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## METALICITY BID FOR NEX METALS – ISSUE OF FIRST TRANCHE OF CONSIDERATION SHARES

- Metalicity is pleased to confirm the issue of the first tranche of Consideration Shares to Nex Metals shareholders who have chosen to accept the Offer by MCT
- Existing NME Shareholders should note that the Closing Date for Metalicity’s Offer for Nex Metals has been extended to 12 January 2022
- Metalicity’s interest in NME has now increased to 28.9%, and is NME’s largest shareholder
- The Offer is Unconditional, with all NME shareholders who accept or have accepted to receive 4.81 MCT Shares for every 1 NME Share
- Metalicity continues to encourage NME shareholders to accept the Offer to enable work on the Kookynie and Yundamindra Gold Projects to move forward as quickly as possible

Metalicity Limited (ASX: MCT) (Company or Metalicity) is pleased to confirm the issue of the first tranche of 282,847,335 Consideration Shares to Nex Metals Exploration Limited (ASX: NME) (Nex Metals or NME) shareholders. NME shareholders who have accepted any time after 3 December will receive MCT shares within one month after the date they accepted (or 21 days after the end of the Offer Period). **Please see the Appendix 2A released today for further information.**

Metalicity’s bid was declared Unconditional on 3 December 2021 and Metalicity has now received acceptances representing 28.9% of NME’s issued shares, providing it with the largest single voting interest in NME.

In addition, the Takeovers Panel has made two separate declarations of unacceptable circumstances in relation to conduct of NME during the bid process. The Takeovers Panel has also ordered (amongst other things) NME to prepare a replacement Target’s statement in a form that ASIC does not object to and which is to be accompanied by an independent expert’s report providing an opinion for NME’s shareholders on whether Metalicity’s bid is fair and/or reasonable.

NME shareholders can email acceptances to [capitalmarkets@linkmarketservices.com.au](mailto:capitalmarkets@linkmarketservices.com.au) with the subject line “NME Takeover by MCT”. **The new Closing Date of the Offer (unless extended) is 5:00pm (Perth time) on 12 January 2022.**

This Announcement is approved by the Board of Metalicity Limited.

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