
Other		(748)		(723)	
Deferred income tax liabilities, net	\$	(3)	\$	(6,460)	

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18. Income Taxes – (cont'd)

	Apr	April 30, 2018		April 30, 2017	
Non-Capital losses	\$	7,580	\$	19,375	
Property and equipment		-		1,585	
Exploration and evaluation assets		22,497		30,077	
	\$	30,077	\$	24,637	

The Non-Capital losses are set to expire between 2026 and 2038 while the remaining loss carry forwards have no set expiry date. In accordance with Mexican tax law, Bernal is subject to income tax. Income tax is computed taking into consideration the taxable and deductible effects of inflation, such as depreciation calculated on restated asset values. Taxable income is increased or reduced by the effects of inflation on certain monetary assets and liabilities through an inflationary component.

Mexico Tax Reform

During December 2013, the 2014 Tax Reform (the "Tax Reform") was published in Mexico's official gazette with changes taking effect January 1, 2014. The Tax Reform included the implementation of a 7.5% Special Mining Duty ("SMD") and a 0.5% Extraordinary Mining Duty ("EMD"). The Company has taken the position that SMD is an income tax under IAS 12 *Income tax*, as it is calculated based on a form of earnings before income tax less certain specified costs. The EMD is a calculation based on gross revenue and is therefore not considered an income tax. Both the SMD and EMD will be deductible for income tax purposes.

Management is currently disputing the SMD, in a joint action lawsuit with other Mexican mining companies, with the applicable Mexican government authority. Management believes that the SMD is unconstitutional and should be overturned. In accordance with IFRS reporting standards, however, the estimated effect of the SMD has been accrued to the current and deferred income tax provisions as stated above. Should the Company be successful in overturning the SMD, in whole or in part, the accrued tax liabilities stated above will be reversed to recovery of income taxes in the applicable period.

19. Subsequent event

On June 18, 2018, the Company completed a private placement of secured bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$3,000(the "Bonds"). The Bonds bear interest at 8% per annum, payable on maturity, and mature on June 18, 2020. The Bonds are secured by a charge over all of the Company's and its subsidiaries assets.

The Company has issued 3,000,000 warrants to the bond holders, each warrant entitling the bond holders to acquire one share of Starcore at a price of \$0.20, expiring on June 18, 2021.

The proceeds from the sale of the Bonds will be added to general working capital.