

#### **NUINSCO RESOURCES LIMITED**

UNAUDITED CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THREE AND NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 AND SEPTEMBER 30, 2021

**DATED NOVEMBER 24, 2022** 



# Management's Comments on Unaudited Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements

The accompanying unaudited Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements of Nuinsco Resources Limited for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022 and September 30, 2021 have been prepared by management, reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors of the Company.

In accordance with National Instrument 51-102, Continuous Disclosure Obligations of the Canadian Securities Administrators, the Company herewith discloses that the accompanying unaudited Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements have not been reviewed by an auditor.

# Condensed Interim Consolidated Statements of Financial Position (unaudited) As at September 30, 2022 and December 31, 2021

			December 31,
(in Canadian dollars)	Notes	2022	2021
ASSETS			
Current assets			
Cash		\$ 21,266	\$ 144,007
Receivables	6	31,232	71,668
Prepaids		23,229	
Total current assets		75,727	
Non-current assets			
Property and equipment	7	2,579	3,281
Exploration and evaluation projects	, 8	1,932,049	,
Exploration and evaluation projects		1,002,040	1,010,470
Total non-current assets		1,934,628	1,616,756
Total Assets		\$ 2,010,355	
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIENCY			
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	16	\$ 720,709	\$ 558,187
Loan payable	10 10	ψ 720,703 48,199	
Deferred government grant	10	11,283	,
Total current liabilities	10	780,191	
Total current habilities		700,191	017,009
Non-current liabilities			
Long-term liabilities	11	1,954,900	1,779,525
Total Liabilities		2,735,091	2,397,194
Shareholders' deficiency			
Share capital	12	100,959,879	100,851,779
Contributed surplus	14	6,567,884	
Warrants	14	355,591	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	17	(2,147,261)	,
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		(106,460,829)	
Total shareholders' deficiency		(724,736)	
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Deficiency		\$ 2,010,355	\$ 1,843,781

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements

NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND GOING CONCERN (Note 1) SUBSEQUENT EVENTS (Note 19)

# Condensed Interim Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss (unaudited) For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022 and September 30, 2021

(in Canadian dollars)	Notes		nths ended ober 30,	Nine months ended September 30,		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		2022	2021	2022	2021	
Operating expenses						
General and administrative		\$ 81,819	\$ 108,576	\$ 292,341	\$ 298,739	
Share-based payments	14	-	225,000	-	1,242,425	
Royalty payments		-	-	20,000	-	
Depreciation of property and equipment	7	234	193	702	661	
Operating loss		(82,053)	(333,769)	(313,043)	(1,541,825)	
Other items						
Consulting income		-	-	10,000	-	
Gain on settlement of debt		7,500	-	7,500		
Gain on sale of equipment		-	-	5,500	-	
Exclusivity income	8	-	-	32,720	-	
Flow-through premium	14	-	-	-	68,942	
Loss before income taxes		(74,553)	(333,769)	(257,323)	(1,472,883)	
Income tax expense		-	-	-	-	
Net loss and comprehensive loss for the period		\$ (74,553)	\$ (333,769)	\$ (257,323)	\$(1,472,883)	
Loss per share	13					
Basic and diluted loss per share		\$ (0.00)	\$ (0.00)	\$ (0.00)	\$ (0.00)	
Weighted average number of shares outstandir	ng	571,781,375	517,701,762	569,742,750	548,479,014	

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# Condensed Interim Consolidated Statements of Shareholders' Deficiency (unaudited) For the nine months ended September 30, 2022 and September 30, 2021

(in Canadian dollars)	Share Capital	Contributed Surplus	V	Varrants	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss	Deficit	Total Shareholders' Deficiency
Balances as at December 31, 2020	\$ 98,995,626	\$ 6,046,690	\$	71,860	\$ (2,147,261)	\$ (103,879,798)	\$ (912,883)
Share-based payments (note 14)	· · · -	1,242,425		-	-	-	1,242,425
Issued under property agreements	25,000	-		-	-	-	25,000
Shares issued to settle debt	110,000	-		-	-	-	110,000
Shares issued for services	2,500	-		-	-	-	2,500
Shares issued for private placement	208,300	-		206,700	-	-	415,000
Finder's fee - cash	(9,450)	-		-	-	-	(9,450)
Finder's fee - warrants	(4,706)	-		4,706	-	-	` -
Shares issued on exercise of stock options Net loss for the period	1,390,932 -	(689,229)		-	- -	(1,472,883)	701,703 (1,472,883)
Balances as at September 30, 2021	\$ 100,718,202	\$ 6,599,886	\$	283,266	\$ (2,147,261)	\$(105,352,681)	\$ 101,412
Balances as at December 31, 2021	\$ 100,851,779	\$ 6,599,884	\$	345,691	\$ (2,147,261)	\$(106,203,506)	\$ (553,413)
Units issued on private placement (note 12)	20,100	-		9,900	-	-	30,000
Shares issued on exercise of stock options	64,000	(32,000)		· -	-	-	32,000
Shares issued on settlement of debt	15,000	· · · · ·		-	-	-	15,000
Issued under property agreements	9,000	-		-	-	-	9,000
Net loss for the period	-	-		-	-	(257,323)	(257,323)
Balances as at September 30, 2022	\$ 100,959,879	\$ 6,567,884	\$	355,591	\$(2,147,261)	\$(106,460,829)	\$ (724,736)

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# Condensed Interim Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (unaudited) For the nine months ended September 30, 2022 and September 30, 2021

(in Canadian dollars)	Notes	2022	2021
Cash flows from operating activities			
Net loss for the period		\$ (257,323)	\$ (1,472,883)
Adjustments for:			
Share-based payments	14	-	1,242,425
Gain on sale of equipment		(5,500)	-
Shares issued for services		-	2,500
Flow-through premium		-	(68,942)
Depreciation of property and equipment	7	702	661
Changes in prepaid expenses		(11,879)	-
Change in receivables		40,436	(99,780)
Change in trade and other payables		177,522	(24,868)
Change in long-term liabilities		175,375	171,375
Net cash used in operating activities		119,333	(249,512)
Cash flows from investing activities			
Cash expenditures on exploration and evaluation projects	8	(309,574)	(773,036)
Proceeds on sale of equipment		5,500	
Net cash used in investing activities		(304,074)	(773,036)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from exercise of stock options		32,000	701,703
Proceeds from issue of common shares and warrants	12	30,000	405,550
Net cash from financing activities		62,000	1,107,253
Net (decrease) increase in cash		(122,741)	84,705
Cash, beginning of the period		144,007	60,141
Cash, end of the period		\$ 21,266	\$ 144,846

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Notes to the Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited) For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022 (all amounts in Canadian dollars)

# 1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND GOING CONCERN Nature of Operations

Nuinsco Resources Limited ("Nuinsco" or the "Company") is a company incorporated in Canada. The address of the Company's registered office is 115-2420 Bank Street, Ottawa, Ontario, K1V 8S2. The condensed interim consolidated financial statements of the Company for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022 and 2021 (the "Consolidated Financial Statements") comprise the Company and its subsidiaries. Nuinsco is primarily engaged in the acquisition, exploration and evaluation of properties for precious and base metals. The Company conducts its activities on its own or participates with others on an investment basis. The Company also makes strategic investments through equity or loan financing to companies engaged in the exploration and development of resource properties. On February 20, 2019, the Company's shares commenced trading on the Canadian Securities Exchange under the symbol NWI.

#### **Going Concern**

The Company's Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared using the going concern assumption, which contemplates the realization of assets and settlement of liabilities in the normal course of business as they come due. The Company has incurred a net loss of \$257,323 for the nine months ended September 30, 2022 (nine months ended September 30, 2021 – \$1,139,114) and has an accumulated deficit of \$106,460,829 (2021 - \$106,203,506). As at September 30, 2022, the Company had a working capital deficiency of \$704,464 (December 31, 2021 –\$390,644). Working capital deficiency is defined as current liabilities less current assets.

The Company is subject to the risks and challenges experienced by other companies at a comparable stage. These risks include, but are not limited to: continuing losses, dependence on key individuals, and the ability to secure adequate financing or to complete corporate transactions to meet the minimum capital required to successfully complete its projects and fund other operating expenses. Advancing the Company's projects through exploration and development to the production stage will require significant financing. Refer to Note 4 on Financial Risk Management and Capital Management to these Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information.

Although the Company has taken steps to verify title to the properties on which it is conducting exploration and in which it has an interest, in accordance with industry standards for the current stage of exploration of such properties, these procedures do not guarantee the Company's title. Property title may be subject to government licensing requirements or regulations, First Nations claims, unregistered prior agreements, social licensing requirements, unregistered claims, and non-compliance with regulatory and environmental requirements. The Company may also be subject to increases in taxes and royalties, renegotiation of contracts and political uncertainties.

None of the Company's projects are currently in commercial production and, accordingly, the Company is dependent upon debt or equity financings and the optioning and/or sale of resource or resource-related assets for its funding. The Company's ability to continue as a going concern, is dependent upon the Company's ability to finance exploitation of its projects through debt or equity financings and the optioning and/or sale of resource or resource-related assets for its funding.

The Company's management continues to be engaged in securing financing or the potential sale of assets. There are no assurances that the Company will be successful in obtaining any financing or selling assets, or in accomplishing that on a timely basis or on reasonable or acceptable terms, or at all. If the Company cannot obtain financing or otherwise improve liquidity, it will be unable to fund continuing operations and corporate administration costs.

If the Company is unable to obtain additional financing, it will be required to curtail all of its operations and may be required to liquidate its assets.

Should the Company not be able to continue to obtain the necessary financing, achieve favourable exploration results, achieve future profitable production or the sale of properties or improve its liquidity sufficient to enable it to fund operations, the Company's ability to continue as a going concern will be compromised. These conditions indicate the existence of a material uncertainty that may cast significant doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern.

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#### 1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND GOING CONCERN - CONTINUED

The Company's operations could be significantly adversely affected by the effects of a widespread global outbreak of a contagious disease, including the recent outbreak of respiratory illness caused by COVID-19. The Company cannot accurately predict the impact COVID-19 will have on its operations and the ability of others to meet their obligations with the Company, including uncertainties relating to the ultimate geographic spread of the virus, the severity of the disease, the duration of the outbreak, and the length of travel and quarantine restrictions imposed by governments of affected countries. In addition, a significant outbreak of contagious diseases in the human population could result in a widespread health crisis that could adversely affect the economies and financial markets of many countries, resulting in an economic downturn that could further affect the Company's operations and ability to finance its operations. This outbreak may increase difficulties in financing, access to properties and increased government regulations, all of which may adversely impact the Company's business and financial condition. To date, and at least the near future, the pandemic will continue to have, an impact on the Company's ability to operate efficiently in the field as a result of travel restrictions and necessary site safety measures. The impact on the efficiency of corporate activities has been minimal.

#### 2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

#### (a) Statement of Compliance

The Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared using accounting policies consistent with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") and its interpretations adopted by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and in accordance with IAS 34, Interim Financial Reporting ("IAS 34").

The Company's significant accounting policies are described in Note 3 of the audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2021 ("2021 Audited Consolidated Financial Statements").

The management of Nuinsco prepares the Consolidated Financial Statements which are then reviewed by the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors. The Consolidated Financial Statements were authorized for issuance by the Board of Directors on November 24, 2022.

### (b) Basis of Measurement

The Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared on the historic cost basis except for certain financial instruments which are measured at fair value.

### (c) Functional and Presentation Currency

These Consolidated Financial Statements are presented in Canadian dollars, which is the functional currency of the Company and its active subsidiaries. All financial information is expressed in Canadian dollars unless otherwise stated.

### (d) Use of Estimates and Judgments

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make estimates, judgments and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates. It is reasonably possible that, on the basis of existing knowledge, outcomes in the next financial year that are different from the assumptions used could require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of the asset or liability affected.

The accompanying Consolidated Financial Statements include all adjustments that are, in the opinion of management, necessary for fair presentation.

#### Significant estimates and assumptions

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future periods affected.

Notes to the Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited) For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022 (all amounts in Canadian dollars)

#### 2. BASIS OF PREPARATION - CONTINUED

Information regarding significant areas of estimation uncertainty made in applying accounting policies that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognized in the Consolidated Financial Statements is included in the following notes:

Note 14

Management determines costs for share-based payments using market-based valuation techniques. The fair value of the market-based and performance-based share awards are determined at the date of grant using generally accepted valuation techniques. Assumptions are made in applying valuation techniques. These assumptions include estimating the future volatility of the stock price, expected dividend yield, future employee turnover rates and future employee stock option exercise behaviours and corporate performance. Such judgments and assumptions are inherently uncertain. Changes in these assumptions affect the fair value estimates.

### Significant Judgments

Judgments are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Changes resulting from the effects of amended judgments are recognized in the period in which the change occurs and in any future periods presented.

Information regarding significant areas of critical judgments made in applying accounting policies that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognized in the Consolidated Financial Statements is included in the following notes:

- Note 1
- Going concern assessment As is common with exploration companies, the Company's ability to continue its on-going and planned exploration activities and continue operations as a going concern, is dependent upon the recoverability of costs incurred to date on mineral properties, the existence of economically recoverable reserves, and the ability to obtain necessary equity financing from time to time.
- Note 8
- Classification of expenditures as exploration and evaluation projects or operating expenses The application of the Company's accounting policy for exploration and evaluation expenditure requires judgment in determining whether it is likely that future economic benefits will flow to the Company, which may be based on assumptions about future events or circumstances. Estimates and assumptions made may change if new information becomes available. If, after expenditure is capitalized, information becomes available suggesting that the recovery of expenditure is unlikely, the amount capitalized is written off in the profit or loss in the year the new information becomes available.
- Note 8
- Impairment of exploration and evaluation projects While assessing whether any indications of impairment exist for exploration and evaluation assets, consideration is given to both external and internal sources of information. Information the Company considers includes changes in the market, economic and legal environment in which the Company operates that are not within its control that could affect the recoverable amount of exploration and evaluation assets. Internal sources of information include the manner in which exploration and evaluation assets are being used or are expected to be used and indications of expected economic performance of the assets. Estimates include but are not limited to estimates of the discounted future cash flows expected to be derived from the Company's properties, costs to sell the properties and the appropriate discount rate.
- Disclosure of contingencies Provisions and contingencies arising in the course of operations, including provisions for income or other tax matters are subject to estimation uncertainty. Management uses all information available in assessing the recognition, measurement and disclosure of matters that may give rise to provisions or contingencies. The actual outcome of various provisional and contingent matters may vary and may cause significant adjustments to the Company's assets when the amounts are determined or additional information is acquired.

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#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These Consolidated Financial Statements reflect the accounting policies described in Note 3 to the 2021 Audited Consolidated Financial Statements and accordingly, should be read in conjunction with the 2021 Audited Consolidated Financial Statements and the notes thereto.

#### 4. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT **Risk Management Framework**

The Board of Directors has overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Company's risk management framework. The Board fulfils its responsibility through the Audit Committee which is responsible for overseeing the Company's risk management policies.

The Company's risk management policies are established to identify and analyse the risks faced by the Company, to set appropriate risk limits and controls, and to monitor risks and adherence to limits. Risk management practices are reviewed regularly to reflect changes in market conditions and the Company's activities. The Company has an established code of conduct which sets out the control environment within which framework all directors' and employees' roles and obligations are outlined. The Company's risk and control framework is facilitated by the smallsized and hands-on executive team.

#### **Credit Risk**

Credit risk is the risk of an unexpected financial loss to the Company if a customer or third party to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations and arises principally from the Company's cash.

#### Cash

The Company's cash is held through large Canadian financial institutions. The Company has a corporate policy of investing its available cash in Canadian government instruments and certificates of deposit or other direct obligations of major Canadian banks, unless otherwise specifically approved by the Board.

#### Receivables

Amounts due are settled on a regular basis.

When necessary, the Company establishes an allowance for impairment that represents its estimate of incurred losses in respect of other receivables and investments. The main component of this allowance is a specific loss component that relates to individually significant exposures.

Further, when the Company engages in corporate transactions, it seeks to manage its exposure by ensuring that appropriate recourse is included in such agreements upon the counterparty's failure to meet contractual obligations.

#### Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will encounter difficulty in meeting the obligations associated with its financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or another financial asset. The Company's approach to managing liquidity is to ensure, as far as possible, that it will always have sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities when due without incurring unacceptable losses or risking undue damage to the Company's reputation.

Presently, the Company is facing a significant shortfall in liquidity before it expects any cash flows from its projects. The Company continues to hold discussions on securing financing or potential sale of assets. There are no assurances that the Company will be successful in obtaining any financing or selling assets, or in accomplishing that on a timely basis or on reasonable or acceptable terms, or at all. If the Company cannot obtain financing or otherwise improve liquidity. it will be unable to fund continuing operations and corporate administration costs (Note 1).

The Company's objective is to maintain sufficient capital in order to meet short-term business requirements, after taking into account cash flows from operations and the Company's holdings of cash. This is accomplished by budgets and forecasts which are updated on a periodic basis to understand future cash needs and sources. When possible, spending plans are adjusted accordingly to provide for liquidity.

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#### 4. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT - CONTINUED

The Company manages its liquidity risk through the mechanisms described above and as part of Capital management Disclosures below. The Company has historically relied on issuances of shares to develop projects and to finance day-to-day operations and may do so again in the future.

All contractually obligated cash flows are payable within the next fiscal year with the exception of the Company's loan payable, deferred director and management fees, which are recorded in long-term liabilities.

#### **Market Risk**

Market risk is the risk that changes in market prices, such as foreign exchange rates, interest rates, commodity prices and equity prices will affect the Company's income, the value of its E&E properties or the value of its holdings of financial instruments. The objective of market risk management is to manage and control market risk exposures within acceptable parameters, while optimizing the return.

#### Currency risk

The Company is exposed to currency risk on purchases, trade and other payables that are denominated in a currency other than the respective functional currency. The currencies in which these transactions primarily are denominated are the United States dollars ("US\$"). The Company does not actively hedge its foreign currency exposure. Currently the Company does not hold any material amount of foreign currency, thus reducing any currency risk.

#### Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Company's cash earns interest at variable short-term rates. Accordingly, the estimated effect of a 50 basis points change in interest rate would not have a material effect on the Company's results of operations.

#### **Operational Risk**

Operational risk is the risk of direct or indirect loss arising from a wide variety of causes associated with the Company's processes, personnel, technology and infrastructure, and from external factors other than credit, market and liquidity risks such as those arising from legal and regulatory requirements and generally accepted standards of corporate behaviour. Operational risks arise from all of the Company's operations.

The Company's objective is to manage operational risk so as to balance the avoidance of financial losses and damages to the Company's reputation with overall cost effectiveness and to avoid control procedures that restrict initiative and creativity.

The primary responsibility for the development and implementation of controls to address operational risk is assigned to senior management. The Company has a small but hands-on and experienced executive team which facilitates communication across the Company. This expertise is supplemented, when necessary, by the use of experienced consultants in legal, compliance and industry-related specialties.

### **Capital Management Disclosures**

The Company's objective when managing capital is to safeguard its accumulated capital in order to provide an adequate return to shareholders by maintaining a sufficient level of funds to support continued project development and corporate activities. Capital is defined by the Company as the aggregate of its shareholders' deficiency as well as any long-term debt, equipment-based and/or project-based financing.

The Company manages its capital structure and makes adjustments to it based on the level of funds available to the Company to manage its operations. In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company's objectives are to obtain equity, long-term debt, equipment-based financing and/or project-based financing sufficient to maintain and expand its operations. There are no assurances that these initiatives will be successful.

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(all amounts in Canadian dollars)

#### 4. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT - CONTINUED

Neither the Company, nor any of its subsidiaries, are subject to externally imposed capital requirements. There were no changes in the Company's approach to financial risk management or capital management during the period.

#### 5. DETERMINATION OF FAIR VALUES

A number of the Company's accounting policies and disclosures require the determination of fair value for both financial and non-financial assets and liabilities. Fair values have been determined for measurement and/or disclosure purposes based on the methods described below. When applicable, further information about the assumptions made in determining fair values is disclosed in the notes specific to that asset or liability.

#### Fair value hierarchy

The different levels of valuation are defined as follows:

- Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;
- Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices); and
- Level 3: Inputs for the asset or liability are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

#### (a) Receivables

The fair value of receivables is estimated as the present value of future cash flows, discounted at the market rate of interest at the reporting date. This fair value is determined for disclosure purposes only.

#### (b) Non-Derivative Financial Assets

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss include the Company's Participating Interest. The fair value of the Participating Interest is based on the net present value of expected cash flows taking into account the probability of cash flows as described in Note 9.

#### (c) Share-based Payment Transactions

The fair value of employee share options is measured using the Black-Scholes option-pricing model. Any service and non-market performance conditions attached to the transactions are not taken into account in determining fair value.

#### 6. RECEIVABLES

	September 30,	Dec	ember 31,
	2022		2021
Other receivables	\$ 8,797	\$	31,738
Sales tax receivable	22,435		39,930
	\$ 31,232	\$	71,668

#### 7. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Equipment	Cost	Accumulated Depreciation	Carrying Amount
Balance as at December 31, 2020	\$ 113,181	\$ 109,044	\$ 4,137
Depreciation	· -	856	(856)
Balance as at December 31, 2021	113,181	109,900	3,281
Depreciation	-	702	(702)
Balance as at September 30, 2022	\$ 113,181	\$ 110,602	\$ 2,579

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#### 8. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION PROJECTS

	Prairie Lake	Sunbeam	Dash Lake	Zig Zag Lake	El Sid	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance, December 31, 2020	40,612	673,118	-	-	\$524,122	1,237,852
Acquisition costs Impairment write-down Project expenditures	- - 212,753	97,000 (782,718) 712,600	31,000 - 2,990	24,000 - 13,048	- - 64,950	152,000 (782,718) 1,006,341
Balance, December 31, 2021	253,365	700,000	33,990	37,048	589,072	1,613,475
Option payment	-	-	20,000	18,000	-	38,000
Project expenditures	178,038	57,670	6,778	4,960	33,128	280,574
Balance, September 30,	431,403	757,670	60,767	60,008	622,200	1,932,049

#### Prairie Lake

The Prairie Lake project, located near Marathon, Ontario, is within a large carbonatite intrusion hosting a number of commodities of potential commercial interest including phosphate (P2O5), niobium (Nb) tantalum (Ta), uranium, rare earth elements ("REEs"), and other elements and compounds. The Prairie Lake project is owned 100% by the Company, is royalty-free and consists of nine claims comprising of 46 mining claims (27 single cell and 19 boundary cell mining claims), encompassing 608 ha. Evaluation, analytical sampling, and metallurgical and process testing are ongoing.

#### Sunbeam Gold Property

In February 2018, the Company entered into an option agreement to acquire the Sunbeam Gold Property which is located about 30km northeast of Atikokan, north-western Ontario and is readily accessible by road. The property is composed of 101 mining claims (99 single cell and 2 boundary cell mining claims) totalling 1,552ha and is the site of a former patented mining claim that encompassed the Sunbeam Mine. The immediate area of the Sunbeam Mine had seen no exploration activity since 1905. Payments to acquire the 100% of the Sunbeam Gold Property were as follows:

- (a) Cash payments of \$175,000 over four years: \$20,000 on signing (paid); \$30,000 on May 3, 2018 (paid); \$50,000 on May 3, 2019 (paid see (i) below); and \$75,000 on May 3, 2020 (see (ii) below).
  - (i) On April 30, 2019, an amending agreement was executed such that the \$50,000 cash payment required on May 3, 2019 would be: \$25,000 cash and \$25,000 of common shares of the Company as determined by the 20-day volume weighted average share price. The revised payments were paid on schedule.
  - (ii) On July 8, 2020, an amending agreement was executed such that the May 3, 2020 payment for \$75,000 was increased to \$90,000 due on December 31, 2020 settled by the issuance of 3,000,000 common shares.
- (b) Issue 1,000,000 common shares on signing the agreement (issued), 100,000 common shares on May 3, 2018 (issued), 100,000 common shares on May 3, 2019 (issued), and 100,000 common shares on May 3, 2020 (issued).
- (c) Complete work programs totalling \$280,000 incurred over four years as follows:
  - (a) an initial \$40,000 on or before May 3, 2018 (met);
  - (b) an additional \$60,000 on or before May 3, 2019 (met);
  - (c) an additional \$80,000 on or before May 3, 2020 (met); and
  - (d) an additional \$100,000 on or before May 3, 2021 (met upon exercise of option).

#### 8. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION PROJECTS - CONTINUED

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- (d) A net smelter return ("NSR") royalty of 2.5% is retained by the vendors. A 1% royalty can be re-acquired by the Company for a one-time payment of \$1,000,000.
- (e) a \$20,000 per annum pre-production payment deductible against any net smelter returns royalty payments to the optionors. This amount was paid and expensed during the nine months ended September 30, 2022.

In January 2021, the Company exercised the option in the option agreement with a payment of \$65,000, therefore acquiring 100% of the project.

In October 2020, the Company entered into an option agreement to increase the size of the Sunbeam gold property land package. The newly-optioned ground comprises nine (9) mining claims (consisting of 117 cells). Terms of the option require a cash payment of \$10,000 on signing the agreement with subsequent payments of \$12,000, \$16,000 and \$25,000 in years two, three and four. One million common shares of the Company valued at \$5,000 were also issued to the vendor upon signing.

As at December 31, 2021, the Company recognized an impairment charge of \$782,718 in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss based on the management's estimate of its recoverable value.

Subsequent to the end of the quarter, the Company entered into an option agreement on the Sunbeam property (see note 19).

#### Dash Lake

On March 19, 2021, the Company announced the expansion of its prospective gold property holdings through an option agreement to acquire a 100% interest in the Dash Lake gold project located 50 kilometres northwest of Fort Francis, Ont. in the prolifically gold mineralized Kakagi-Rowan Lake Greenstone Belt. Terms of the option required a cash payment of \$10,000 on signing the agreement with subsequent payments of \$20,000 (paid March 8, 2022), \$25,000 and \$30,000 in years two, three and four. A share issuance of 1.4 million common shares of the Company was also due to the vendors upon signing (issued May 11, 2021). The property is subject to a 1.5% net smelter return royalty (the "Royalty"). The Company has the right to purchase 0.5% of the Royalty for \$500,000.

#### Zig Zag Lake

On June 19, 2021, the Company signed an option agreement to acquire a 100% interest in the Zig Zag Lake lithium-tantalum property located approximately 68 kilometres east-northeast of Armstrong, Ontario. Terms of the option agreement are: on signing an \$8,000 cash payment (paid in 2021) and 200,000 common shares of the Company on signing (issued in 2021); on the first anniversary a \$15,000 cash payment and 200,000 common shares of the Company (issued June 29, 2021 with a fair market value of \$4,000); on the second anniversary a \$20,000 cash payment (\$14,000 paid in cash, \$6,000 paid with 600,000 common shares) and 200,000 common shares of the Company; on the third anniversary a \$30,000 cash payment and 200,000 shares of the Company. The optionors will retain a 2% Net Smelter Return royalty, 1% of which can be acquired by Nuinsco for \$1,200,000. Work commitments of \$6,000, \$10,000, \$20,000 and \$40,000 are required in years one through four, respectively, of the option term.

#### 8. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION PROJECTS - CONTINUED

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#### El Sid

The Company is evaluating the economic viability of the El Sid gold dumps and tailings recovery operation ("El Sid") located in the Eastern Desert of Egypt approximately 90km west of the Red Sea coast. Three past producing gold mines are located on the project site – the largest of which is the El Sid Mine that between 1940 and 1957 was Egypt's largest gold producer. In Q1 2018, Nuinsco, through its Egyptian subsidiary Z-Gold Resources, won, through a competitive bid, the opportunity to evaluate and exploit the waste dumps and tailings from the project owner, Shalateen Mineral Resources Company, a company established by the Egyptian Government. In 2018, Nuinsco/Z-Gold were required to post a performance bond of \$147,000 to secure the bid. To fund the acquisition, the Company sold royalties (the "Royalties") on future gold, and associated minerals, produced from El Sid. In 2018, the Company received proceeds of \$124,908 from the sale of the Royalties representing 13% of the distributable cash flow from the production of gold and associated minerals. \$74,908 of these Royalties were sold to management and directors of the Company to assist in funding the project. This amount was credited against the carrying value of El Sid. On April 14, 2022, the Company entered into an exclusivity agreement, providing a potential buyer a 45-day exclusivity period to conduct due diligence on the project, in exchange of a non-refundable payment in the amount of USD\$40,000. As at September 30, 2022, the Company has received USD\$10,000 of the exclusivity payment.

#### 9. PARTICIPATING INTEREST

Nuinsco held an unsecured participating interest in the cash flows generated by Victory Nickel Inc. from the sale of frac sand (the "Participating Interest") from that company's 7 Persons frac sand plant near Medicine Hat, Alberta. Because of the uncertainty on receiving future payments on the Participating Interest, as at December 31, 2015, the Company recorded an impairment of this Participating Interest and has recorded the value of the asset at \$nil. In July 2022, Victory Nickel Inc. was petitioned into bankruptcy.

#### **10. LOAN PAYABLE**

On April 28, 2020, the Company received an interest free government loan of \$40,000, and an additional \$20,000 on December 29, 2020. The loan can be repaid at any time without penalty and no principal payments are required until December 31, 2022 when the full amount of the loan is due. Monthly interest must be paid during the additional 3-year term.

The benefit of the government loan received at below market rate of interest is treated as a government grant. The loan was recognized at the fair value of \$48,199, using the Company's incremental borrowing rate of 11% per annum.

#### 11. LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

Long-term liabilities consist of accrued directors' fees \$584,400 (2021 - \$553,525) and certain management consulting fees \$1,369,500 (2021 - \$1,226,000). Until the ongoing viability of the Company can be assured, the directors and management have agreed to provide 12 months' notice on calling the repayment of the fees. The amounts are therefore classified as long-term.

# 12. SHARE CAPITAL AND OTHER COMPONENTS OF SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIENCY Share Capital

#### Authorized

The Company is authorized to issue an unlimited number of common shares with no par value. The Company is also authorized to issue an unlimited number of Class A special shares, issuable in series, an unlimited number of Class B special shares, issuable in series, an unlimited number of Class C special shares, issuable in series, an unlimited number of Class D special shares, issuable in series, and an unlimited number of Class E special shares, issuable in series.

#### 12. SHARE CAPITAL AND OTHER COMPONENTS OF SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIENCY - CONTINUED

Notes to the Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited) For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022 (all amounts in Canadian dollars)

#### Number of common shares issued and outstanding

There are no special shares outstanding; all shares are fully paid.

		Number of	
	Notes	Shares	Amount
Balance as at December 31, 2020		464,263,323	\$ 98,995,626
Shares issued in accordance with Dash Lake agreement	(8)	1,400,000	21,000
Shares issued in accordance with Zig Zag Lake agreement	(8)	200,000	4,000
Shares issued to settle debt	(a)	5,500,000	110,000
Shares issued for services		100,000	2,500
Shares issued on private placement	(b)(c)	33,000,000	611,000
Value of warrants issued	(b)(c)	-	(262,034)
Issue costs	(c)	-	(21,247)
Exercise of stock options	14	62,765,691	701,703
Value of options exercised transferred from contributed surplus		-	689,231
Balance as at December 31, 2021		567,229,014	100,851,779
Shares issued on private placement	(d)	1,875,000	30,000
Value of warrants issued	(d)	-	(9,900)
Exercise of stock options		1,999,998	32,000
Value of options exercised transferred from contributed surplus		-	32,000
Shares issued to settle debt	(e)	1,500,000	15,000
Shares issued for option payment on ZigZag property agree-	(8)	800,000	9,000
Balance as at September 30, 2022		573,404,012	\$100,955,879

- a. Share issued to the CEO to settle \$110,000 of expenses paid on behalf of the Company. No gain or loss was recognized on the settlement.
- b. Between June 4, 2021 and June 29, 2021, the Company closed a private placement financing for gross proceeds of \$415,000 through the issuance of 20,750,000 unit at \$0.02 per unit. Each Unit consisted of one common share of the Company issued on a "flow-through" basis pursuant to the Income Tax Act (Canada) and one warrant ("Warrant"). Each Warrant entitles the holder thereof to purchase one common share of the Company (non-flow-through) at an exercise price of \$0.05 per share for a period of 24 months from the Issue Date. These warrants were assigned a value of \$196,869 (net of issue costs) using the Black-Scholes option pricing model using the following assumptions: risk-free interest rate 0.44%; expected volatility of 411%; expected dividend yield of 0% and an expected life of two years. The Company paid finders' fees of \$9,450 and 472,500 broker warrants with an exercise price of \$0.05 per share for a period of 36 months from June 29, 2021.
- c. On December 31, 2021, the Company closed a private placement financing for gross proceeds of \$196,000 through the issuance of 12,250,000 unit at \$0.016 per unit. Each Unit consisted of one common share of the Company issued on a "flow-through" basis pursuant to the Income Tax Act (Canada) and one-half warrant ("Warrant"). Each whole Warrant entitles the holder thereof to purchase one common share of the Company (non-flow-through) at an exercise price of \$0.05 per share for a period of 24 months from the Issue Date. These warrants were assigned a value of \$65,165 using the Black-Scholes option pricing model using the following assumptions: risk-free interest rate 0.44%; expected volatility of 384%; expected dividend yield of 0% and an expected life of two years.

#### 12. SHARE CAPITAL AND OTHER COMPONENTS OF SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIENCY - CONTINUED

Notes to the Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited) For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022 (all amounts in Canadian dollars)

- d.On January 29, 2022, the Company closed a private placement financing for gross proceeds of \$30,000 through the issuance of 1,850,000 unit at \$0.016 per unit. Each Unit consisted of one common share of the Company issued on a "flow-through" basis pursuant to the Income Tax Act (Canada) and one-half warrant ("Warrant"). Each whole Warrant entitles the holder thereof to purchase one common share of the Company (non-flow-through) at an exercise price of \$0.05 per share for a period of 24 months from the Issue Date. These warrants were assigned a value of \$9,900 using the Black-Scholes option pricing model using the following assumptions: risk-free interest rate 0.44%; expected volatility of 384%; expected dividend yield of 0% and an expected life of two years.
- e. The Company settled debt in the amount of \$22,500 with a non-related party with the issuance of 1,500,000 shares. On the date of issuance, the shares had a fair market value of \$15,000 resulting in a gain on settlement of \$7,500.

#### Share Incentive Plan

The Company has a Share Incentive Plan which includes both a Share Purchase Plan and a Share Bonus Plan. The purpose of the Share Incentive Plan is to encourage ownership of common shares by directors, senior officers and employees of the Company and its designated affiliates and consultants who are primarily responsible for the management and profitable growth of its business, to advance the interests of the Company by providing additional incentive for superior performance by such persons and to enable the Company and its designated affiliates to attract and retain valued directors, officers, employees and consultants. There has been no issuance under this plan.

#### Share Purchase Plan

Under the Share Purchase Plan, eligible directors, senior officers and employee of the Company and its designated affiliates and consultants can contribute up to 10% of their annual basic salary before deductions to purchase common shares. The Company matches each participant's contribution. The purchase price per common share is the volume-weighted average of the trading prices of the common shares on an exchange for the calendar quarter in respect of which the common shares are issued. Common shares acquired are held in safekeeping and delivered to personnel as soon as practicable following March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31 in each calendar year. No common shares have ever been issued pursuant to the Share Purchase Plan. The maximum number of common shares issuable under the Share Purchase Plan is the lesser of: (i) that number of common shares that can be purchased with a dollar amount equal to 20% of the gross annual salary of the Participants (as defined in the Share Incentive Plan); and (ii) 1% of the aggregate number of issued and outstanding common shares (calculated on a non-diluted basis) from time to time. There has been no issuance under this plan.

#### Share Bonus Plan

The Share Bonus Plan permits common shares to be issued as a discretionary bonus to eligible directors, senior officers and employees of the Company and its designated affiliates, and consultants from time to time. At the Company's Annual and Special Meeting of Shareholders held on June 18, 2012 (the "ASM"), shareholders approved an increase in the maximum number of common shares issuable under the Share Bonus Plan to 8,000,000.

The fair value of common share entitlements granted under the Share Bonus Plan is determined using the quoted market value on the date of grant for an aggregate fair value that was charged immediately. If the common shares are not listed on any stock exchange, the fair value of the common shares may be determined by the directors. There has been no issuance under this plan.

#### Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income or Loss ("AOCI")

AOCI is comprised of the following separate components of (deficiency) equity:

#### Net change of financial assets at fair value through OCI

This comprises the cumulative net change in the fair value of financial assets at fair value through OCI.

#### Income tax on OCI

This comprises the amount of income tax determined to be required on the cumulative net change in the fair value of financial assets at fair value through OCI.

#### 13. LOSS PER SHARE

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The warrants and options outstanding were excluded from the computation of diluted loss per share in the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022, and September 30, 2021 because their impact was anti-dilutive.

#### 14. SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS

#### **Description of the Share-based Payment Arrangements**

The Company's share-based payment arrangements are as follows:

#### Stock option plan (equity-settled)

The Company has a Stock Option Plan to encourage ownership of its shares by key management personnel (directors and executive management), employees and consultants, and to provide compensation for certain services. The terms of the Stock Option Plan provide that the directors have the right to grant options to acquire common shares of the Company at not less than the closing market price of the shares on the day preceding the grant. No compensation is recognized when options are exercised. The number of shares reserved for issuance is not to exceed 15% of the aggregate number of common shares issued and outstanding (calculated on a non-diluted basis) from time to time.

As at September 30, 2022, the Company had 14,806,291 (December 31, 2021 – 12,135,043) common shares remaining available for the granting of future options. Options are exercisable at the market price of the shares on the date preceding the date of grant.

#### Share Bonus Plan

The terms of the Company's Share Bonus Plan are set out in Note 12.

#### Terms and Conditions of Share-based Payment Arrangements Stock Option Plan

The terms and conditions relating to the grants of the Stock Option Plan are as follows:

- Options issued during the year vested on the date of grant.
- All options are to be settled by physical delivery of shares.

# Disclosure of Share-based Payment Arrangements Stock Option Plan

The following is a summary of the activity of options:

		months ended mber 30, 2022	Year ended December 31, 2021			
	Number of options	Weighted average ex- ercise price		Number of options	Weighted average exercise price	
Balance, beginning of period	72,949,309	\$	0.008	56,325,000	\$	0.008
Granted	-		-	89,490,000		0.014
Expired	-		-	(10,100,000)		0.010
Exercised	(1,999,998)		0.015	(62,765,691)		0.010
Balance, end of period	70,949,311	\$	0.008	72,949,309	\$	0.008
Options exercisable, end of period	70,949,311	\$	0.008	72,949,309	\$	0.008

#### 14. SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS - CONTINUED

Notes to the Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited) For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022 (all amounts in Canadian dollars)

As at September 30, 2022 the options outstanding are as follows:

Number of Options	Exerci	se Price	Expiry date	Weighted average expiry (years)
4,150,000	\$	0.010	August 26, 2024	1.91
16,309,309	\$	0.005	November 17, 2025	3.14
6,290,000	\$	0.010	February 11, 2026	3.37
8,733,334	\$	0.015	February 28, 2026	3.42
10,833,334	\$	0.015	April 22, 2026	3.56
9,633,334	\$	0.015	May 5, 2026	3.60
15,000,000	\$	0.015	August 23, 2026	3.90
70,949,311				3.24

On February 11, 2021, 19,790,000 stock options were granted with an exercise price of \$0.01 expiring 5 years from the date of grant. The options were assigned a value of \$197,900 using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: expected volatility of 277%; expected dividend yield of 0%; risk-free interest rate of 0.28%; and expected life of 5 years. The options vested on the date of grant; therefore, the full value of the options was recognized as an expense in 2021. 18,540,000 of these options were granted to directors and officers.

On February 18, 2021, 25,900,000 stock options were granted with an exercise price of \$0.015 expiring 5 years from the date of grant. The options were assigned a value of \$387,525 using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: expected volatility of 277%; expected dividend yield of 0%; risk-free interest rate of 0.28%; and expected life of 5 years. The options vested on the date of grant; therefore, the full value of the options was recognized as an expense in 2021. 24,400,000 of these options were granted to directors and officers.

On April 22, 2021, 17,500,000 stock options were granted with an exercise price of \$0.015 expiring 5 years from the date of grant. The options were assigned a value of \$262,500 using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: expected volatility of 277%; expected dividend yield of 0%; risk-free interest rate of 0.28%; and expected life of 5 years. The options vested on the date of grant; therefore, the full value of the options was recognized as an expense in 2021. 16,500,000 of these options were granted to directors and officers.

On May 10, 2021, 11,300,000 stock options were granted with an exercise price of \$0.015 expiring 5 years from the date of grant. The options were assigned a value of \$169,500 using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: expected volatility of 286%; expected dividend yield of 0%; risk-free interest rate of 0.28%; and expected life of 5 years. The options vested on the date of grant; therefore, the full value of the options was recognized as an expense in 2021. 10,300,000 of these options were granted to directors and officers.

On August 23, 2021, 15,000,000 stock options were granted with an exercise price of \$0.015 expiring 5 years from the date of grant. The options were assigned a value of \$225,000 using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: expected volatility of 427%; expected dividend yield of 0%; risk-free interest rate of 0.28%; and expected life of 5 years. The options vested on the date of grant; therefore, the full value of the options was recognized as an expense in 2021. 13,500,000 of these options were granted to directors and officers.

### 14. SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS - CONTINUED

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#### Share purchase warrants

The following is a summary of the activity of warrants for the nine months ended September 30, 2022 and the year ended December 31, 2021:

	Nine months ended September 30, 2022			Year ended December 31, 2021			
	Number of warrants	Weighted aver- age exercise price		Number of warrants		hted aver- ge exercise price	
Balance, beginning of period Granted (note 12)	41,798,500	\$	0.050	14,450,000 27,348,500	\$	0.050 0.050	
Balance, end of period	41,798,500	\$	0.050	41,798,500	\$	0.050	

As at September 30, 2022 the warrants outstanding are as follows:

# Warrants	Exerci	se Price	Expiry date	Weighted average expiry (years)
9,950,000	\$	0.050	December 30, 2022	0.25
4,500,000	\$	0.050	December 3, 2022	0.15
20,750,000	\$	0.050	June 29, 2023	0.75
473,500	\$	0.050	June 29, 2024	1.75
6,125,000	\$	0.050	December 31, 2023	1.25
41,798,500				0.66

### 15. OPERATING SEGMENT

#### **Reporting Segment**

The Company is engaged in the exploration and evaluation of properties for the mining of precious and base metals. The Company does not have formal operating segments and does not have operating revenues, products or customers. The corporate office operates to support the Company's projects which are currently located in Canada and Egypt. Senior management makes decisions by considering exploration potential and results on a project basis. Any applicable amounts relating to projects are capitalized to the relevant project as Exploration and evaluation projects on the consolidated statements of financial position.

#### 16. RELATED PARTIES AND MANAGEMENT AGREEMENTS

Notes to the Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited) For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2022 (all amounts in Canadian dollars)

#### **Related Party Balances and Transactions**

Short-term employee benefits provided by the Company to key management personnel include salaries, consulting fees and directors' fees. The Company's non-monetary benefit package for key management personnel is the same as that available to all full-time employees. In addition to short-term employee benefits, the Company may also issue shares as part of the Share Bonus Plan and the Stock Option Plan.

Transactions with related parties for the nine months ended September 30, 2022 and September 30, 2021 are shown in the following table:

	2022	2021
Short-term employee benefits	\$ 216,375	\$ 216,375
Share-based compensation	<u>-</u>	1,155,898
	\$ 216,375	\$ 1,372,273

During the nine months ended September 30, 2022, the Company was charged \$36,000 (2021 - \$36,000) by CFO Advantage Inc., a company controlled by Kyle Appleby, the Chief Financial Officer of the Company. As at September 30, 2022, \$182,900 of such fees (December 31, 2021 - \$146,900) is included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2022, the Company was charged \$112,500 (2021 - \$112,500) by Paul Jones, the Chief Executive Officer of the Company. As at September 30, 2022, \$1,087,500 (December 31, 2021 - \$975,000) is owing for management fees and is included in long-term liabilities (Note 11). The Company also owes Mr. Jones \$3,450 for expenses paid for on behalf of the Company and advances.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2022, the Company was charged \$36,000 (2021 - \$36,000) by Sean Stokes, Executive Vice President of the Company. As at September 30, 2022, \$282,000 (December 31, 2021 - \$251,000) is owing and included in long-term liabilities (Note 11).

As at September 30, 2022, two directors are owed a total of \$22,000 for funds advanced to the Company with no interest, and no terms of repayment. The Company had no other sources of financing available at the time and the advances were essential to maintaining the Company in good standing.

# 17. COMPANY ENTITIES Significant Subsidiaries and Jointly-Controlled Entities

		September 30, 2022	December 31, 2021
	Country of	ZUZZ	2021
Ownership Interest	Incorporation		
Lakeport Gold Corporation	Canada	100%	100%
Nuinsco Madencilik Sanaye Ticaret	Turkey	100%	100%
Nuinsco Exploration Inc.	BVI	70%	70%
Z-Gold Resources Limited (through Nuinsco Explora-			
tion Inc.)	Egypt	70%	70%
NuMENA Minerals Corp.	Canada	100%	100%

All of these subsidiaries have nominal assets and liabilities.

#### 18. CONTINGENCIES

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Nuinsco has been served with a third-party claim related to 30-year-old historical transaction. Documents have been requested from the opposing parties, to which we are waiting final receipt of all documents. Once those documents are received, they will be considered with a view to understanding the implications of the claim. Based on information received to date, the Company considers the claim without merit.

#### 19. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On October 3, 2022, the Company entered into an option agreement (the "Agreement") with First Class Metals PLC ("FCM") on the Company's Sunbeam gold project (the "Project") near Atikokan, Ontario.

Under the terms of the Agreement, FCM can acquire a 100% interest in the Project on the following basis:

- making aggregate payments to Nuinsco of C\$700,000 in three tranches comprising:
  - C\$400,000 within 10 (ten) business days of the execution of the Agreement (received);
  - o C\$150,000 prior to the four-month anniversary of execution of the Agreement; and,
  - C\$150,000 prior to the eight-month anniversary of execution of the Agreement;
- expending on the Project C\$750,000 in exploration expenses within three years of executing the Agreement, of which \$50,000 must be spent in the first year;
- paying to Nuinsco C\$250,000 upon estimating an Indicated Resource containing 250,000 ounces of gold, and paying to Nuinsco an additional C\$250,000 upon estimating an additional Indicated Resource containing 250,000 ounces of gold (for a total Indicated Resource containing 500,000 ounces of gold); and,
- providing to the Company a 1% net smelter return royalty.