# POWER NICKEL INC.

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS THREE AND NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024 (EXPRESSED IN CANADIAN DOLLARS) (UNAUDITED)

#### **NOTICE TO READER**

The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements of the Company have been prepared by and are the responsibility of management. The unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements have not been reviewed by the Company's auditors.

Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Financial Position (Expressed in Canadian Dollars) (Unaudited)

As at,	September 30, 2024	December 31, 2023
ASSETS		
Current		
Cash	\$ 12,237,722	\$ 216,365
Amounts receivable (note 10)	1,261,053	1,212,976
Subscription receivable (note 6)	-	2,000,000
Prepaid expenses	237,900	298,493
Total current assets	13,736,675	3,727,834
Non-current assets		
Equipment (note 3)	4,893	6,315
Total assets	\$ 13,741,568	\$ 3,734,149
LIABILITIES		
Current	<b>*</b> 0.400.004	<b>0</b> 0 4 4 5 4 0 0
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (notes 10 and 12)	\$ 2,422,061	\$ 2,145,469
Due to related parties (note 10)	4 400 447	40,168
Flow-through liability (note 12)	1,460,147	4,032,096
Advances from shareholders (note 10)	7,000	7,000
Total current liabilities	3,889,208	6,224,733
Non-current liabilities		
Other liabilities (note 5)	55,464	55,464
Total liabilities	3,944,672	6,280,197
SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIENCY		
Issued capital (note 6)	97,833,907	77,376,535
Contributed surplus (note 7)	4,897,264	2,648,929
Warrants (note 8)	7,144,470	3,304,353
Deficit	100,078,745)	(85,875,865)
Total shareholders' deficiency	9,796,896	(2,546,048)
Total liabilities and shareholders' deficiency	\$ 13,741,568	\$ 3,734,149

Nature of operations and going concern (note 1) Commitments and contingencies (notes 4 and 12) Subsequent events (note 13)

**Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Loss and Comprehensive Loss (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)** 

(Unaudited)

	Three months ended September 30,			er 30,	Nine montl Septem	ber 30,
1		2024		2023	2024	2023
Operating expenses						
Administration fees (note 10)	\$	387,500 \$	\$	87,500 \$	612,500 \$	262,500
Amortization (note 3)	•	474	•	676	1,422	2,028
Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees		1,599		(3,511)	7,944	(5,987)
Exploration expenditures (note 4)		2,904,933		3,673,031	10,244,640	5,857,493
Foreign exchange loss (gain)		4,152		21,330	52,197	182,916
Investor relations		1,156,946		652,944	4,062,921	2,208,842
Office and miscellaneous		20,798		52,001	60,834	74,848
Professional fees (note 10)		99,817		47,982	305,719	187,636
Share-based payments (note 7)		2,155,510		44,080	2,834,230	924,435
Transfer and regulatory `		14,375		11,844	65,732	44,020
Travel, promotion and mining shows		89,577		-	187,299	54,495
Total expenses before other items		(6,835,681)		(4,587,877)	(18,435,438)	(9,793,226)
Other items						
Flow-through liability amortization		377,582		555,464	4,222,388	1,478,628
Net loss and comprehensive loss for the period	\$	(6,458,099) \$	\$	(4,032,413) \$	(14,213,050) \$	(8,314,598)
Net loss and comprehensive loss per share						
- basic and diluted (note 9)	\$	0.03 \$	\$	0.03 \$	0.08 \$	0.07
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Weighted average number of common shares out		_	4	20 004 775	400 020 250	104 145 014
- basic and diluted (note 9)		190,362,465	- 1	28,001,775	169,038,350	124,115,311

**Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Cash Flows** (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

(Unaudited)

	Nine months ended September 30,				
	2024	2023			
Operating activities					
Loss for the period	\$ (14,213,050)	(8,314,598)			
Items not affecting cash:					
Amortization	1,422	2,028			
Share-based payments	2,834,230	924,435			
Flow-through liability amortization	(4,222,388)	(1,478,628)			
Changes in non-cash working capital items:					
Amounts receivable	(48,077)	(224,549)			
Prepaid expenses	60,593	102,626			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	276,592	998,831			
Due to related parties	(40,168)	(30,835)			
Net cash used in operating activities	(15,350,846)	(8,020,690)			
Financing activities					
Proceeds from private placements	22,640,473	7,260,000			
Share issuance costs	(459,120)	(349,087)			
Subscription receipts	2,000,000	-			
Exercise of options	872,500	_			
Exercise of warrants	2,318,350	14,000			
Net cash provided by financing activities	27,372,203	6,924,913			
(Decrease) increase in cash	12,021,357	(1,095,777)			
Cash, beginning of period	216,365	1,275,104			
Cash, end of period		179,327			

Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Changes in Shareholders' Deficiency (Expressed in Canadian Dollars) (Unaudited)

	Commo	on S	hares							
				_ (	Contributed					
	Number		Amount		Surplus		Warrants	Deficit		Total
Balance, December 31, 2022	120,147,687	\$	70,990,710	\$	1,974,028	\$	2,212,080	\$ (75,989,295)	\$	(812,477)
Private placement	14,920,000		6,099,790		-		1,160,210	-		7,260,000
Flow-through liability	-		(2,441,125)		-		-	-		(2,441,125)
Share issuance costs	-		(349,087)		-		-	-		(349,087)
Broker warrants	-		(60,560)		-		60,560	-		-
Share based compensation	-		-		924,435		-	-		924,435
Exercise of warrants	70,000		17,360		-		(3,360)	-		14,000
Option expiry	-		-		(200,248)		-	200,248		-
Warrant expiry	-		-		-		(728,200)	728,200		-
Net loss for the period	-		-		-		-	(8,314,598)		(8,314,598)
Balance, September 30, 2023	135,137,687	\$	74,257,088	\$	2,698,215	\$	2,701,290	\$ (83,375,445)	\$	(3,718,852)
Balance, December 31, 2023	149,873,243	\$	77,376,535	\$	2,648,929	\$	3,304,353	\$ (85,875,865)	\$	(2,546,048)
Private placement	28,189,873	•	18,256,843	*	-,- 10,020	•	4,383,630	-	•	22,640,473
Flow-through liability	==,:::,:::		(1,650,439)		-		-	-		(1,650,439)
Share issuance costs	-		(459,120)		-		-	-		(459,120)
Broker warrants	-		(142,955)		-		142,955	-		-
Share based compensation	-		-		2,834,230		-	-		2,834,230
Exercise of warrants	9,345,950		3,004,818		-		(686,468)	-		2,318,350
Exercise of options	4,046,428		1,448,225		(575,725)		-	-		872,500
Option expiry	, <u>-</u>		· -		(10,170)		-	10,170		<u>-</u>
Net loss for the period	-		_		-		-	(14,213,050)		(14,213,050)
Balance, September 30, 2024	191,455,494	\$	97,833,907	\$	4,897,264	\$	7,144,470	\$(100,078,745)	\$	9,796,896

Notes to Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements Three and Nine Months Ended September 30, 2024 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars) (Unaudited)

#### 1. Nature of operations and going concern

Power Nickel Inc. (the "Company" or "Power Nickel") is a mineral exploration company and is in the business of acquiring and exploring mineral properties in Chile and Canada. On July 9, 2021, the Company changed its name from "Chilean Metals Inc." to "Power Nickel Inc.".

The Company is a publicly listed company incorporated in Canada with limited liability under the legislation of the Province of British Columbia. The Company's shares are listed on the TSX Venture Exchange ("TSX-V"), and Santiago Stock Exchange, Venture Market. The head office and principal address of the Company are located at the Canadian Venture Building, 82 Richmond Street East, Suite 202, Toronto, Ontario, M5C 1P1. The Company's registered and records office address is at Suite 700 – 595 Burrard Street, PO Box 49290, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, V7X 1S8.

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 unregistered prior agreements, unregistered claims, aboriginal claims and non-compliance with regulatory and environmental requirements. The Company's property interests may also be subject to increases in taxes and royalties, renegotiation of contracts, and political uncertainty. The Company's Chilean mineral property maintenance payments are in arrears (see note 12) and as a result, the Copiapó Court has been notified by the General Treasury of the Republic of Chile. The Copiapó Court may initiate the auction of the properties. If the Company's claims are put up for auction the Company, as concession holder, is not allowed to place bids on its claims under auction; however, the Company understands that the concession holder may remove a concession from auction by paying the penalty amount which is equal to double the patent amount outstanding. Accordingly, there is a risk that the Company will not be able to retain title to its mineral claims in Chile.

These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis, which assumes that the Company will be able to continue as a going concern and realize its assets and discharge its liabilities in the normal course of business. These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements do not reflect any adjustments that may be necessary if the Company is unable to continue as a going concern. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company incurred a net loss of \$6,458,099 and \$14,213,050, respectively (three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 - \$4,032,413 and \$8,314,598, respectively). As at September 30, 2024, the Company has incurred significant losses since inception totaling \$100,078,745 (December 31, 2023 - \$85,875,865). As at September 30, 2024, the Company has a working capital deficiency of \$(9,847,467) (December 31, 2023 - working capital deficiency of \$2,496,899); the continuing operations of the Company are dependent on its ability to generate future cash flows or obtain additional financing. Management is of the opinion that additional funds will be obtained from external financing to meet the Company's liabilities and commitments as they become due, although there is a risk that additional financing will not be available on a timely basis or on terms acceptable to the Company. These factors indicate the existence of material uncertainties that cast significant doubt as to the Company's ability to continue as a going concern and accordingly use accounting principles applicable to a going concern.

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#### 2. Basis of presentation

#### Statement of compliance

The Company applies International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and interpretations issued by the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee ("IFRIC").

These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34, Interim Financial Reporting. Accordingly, they do not include all of the information required for full annual financial statements required by IFRS as issued by IASB and interpretations issued by IFRIC.

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with International Accounting Standards (IAS) 34 requires the use of 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 or complexity or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements were the same as those that applied to the Company's annual consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended December 31, 2023, except as noted below.

The same accounting policies and methods of computation are followed in these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements as compared with the most recent annual financial statements as at and for the year ended December 31, 2023. Any subsequent changes to IFRS that are given effect in the Company's annual financial statements for the year ending December 31, 2024 could result in restatement of these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

The policies applied in these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements are based on IFRS, which have been applied consistently to all periods presented. These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements were issued and effective as of November 29, 2024, the date the Board of Directors approved the statements.

#### New standards adopted

During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company adopted a number of new IFRS standards, interpretations, amendments and improvements of existing standards. These new standards and changes did not have any material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

#### New standards not yet adopted

Certain pronouncements were issued by the IASB or the IFRIC that are mandatory for accounting periods commencing on or after January 1, 2025. Many are not applicable or do not have a significant impact to the Company and have been excluded.

Notes to Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements Three and Nine Months Ended September 30, 2024 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars) (Unaudited)

# 3. Equipment

Cost	Aut	tomobiles	E	Field Equipment	rniture and office quipment	Total
Balance, December 31, 2022, December 31, 2023 & September 30, 2024	\$	16,342	\$	83,278	\$ 126,697	\$ 226,317
Accumulated amortization	Α	tomobilos		Field	 rniture and office	Total

Accumulated amortization	Auto	omobiles	E	Field quipment	е	office quipment	Total
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	8,807	\$	82,810	\$	125,681	\$ 217,298
Additions		2,260		140		304	2,704
Balance, December 31, 2023		11,067		82,950		125,985	220,002
Additions		1,188		75		159	1,422
Balance, September 30, 2024	\$	12,255	\$	83,025	\$	126,144	\$ 221,424

					Furr	niture and	
			I	Field		office	
Net book value	Auto	mobiles	Εqι	ipment	eq	uipment	Total
Balance, December 31, 2023	\$	5,275	\$	328	\$	712	\$ 6,315
Balance, September 30, 2024	\$	4,087	\$	253	\$	553	\$ 4,893

# 4. Mineral exploration expenditures

Exploration and acquisition costs for the nine months ended September 30, 2024 and September 30, 2023 are as follows:

	2	Zulema	Nisk	Go	olden Ivan	Total
Assays	\$	-	\$ 83,940	\$	-	\$ 83,940
Claim costs		8,395	-		-	8,395
Drilling		-	1,244,750		-	1,244,750
Feasibility study		-	2,250,000		-	2,250,000
Field costs		10,090	385,581		-	395,671
Geophysics and geological		58,427	1,805,426		10,884	1,874,737
Nine months ended September 30, 2023	\$	76,912	\$ 5,769,697	\$	10,884	\$ 5,857,493

	Zulema		Nisk		Golden Ivan		Total
Assays	\$	-	\$ 90,278	\$	-	\$	90,278
Claim costs		163,725	-		-		163,725
Drilling		3,485	2,953,382		-		2,956,867
Feasibility study		-	2,625,200		-		2,625,200
Field costs		114,151	436,785		-		550,936
Geophysics and geological		149,767	3,603,671		104,196		3,857,634
Nine months ended September 30, 2024	\$	431,128	\$ 9,709,316	\$	104,196	\$	10,244,640

# (a) Tierra de Oro, Chile

Tierra de Oro is an exploration project located in Region III on the eastern flank of Chile's Coastal Iron Oxide Copper Gold belt. The Company owns a 100% interest in exploration concessions in Region III, Chile. See Note 1 and 12 for status of claims in Chile.

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#### 4. Mineral exploration expenditures (continued)

#### (b) Zulema also known as Chicharra Property, Chile

The Company owns 100% of the rights to certain exploitation concessions and certain exploration concessions in Region III, Chile. See Note 1 and 12 for status of claims in Chile.

# (c) Other Properties, Chile

During the year ended December 31, 2020, the Government of Chile, released the Company from paying for a number of claims which had taxes owing (note 12). These claims related to non-core properties, and properties where the Company had ceased its exploration programs. See Note 1 and 12 for status of claims in Chile.

#### (d) Nisk Property, Quebec, Canada

On December 22, 2020 (the "Effective Date") the Company entered into an option agreement with Critical Elements Limited ("Critical") to acquire a 50% interest in the Nisk property (the "First Option"). Upon completion of the terms of the First Option the Company also has a Second Option to increase its interest from 50% to 80% by incurring or funding additional work in the amount of \$2,200,000 including a Resource Estimate for a period of four years from the effective date of completion of the First Option. On February 24, 2021 ("Closing Date") the Company closed the option acquisition transaction.

Under the terms of the agreement the requirements to exercise the First Option are:

- (1) Make cash payments totaling \$500,000 to Critical on or before the dates set out below:
  - (i) A non-refundable amount of \$25,000 on the date of execution of the agreement; (paid)
  - (ii) An amount of \$225,000 within five (5) Business Days following the Effective Date; and (paid)
  - (iii) An amount \$250,000 within six (6) months from the Effective Date; (paid)
- (2) issue 12,051,770 Shares within five (5) Business Days following the Effective Date. (issued)
- (3) incur an aggregate of \$2,800,000 of exploration expenditures on the Property on or before the dates set out below:
  - (i) \$500,000 in exploration expenditures on or before the date that is one (1) year from the Closing Date; (completed)
  - \$800,000 in exploration expenditures on or before the date that is two (2) years from the Closing Date; (completed)
  - (iii) \$1,500,000 in exploration expenditures on or before the date that is three (3) years from Closing Date;

Following the exercise of the First Option Critical will receive a 2% net smelter return from the extraction and production of lithium products, of which the Company may, following the payment of \$2,000,000 in cash, reduce to 1%.

In connection with closing of the Nisk property agreement, the Company issued to Paradox Equity Partners Ltd a finders fee of 668,377 shares on February 24, 2021.

The 12,720,147 common shares issued during the year ended December 31, 2021 in connection with this property option agreement were valued at \$3,943,246 based on the trading price of the Company's shares on the date of issuance.

On August 2, 2023, the Company entered into a piloting and engineering study, with CVMR Corporation to coordinate the production of advanced bench scale, piloting and engineering studies on the Nisk to determine project feasibility. Under the terms of the contract the Company will make payments totaling \$7,500,000 as various milestones are met.

On July 31, 2023, the Company announced that it has exercised its option to acquire 50% of the Nisk project. Further on April 24, 2044, the Company announced that it acquired an additional 30% of the Nisk project brining ownership in the project to 80%.

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#### 4. Mineral exploration expenditures (continued)

(e) Golden Ivan, British Columbia, Canada

On January 14, 2021, the Company announced it finalized an option agreement dated October 7, 2020, to acquire 100% of the Golden Ivan property via a series of option payments and work commitments. On June 29, 2021, the agreement was revised to eliminate the cash payments and work commitment and expedite the payment by shares while reducing the overall quantity of shares by 1,000,000 shares from the original agreement. The revised terms are as follows:

- (i) 3,900,000 common shares within five Business Days after receipt of the TSXV Approval. These common shares were valued at \$1,209,000 based on the trading price of the Company's shares on the date of issuance.
- (ii) 6,500,000 common shares on or before June 29, 2021 subject to TSXV Approval. These common shares were valued at \$620,100 based on the trading price of the Company's shares on the date of issuance.

The Company has completed all option payments and has acquired a 100% interest subject only to a 2.5% NSR royalty. The Company retains the option to purchase 40% of this royalty for a one-time payment of \$1,000,000.

#### 5. Other liabilities

As at September 30, 2024, the Company has \$55,464 (September 30, 2023 - \$55,464) of accounts payable (the "Statute-barred Claims") to non-current liabilities on the basis that any claims in respect of the Statute-barred Claims were statute-barred under the Limitations Act (British Columbia). The Statute-barred Claims related to expenses billed by and third party liabilities incurred prior to December 2015. However, for accounting purposes under IFRS, a debt can only be removed from the Company's statement of financial position when it is extinguished meaning only when the contract is discharged or canceled or expires. The effect of the Limitations Act is to prevent a creditor from enforcing an obligation but it does not formally extinguish the debt for accounting purposes. It is the position of management of the Company that the Statute-barred Claims cannot be enforced by the creditors. The Statute-barred Claims are required to be reflected on the Company's statement of financial position as a result of the current interpretation of IFRS, but they are classified as long-term liabilities since the Company has no intention or obligation to pay these Statute-barred Claims and the creditors cannot enforce payment of the Statute-barred Claims. While inclusion of these items is intended solely to comply with the requirements of IFRS, the Company in no way acknowledges any of the Statute-barred Claims.

#### 6. Issued capital

#### a) Authorized share capital

At September 30, 2024, the authorized share capital consisted of an unlimited number of common shares, non-voting Class A preference shares with a par value of \$4.00 and Class B preference shares with a par value of \$20.00. The common shares do not have a par value. No Class A or Class B preference shares have been issued.

#### b) Common shares issued

	Number of	
	Shares	Amount
Balance, December 31, 2022	120,147,687 \$	70,990,710
Private placement (iv)	14,920,000	6,099,790
Flow-through liability (iv)	-	(2,441,125)
Share issuance costs (iv)	-	(349,087)
Broker warrants (iv)	-	(60,560)
Exercise of warrants (i)	70,000	17,360
Balance, September 30, 2023	135,137,687 \$	74,257,088

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#### 6. Issued capital (continued)

b) Common shares issued (continued)

	Number of	
	Shares	Amount
Balance, December 31, 2023	149,873,243	\$ 77,376,535
Private placement (vii)(viii)(ix)	28,189,873	18,256,843
Flow-through liability (viii)(ix)	-	(1,650,439)
Share issuance costs (vii)(viii)(ix)	-	(459,120)
Broker warrants (vii)(ix)	-	(142,955)
Exercise of warrants (iii)	9,345,950	3,004,818
Exercise of options (ii)	4,046,428	1,448,225
Balance, September 30, 2024	191,455,494	\$ 97,833,907

- (i) During the nine months ended September 30, 2023, 70,000 warrants were exercised with a weighted average exercise price of \$0.15 and a black scholes value of \$3,360.
- (ii) During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, officers and directors exercised 4,046,428 stock options with a weighted average exercise price of \$0.27 and a black scholes value of \$575,725.
- (iii) During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, 9,345,950 warrants were exercised with a weighted average exercise price of \$0.25 and a black scholes value of \$686,468.
- (iv) On March 30, 2023, April 25, 2023, and May 4, 2023, the Company closed the first, second, and final tranche of a private placement of 9,620,000 flow-through units of the Company, at a price of \$0.50 per flow-through units ("FT Unit") for aggregate gross proceeds of \$4,810,000. The Company had share issuance costs including finder's fees of \$323,288 and issued 778,280 non-transferable finder's warrants. Each unit will be composed of one flow-through share, and one-half of one transferable non-flow-through common share purchase warrant. Each warrant will be exercisable into one non-flow-through common share at exercise price of \$0.50 per share for a period of five years from the date of issuance. Each finders warrant is exercisable into one non-flow-through common share at exercise price of \$0.50 per share for a period of one and a half years. The warrants and broker warrants were valued at \$1,064,210 and \$81,810 respectively using the relative fair value approach and the Black-Scholes option-pricing model. The following weighted average assumptions were used: share price \$0.25; risk free interest rate 2.88% 3.64%; expected volatility 126% 157% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield nil; expected life 1.5 5 years.
- (v) On August 14, 2023, the Company also closed a non-flow through private placement for 800,000 units at a price of \$0.25 per unit for aggregate proceeds of \$200,000. The Company had share issuance costs of \$13,270. Each unit will be composed of one common share, and one non-transferable common share purchase warrant. Each warrant will be exercisable into one common share at exercise price of \$0.25 per share for a period of five years from the date of issuance. The warrants were valued at \$96,000 using the relative fair value approach and the Black-Scholes option-pricing model. The following weighted average assumptions were used: share price \$0.25; risk free interest rate 4.03%; expected volatility 152% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield nil; expected life 5 years.
- (vi) On August 14, 2023, the Company closed the first tranche of a private placement of 4,500,000 flow-through shares of the Company, at a price of \$0.50 per flow-through share for aggregate gross proceeds of \$2,250,000. The Company had share issuance costs of \$12,531.

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#### 6. Issued capital (continued)

(vii) On April 12, 2024, the Company closed a private placement of 11,889,875 common shares of the Company, at a price of \$0.20 per share for aggregate gross proceeds of \$2,377,975. The directors of the Company participated in the private placement for aggregate investment of \$333,125. The Company had share issuance costs including finder's fees of \$138,998 and issued 117,250 non-transferable finder's warrants. Each finders warrant is exercisable into one non-flow-through common share at exercise price of \$0.20 per share for a period of three years. The broker warrants were valued at \$15,265 using the relative fair value approach and the Black-Scholes option-pricing model. The following weighted average assumptions were used: share price - \$0.25; risk free interest rate - 4.26%; expected volatility - 95% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield - nil; expected life - 3 years.

(viii) On June 10, 2024, the Company closed the private placement of 250,000 flow-through units of the Company, at a price of \$0.80 per flow-through units ("FT Unit") for aggregate gross proceeds of \$200,000. The Company had share issuance costs including finder's fees of \$2,412. Each unit will be composed of one flow-through share, and one non transferable non-flow-through common share purchase warrant. Each warrant will be exercisable into one non-flow-through common share at exercise price of \$0.80 per share for a period of three years from the date of issuance. The warrants were valued at \$95,570 using the relative fair value approach and the Black-Scholes option-pricing model. The following weighted average assumptions were used: share price - \$0.80; risk free interest rate - 3.86%; expected volatility - 106% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield - nil; expected life - 3 years.

(ix) On June 21, 2024, the Company closed a private placement of 16,049,998 flow-through units of the Company, at a price of \$1.25 per flow-through units ("FT Unit") for aggregate gross proceeds of \$20,062,498. The Company had share issuance costs including finder's fees of \$317,709 and issued 265,727 non-transferable finder's warrants. Each unit will be composed of one flow-through share, and one-half of one transferable non-flow-through common share purchase warrant. Each warrant and finders warrant will be exercisable into one non-flow-through common share at exercise price of \$1.25 per share for a period of three years and one and a half years, respectively from the date of issuance. The warrants and broker warrants were valued at \$4,288,060 and \$17,690 respectively using the relative fair value approach and the Black-Scholes option-pricing model. The following weighted average assumptions were used: share price - \$1.25; risk free interest rate - 3.75% - 3.93%; expected volatility - 108% - 139% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield - nil; expected life - 1.5 - 3 years.

#### 7. Stock options

The Company has implemented a stock option plan ("the Plan") to be administered by the Board of Directors. Pursuant to the Plan the Board of Director's has discretion to grant options for up to a maximum of 10% of the issued and outstanding common shares of the Company at the date the options are granted. The option price under each option shall be not less than, the discounted market price on the grant date. The expiry date of an option shall be set by the Board of Directors at the time the option is awarded, and shall not be more than ten years after the grant date. Options granted to directors, employees and consultants, other than consultants engaged in investor relations activities, will vest immediately upon granting, unless otherwise approved by the relevant regulatory authorities. Options granted to employees and consultants engaged in investor relations activities will vest in stages over a minimum period of 12 months with no more than one-quarter of the options vesting in any three-month period.

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#### 7. Stock options (continued)

The following table reflects the continuity of stock options for the periods presented:

	Number of stock options	Weighted average exercise price (\$)
Balance, December 31, 2022	9,450,000	0.24
Expired	(800,000)	0.31
Granted (i)(ii)(iii)	4,075,000	0.27
Balance, September 30, 2023	12,725,000	0.25
Balance, December 31, 2023	12,475,000	0.25
Expired	(850,000)	0.25
Granted (iv)(v)(vi)(vii)(viii)(ix)(x)(xi)	11,700,000	0.51
Exercised (note 6(b)(ii))	(4,046,428)	0.22
Balance, September 30, 2024	19,278,572	0.40

- (i) During the nine months ended September 30, 2023, the Company granted stock options to consultants of the Company for the purchase of a total of 250,000 common shares, exercisable for 2 years from grant. The options have an exercise price of \$0.34, and vest immediately. The fair value of these options at the date of grant was estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: share price \$0.35; risk free interest rate 4.17%; expected volatility 123.9% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield nil; expected life 2 years. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company recorded share based compensation of \$nil (2023 \$nil and \$56,045) related to the grant in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statement of loss.
- (ii) During the nine months ended September 30, 2023, the Company granted stock options to consultants of the Company for the purchase of a total of 2,225,000 common shares, exercisable for 2 years from grant, and have an exercise price of \$0.27. Of the 2,225,000 stock options granted, 1,850,000 stock options vest immediately, 125,000 stock options vest on September 15, 2023, and the remaining 250,000 stock options vest 62,500 every three months. The fair value of these options at the date of grant was at \$553,205 estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: share price \$0.27; risk free interest rate 3.08%; expected volatility 153.7% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield nil; expected life 5 years. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company recorded share based compensation of \$nil (September 30, 2023 \$44,080 and \$531,870) related to the grant in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statement of loss.
- (iii) During the nine months ended September 30, 2023, the Company granted stock options to consultants of the Company for the purchase of a total of 1,600,000 common shares, exercisable for 5 years from grant. The options have an exercise price of \$0.25, and vest immediately. The fair value of these options at the date of grant was estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: share price \$0.23; risk free interest rate 3.08%; expected volatility 152.2% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield nil; expected life 5 years. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company recorded share based compensation of \$nil (September 30, 2023 \$nil and \$336,520) related to the grant in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statement of loss.
- (iv) During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company granted stock options to consultants of the Company for the purchase of a total of 1,150,000 common shares, exercisable for 3 years from grant. The options have an exercise price of \$0.25, and vest immediately. The fair value of these options at the date of grant was estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: share price \$0.25; risk free interest rate 3.99%; expected volatility 111% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield nil; expected life 3 years. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company recorded share based compensation of \$186,845 (September 30, 2023 \$nil) related to the grant in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statement of loss.

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#### 7. Stock options (continued)

- (v) During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company granted stock options to a company controlled by a family member of the CEO and Director of the Company for the purchase of a total of 1,000,000 common shares, exercisable for one year from grant. The options have an exercise price of \$0.25, and vest immediately. The fair value of these options at the date of grant was estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: share price \$0.25; risk free interest rate 4.41%; expected volatility 76% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield nil; expected life 1 year. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company recorded share based compensation of \$71,430 (September 30, 2023 \$nil) related to the grant in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statement of loss.
- (vi) During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company granted stock options to consultants of the Company for the purchase of a total of 2,350,000 common shares, exercisable for one year from grant. The options have an exercise price of \$0.25, and vest immediately. The fair value of these options at the date of grant was estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: share price \$0.25; risk free interest rate 4.25%; expected volatility 73% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield nil; expected life 1 year. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company recorded share based compensation of \$118,255 (September 30, 2023 \$nil) related to the grant in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statement of loss.
- (vii) During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company granted stock options to consultants of the Company for the purchase of a total of 1,000,000 common shares, exercisable for one year from grant. The options have an exercise price of \$0.64, and vest immediately. The fair value of these options at the date of grant was estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: share price \$0.64; risk free interest rate 4.24%; expected volatility 103.3% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield nil; expected life 1 year. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company recorded share based compensation of \$354,885 (September 30, 2023 \$nil) related to the grant in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statement of loss.
- (viii) During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company granted stock options to consultants of the Company for the purchase of a total of 1,000,000 common shares, exercisable for one year from grant. The options have an exercise price of \$0.82, and vest immediately. The fair value of these options at the date of grant was estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: share price \$0.82; risk free interest rate 4.05%; expected volatility 101.6% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield nil; expected life 2 year. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company recorded share based compensation of \$394,170 (September 30, 2023 \$nil) related to the grant in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statement of loss.
- (ix) During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company granted stock options to an officer, directors and consultants of the Company for the purchase of a total of 4,300,000 common shares, exercisable for one year from grant. The officers and directors were granted 2,400,000 stock options. The options have an exercise price of \$0.66, and vest immediately. The fair value of these options at the date of grant was estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: share price \$0.66; risk free interest rate 3.60%; expected volatility 93.5% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield nil; expected life 2 year. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company recorded share based compensation of \$1,348,960 related to the grant in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statement of loss.
- (x) During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company granted stock options to consultants of the Company for the purchase of a total of 300,000 common shares, exercisable for one year from grant. The options have an exercise price of \$0.66, and vest immediately. The fair value of these options at the date of grant was estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: share price \$0.66; risk free interest rate 3.31%; expected volatility 93.5% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield nil; expected life 2 year. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company recorded share based compensation of \$112,190 (September 30, 2023 \$nil) related to the grant in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statement of loss.

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### 7. Stock options (continued)

(xi) During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company granted stock options to consultants of the Company for the purchase of a total of 600,000 common shares, exercisable for one year from grant. The options have an exercise price of \$0.66, and vest immediately. The fair value of these options at the date of grant was estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions: share price - \$0.66; risk free interest rate – 2.77%; expected volatility – 125.1% (which is based on historical volatility of the Company's share price); expected dividend yield - nil; expected life - 5 year. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company recorded share based compensation of \$280,935 (September 30, 2023 - \$nil) related to the grant in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statement of loss.

The following table reflects the stock options issued and outstanding as of September 30, 2024:

Funing Bata	Exercise	Remaining Contractual Life	Number of Options	Number of Options Vested
Expiry Date	Price (\$)	(years)	Outstanding	(Exercisable)
November 28, 2024	0.20	0.16	500,000	500,000
February 15, 2025	0.34	0.38	150,000	150,000
February 19, 2025	0.25	0.39	200,000	200,000
March 14, 2025	0.25	0.45	2,350,000	2,350,000
May 15, 2025	0.27	0.62	850,000	850,000
October 9, 2025	0.14	1.02	778,572	778,572
February 24, 2026	0.31	1.40	3,850,000	3,850,000
May 24, 2026	0.64	1.65	1,000,000	1,000,000
July 2, 2026	0.82	1.75	1,000,000	1,000,000
August 16, 2026	0.14	1.88	300,000	300,000
February 1, 2027	0.14	2.34	200,000	200,000
February 9, 2027	0.14	2.36	1,150,000	1,150,000
November 28, 2027	0.20	3.16	450,000	450,000
June 15, 2028	0.25	3.71	1,600,000	1,600,000
July 26, 2029	0.66	4.82	4,300,000	4,300,000
September 9, 2029	0.66	4.95	600,000	600,000
	0.40	2.40	19,278,572	19,278,572

#### 8. Warrants

The following table reflects the continuity of warrants for the periods presented:

	Number of warrants	Weighted average exercise price (\$)
Balance, December 31, 2022	33,951,050	0.24
Granted (note 6(b))	6,183,200	0.47
Expired	(5,067,300)	0.45
Exercised (note 6(b)(i))	(70,000)	0.20
Balance, September 30, 2023	34,996,950	0.25
Balance, December 31, 2023	40,590,030	0.28
Granted (note 6(b)(iv)(vi))	8,657,976	1.22
Expired	(205,080)	0.50
Exercised (note 6(b)(iii))	(9,345,950)	0.25
Balance, September 30, 2024	39,696,976	0.50

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# 8. Warrants (continued)

The following table reflects the warrants issued as of September 30, 2024:

	Exercise	Remaining Contractual Life	Number of Warrants	Grant date
Expiry Date	Price (\$)	(years)	Outstanding	Fair Value (\$)
September 30, 2024	0.25	-	-	-
October 25, 2024	0.50	0.07	216,000	31,518
November 4, 2024	0.50	0.10	108,000	28,480
October 12, 2025	0.20	1.03	82,250	15,265
December 21, 2025	1.25	1.22	265,727	127,690
December 29, 2025	0.50	1.25	1,980,000	152,270
October 23, 2026	0.50	2.06	2,000,000	249,850
November 14, 2026	0.50	2.12	1,310,000	180,700
June 10, 2027	0.80	2.69	250,000	95,570
June 21, 2027	1.25	2.72	8,024,999	4,288,060
November 22, 2027	0.20	3.15	20,750,000	1,468,515
March 30, 2028	0.50	3.50	1,709,000	367,290
April 25, 2028	0.50	3.57	1,685,000	576,905
May 4, 2028	0.50	3.59	516,000	120,015
August 14, 2028	0.25	3.87	800,000	96,000
	0.50	2.25	39,696,976	7,798,128

#### 9. Net loss per share

The calculation of basic and diluted loss per share for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024 was based on the loss attributable to common shareholders of \$6,458,099 and \$14,213,050, respectively (three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 - \$4,032,413 and \$8,314,598, respectively) and the weighted average number of common shares outstanding of 190,362,465 and 169,038,350, respectively (three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 - 128,001,775 and 124,115,311, respectively). Diluted loss per share did not include the effect of 19,278,572 options outstanding (three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 - 12,725,000 options outstanding) or the effect of 39,696,976 warrants outstanding (three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 - 34,996,950 warrants outstanding) as they are anti-dilutive.

#### 10. Related party balances and transactions

Related parties include the Board of Directors, officers, close family members and enterprises that are controlled by these individuals as well as certain persons performing similar functions.

As at September 30, 2024, the directors and/or officers of the Company collectively controlled 15,550,874 (December 31, 2023 - 12,701,249) common shares of the Company or approximately 8.1% (December 31, 2023 - 9.4%) of the total common shares outstanding. Certain insiders may control a significant portion of the Company's common shares, as at September 30, 2024, the Company is not aware of any insiders that control a significant portion of the total common shares outstanding (December 31, 2023 - insiders controlled 16,650,790 common shares or approximately insiders controlled 12%). To the knowledge of directors and officers of the Company, the remainder of the outstanding common shares are held by diverse shareholders. These holdings can change at any time at the discretion of the owner.

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#### 10. Related party balances and transactions (continued)

(a) The Company entered into the following transactions with related parties:

	Three months ended September 30,		Nine months ended September 30,			
	2024		2023		2024	2023
Administration expense	\$ 87,500	\$	87,500	\$	262,500 \$	262,500
Accounting expense	\$ 11,009	\$	11,202	\$	66,327 \$	47,425
Stock based compensation	\$ 1,033,843	\$	-	\$	1,033,843 \$	336,520

- (i) For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company incurred consulting fees from a company controlled by an officer and a director of \$56,250 and \$168,750 (three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 \$56,250 and \$168,750) recorded in administration fees.
- (ii) For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company incurred accounting expenses from companies related to an officer of \$11,009 and \$66,327 (three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 \$11,202 and \$47,425) recorded in professional fees.
- (iii) For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company incurred directors fees of \$31,250 and \$93,750 (three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 \$31,250 and \$93,750) recorded in administration fees.
- (iv) For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company incurred consulting fees from a family member of the CEO and Director of \$nil and \$133,370, respectively (September 30, 2023 \$nil) recorded in consulting fees.
- (v) For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company incurred consulting fees from directors of \$350,000 and \$443,750, respectively (September 30, 2023 \$nil) recorded in administration fees.
- (vi) As at September 30, 2024, the Company has a receivable of 32,494 (December 31, 2023 outstanding of \$40,168) from an officer and director. This amount is unsecured, non-interest bearing and due on demand.
- (vii) As at September 30, 2024, included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities is \$35,545 (December 31, 2023 \$133,059) due to directors and key management, these amounts are unsecured, non-interest bearing, and due on demand.
- (viii) During the nine months ended September 30, 2023, the Company received an advance of \$274,120 from a family member of an officer and director of the Company. Subsequent to the period ended the family member subscribed to a private placement, which the advance was used to offset the funds in the private placement. As at September 30, 2024, the Company has a balance outstanding to shareholders of \$7,000 (December 31, 2023 \$7,000). This amount is unsecured, due on demand, and non-interest bearing.
- (ix) See note 6, 7 and 12.

Payments to directors and key management personnel of the Company include certain transactions with related parties in above, noted transactions are in the normal course of business and approved by the Board of Directors.

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# 11. Segmented information

The Company operates in one industry segment, namely exploration of mineral resources in two geographic regions, Canada and Chile. Geographical segmentation of the Company's non-current assets is as follows:

Equipment         \$ -         \$ 4,893         \$ 4,893           December 31, 2023         Canada         Chile         Total           Equipment         \$ -         \$ 6,315         \$ 6,315           Three months ended September 30, 2024         Canada         Chile         Total           Operating expenses           Administration fees         \$ 387,500         -         \$ 387,500           Amortization         -         474         474           Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees         1,433         166         1,599           Exploration expenditures         2,869,267         35,666         2,904,933           Foreign exchange loss (gain)         (9,203)         13,355         4,152           Investor relations         1,156,946         -         1,156,946           Office and miscellaneous         11,239         9,559         20,798           Professional fees         94,962         4,855         99,817           Share-based payments         2,155,510         -         2,155,510           Transfer and regulatory         14,375         -         2,155,510           Travel, promotion and mining shows         89,577         -         89,577           Total expe
Equipment         \$ -         \$ 6,315         \$ 6,315           Three months ended September 30, 2024         Canada         Chile         Total           Operating expenses           Administration fees         \$ 387,500         \$ -         \$ 387,500           Amortization         -         474         474           Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees         1,433         166         1,599           Exploration expenditures         2,869,267         35,666         2,904,933           Foreign exchange loss (gain)         (9,203)         13,355         4,152           Investor relations         1,156,946         -         1,156,946           Office and miscellaneous         11,239         9,559         20,798           Professional fees         94,962         4,855         99,817           Share-based payments         2,155,510         -         2,155,510           Transfer and regulatory         14,375         -         14,375           Travel, promotion and mining shows         89,577         -         89,577
Equipment         \$ -         \$ 6,315         \$ 6,315           Three months ended September 30, 2024         Canada         Chile         Total           Operating expenses           Administration fees         \$ 387,500         \$ -         \$ 387,500           Amortization         -         474         474           Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees         1,433         166         1,599           Exploration expenditures         2,869,267         35,666         2,904,933           Foreign exchange loss (gain)         (9,203)         13,355         4,152           Investor relations         1,156,946         -         1,156,946           Office and miscellaneous         11,239         9,559         20,798           Professional fees         94,962         4,855         99,817           Share-based payments         2,155,510         -         2,155,510           Transfer and regulatory         14,375         -         14,375           Travel, promotion and mining shows         89,577         -         89,577
Three months ended September 30, 2024         Canada         Chile         Total           Operating expenses         387,500         \$ -         \$ 387,500           Amortization fees         -         474         474           Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees         1,433         166         1,599           Exploration expenditures         2,869,267         35,666         2,904,933           Foreign exchange loss (gain)         (9,203)         13,355         4,152           Investor relations         1,156,946         -         1,156,946           Office and miscellaneous         11,239         9,559         20,798           Professional fees         94,962         4,855         99,817           Share-based payments         2,155,510         -         2,155,510           Transfer and regulatory         14,375         -         14,375           Travel, promotion and mining shows         89,577         -         89,577
Operating expenses         Administration fees       \$ 387,500       \$ -       \$ 387,500         Amortization       -       474       474         Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees       1,433       166       1,599         Exploration expenditures       2,869,267       35,666       2,904,933         Foreign exchange loss (gain)       (9,203)       13,355       4,152         Investor relations       1,156,946       -       1,156,946         Office and miscellaneous       11,239       9,559       20,798         Professional fees       94,962       4,855       99,817         Share-based payments       2,155,510       -       2,155,510         Transfer and regulatory       14,375       -       14,375         Travel, promotion and mining shows       89,577       -       89,577
Operating expenses         Administration fees       \$ 387,500       \$ -       \$ 387,500         Amortization       -       474       474         Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees       1,433       166       1,599         Exploration expenditures       2,869,267       35,666       2,904,933         Foreign exchange loss (gain)       (9,203)       13,355       4,152         Investor relations       1,156,946       -       1,156,946         Office and miscellaneous       11,239       9,559       20,798         Professional fees       94,962       4,855       99,817         Share-based payments       2,155,510       -       2,155,510         Transfer and regulatory       14,375       -       14,375         Travel, promotion and mining shows       89,577       -       89,577
Administration fees       \$ 387,500       \$ -       \$ 387,500         Amortization       -       474       474         Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees       1,433       166       1,599         Exploration expenditures       2,869,267       35,666       2,904,933         Foreign exchange loss (gain)       (9,203)       13,355       4,152         Investor relations       1,156,946       -       1,156,946         Office and miscellaneous       11,239       9,559       20,798         Professional fees       94,962       4,855       99,817         Share-based payments       2,155,510       -       2,155,510         Transfer and regulatory       14,375       -       14,375         Travel, promotion and mining shows       89,577       -       89,577
Administration fees       \$ 387,500       \$ -       \$ 387,500         Amortization       -       474       474         Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees       1,433       166       1,599         Exploration expenditures       2,869,267       35,666       2,904,933         Foreign exchange loss (gain)       (9,203)       13,355       4,152         Investor relations       1,156,946       -       1,156,946         Office and miscellaneous       11,239       9,559       20,798         Professional fees       94,962       4,855       99,817         Share-based payments       2,155,510       -       2,155,510         Transfer and regulatory       14,375       -       14,375         Travel, promotion and mining shows       89,577       -       89,577
Amortization       -       474       474         Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees       1,433       166       1,599         Exploration expenditures       2,869,267       35,666       2,904,933         Foreign exchange loss (gain)       (9,203)       13,355       4,152         Investor relations       1,156,946       -       1,156,946         Office and miscellaneous       11,239       9,559       20,798         Professional fees       94,962       4,855       99,817         Share-based payments       2,155,510       -       2,155,510         Transfer and regulatory       14,375       -       14,375         Travel, promotion and mining shows       89,577       -       89,577
Exploration expenditures       2,869,267       35,666       2,904,933         Foreign exchange loss (gain)       (9,203)       13,355       4,152         Investor relations       1,156,946       -       1,156,946         Office and miscellaneous       11,239       9,559       20,798         Professional fees       94,962       4,855       99,817         Share-based payments       2,155,510       -       2,155,510         Transfer and regulatory       14,375       -       14,375         Travel, promotion and mining shows       89,577       -       89,577
Exploration expenditures       2,869,267       35,666       2,904,933         Foreign exchange loss (gain)       (9,203)       13,355       4,152         Investor relations       1,156,946       -       1,156,946         Office and miscellaneous       11,239       9,559       20,798         Professional fees       94,962       4,855       99,817         Share-based payments       2,155,510       -       2,155,510         Transfer and regulatory       14,375       -       14,375         Travel, promotion and mining shows       89,577       -       89,577
Investor relations       1,156,946       -       1,156,946         Office and miscellaneous       11,239       9,559       20,798         Professional fees       94,962       4,855       99,817         Share-based payments       2,155,510       -       2,155,510         Transfer and regulatory       14,375       -       14,375         Travel, promotion and mining shows       89,577       -       89,577
Office and miscellaneous       11,239       9,559       20,798         Professional fees       94,962       4,855       99,817         Share-based payments       2,155,510       -       2,155,510         Transfer and regulatory       14,375       -       14,375         Travel, promotion and mining shows       89,577       -       89,577
Professional fees       94,962       4,855       99,817         Share-based payments       2,155,510       -       2,155,510         Transfer and regulatory       14,375       -       14,375         Travel, promotion and mining shows       89,577       -       89,577
Share-based payments       2,155,510       -       2,155,510         Transfer and regulatory       14,375       -       14,375         Travel, promotion and mining shows       89,577       -       89,577
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Travel, promotion and mining shows 89,577 - <b>89,577</b>
Total expenses (6,771,606) (64,075) (6,835,681)
Other items
Flow-through liability amortization 377,582 - 377,582
Net loss and comprehensive loss for the period \$ (6,394,024) \$ (64,075) <b>\$ (6,458,099)</b>
Three months ended September 30, 2023 Canada Chile Total
Operating expenses
Administration fees \$ 87,500 \$ - \$ 87,500
Amortization - 676 676
Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees (3,511) - (3,511) Exploration expenditures 3,662,566 10,465 <b>3,673,031</b>
Exploration expenditures       3,662,566       10,465       3,673,031         Foreign exchange loss (gain)       21,330       -       21,330
Investor relations 652,944 - 652,944
Office and miscellaneous 52,001 - <b>52,001</b>
Professional fees 47,982 - 47,982
Share-based payments 44,080 - 44,080
Transfer and regulatory 11,844 - 11,844
Total expenses (4,576,736) (11,141) (4,587,877)
(4,070,700) (11,141) (4,007,077)
Other items
Flow-through liability amortization 555,464 - <b>555,464</b>
Net loss and comprehensive loss for the period \$ (4,021,272) \$ (11,141) \$ (4,032,413)

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# 11. Segmented information (continued)

Nine months ended September 30, 2024	Canada	Chile	Total
Operating expenses			
Administration fees	\$ 612,500	\$ -	\$ 612,500
Amortization	-	1,422	1,422
Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees	7,457	487	7,944
Exploration expenditures	9,813,512	431,128	10,244,640
Foreign exchange loss (gain)	30,454	21,743	52,197
Investor relations	4,062,921	-	4,062,921
Office and miscellaneous	18,167	42,667	60,834
Professional fees	294,485	11,234	305,719
Share-based payments	2,834,230	-	2,834,230
Transfer and regulatory	65,732	-	65,732
Travel, promotion and mining shows	187,299	-	187,299
Total expenses before other items	(17,926,757)	(508,681)	(18,435,438)
Other items			
Flow-through liability amortization	4,222,388	_	4,222,388
Net loss and comprehensive loss for the period	\$ (13,704,369)	\$ (508,681)	\$ (14,213,050)
Nine months ended September 30, 2023	Canada	Chile	Total
	Canada	Chile	Total
Operating expenses		 Chile	
Operating expenses Administration fees	\$ 262,500	\$ -	\$ 262,500
Operating expenses Administration fees Amortization	\$ 262,500 -	\$ - 2,028	\$ 262,500 2,028
Operating expenses Administration fees Amortization Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees	\$ 262,500 - (6,345)	\$ - 2,028 358	\$ 262,500 2,028 (5,987)
Operating expenses Administration fees Amortization Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees Exploration expenditures (note 4)	\$ 262,500 - (6,345) 5,780,581	\$ - 2,028 358 76,912	\$ 262,500 2,028 (5,987) 5,857,493
Operating expenses Administration fees Amortization Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees Exploration expenditures (note 4) Foreign exchange loss (gain)	\$ 262,500 - (6,345) 5,780,581 80,755	\$ - 2,028 358	\$ 262,500 2,028 (5,987) 5,857,493 182,916
Operating expenses Administration fees Amortization Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees Exploration expenditures (note 4) Foreign exchange loss (gain) Investor relations	\$ 262,500 - (6,345) 5,780,581 80,755 2,208,842	\$ - 2,028 358 76,912 102,161 -	\$ 262,500 2,028 (5,987) 5,857,493 182,916 2,208,842
Operating expenses Administration fees Amortization Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees Exploration expenditures (note 4) Foreign exchange loss (gain) Investor relations Office and miscellaneous	\$ 262,500 - (6,345) 5,780,581 80,755 2,208,842 50,808	\$ - 2,028 358 76,912 102,161 - 24,040	\$ 262,500 2,028 (5,987) 5,857,493 182,916 2,208,842 74,848
Operating expenses Administration fees Amortization Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees Exploration expenditures (note 4) Foreign exchange loss (gain) Investor relations Office and miscellaneous Professional fees (note 10)	\$ 262,500 - (6,345) 5,780,581 80,755 2,208,842 50,808 181,870	\$ - 2,028 358 76,912 102,161 -	\$ 262,500 2,028 (5,987) 5,857,493 182,916 2,208,842 74,848 187,636
Operating expenses Administration fees Amortization Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees Exploration expenditures (note 4) Foreign exchange loss (gain) Investor relations Office and miscellaneous Professional fees (note 10) Share-based payments	\$ 262,500 - (6,345) 5,780,581 80,755 2,208,842 50,808 181,870 924,435	\$ - 2,028 358 76,912 102,161 - 24,040	\$ 262,500 2,028 (5,987) 5,857,493 182,916 2,208,842 74,848 187,636 924,435
Operating expenses Administration fees Amortization Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees Exploration expenditures (note 4) Foreign exchange loss (gain) Investor relations Office and miscellaneous Professional fees (note 10) Share-based payments Transfer and regulatory	\$ 262,500 - (6,345) 5,780,581 80,755 2,208,842 50,808 181,870 924,435 44,020	\$ - 2,028 358 76,912 102,161 - 24,040	\$ 262,500 2,028 (5,987) 5,857,493 182,916 2,208,842 74,848 187,636 924,435 44,020
Operating expenses Administration fees Amortization Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees Exploration expenditures (note 4) Foreign exchange loss (gain) Investor relations Office and miscellaneous Professional fees (note 10) Share-based payments	\$ 262,500 - (6,345) 5,780,581 80,755 2,208,842 50,808 181,870 924,435	\$ - 2,028 358 76,912 102,161 - 24,040	\$ 262,500 2,028 (5,987) 5,857,493 182,916 2,208,842 74,848 187,636 924,435
Operating expenses Administration fees Amortization Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees Exploration expenditures (note 4) Foreign exchange loss (gain) Investor relations Office and miscellaneous Professional fees (note 10) Share-based payments Transfer and regulatory Travel, promotion and mining shows Total expenses before other items	\$ 262,500 - (6,345) 5,780,581 80,755 2,208,842 50,808 181,870 924,435 44,020 54,495	\$ - 2,028 358 76,912 102,161 - 24,040 5,766 - -	\$ 262,500 2,028 (5,987) 5,857,493 182,916 2,208,842 74,848 187,636 924,435 44,020 54,495
Operating expenses Administration fees Amortization Accretion, bank and interest (income) fees Exploration expenditures (note 4) Foreign exchange loss (gain) Investor relations Office and miscellaneous Professional fees (note 10) Share-based payments Transfer and regulatory Travel, promotion and mining shows	\$ 262,500 - (6,345) 5,780,581 80,755 2,208,842 50,808 181,870 924,435 44,020 54,495	\$ - 2,028 358 76,912 102,161 - 24,040 5,766 - -	\$ 262,500 2,028 (5,987) 5,857,493 182,916 2,208,842 74,848 187,636 924,435 44,020 54,495

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#### 12. Commitments and contingencies

#### Consulting

The Company has entered into four consulting agreements with a Director and companies controlled by Directors of the Company. The obligation under these agreements amounts to \$350,000 per year.

## Flow-through

The flow-through agreements require the Company to renounce certain tax deductions for Canadian exploration expenditures incurred on the Company's mineral properties to flow-through participants. The Company has indemnified the subscribers for any related tax amounts that become payable by the subscribers as a result of the Company not meeting its expenditure commitments. The Company does not have sufficient working capital to cover its flow-through commitment, and intends to cover its flow-through commitment through additional equity financing.

	Flow-through Liability (\$)	Flow-through indemnification (\$)		
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$ 1,198,392	\$ 2,750,000		
Recognition of flow-through liability	6,365,045	13,990,000		
De-recognition of flow-through liability	(3,531,341)	(9,584,635)		
Balance, December 31, 2023	4,032,096	7,155,365		
Recognition of flow-through liability	1,650,439	20,262,497		
De-recognition of flow-through liability	(4,222,388)	(6,758,062)		
Balance, September 30, 2024	\$ 1,460,147	\$ 20,659,800		

#### Flow-through indemnification

The flow-through agreements require the Company to renounce certain tax deductions for Canadian exploration expenditures incurred on the Company's mineral properties to flow-through participants. Certain interpretations are required to assess the eligibility of flow-through expenditures that if changed, could result in the denial of renunciation. The Company indemnified the subscribers for any related tax amounts that become payable by the subscribers as a result of the Company not meeting its expenditure commitments. The Company has not fully met all of its expenditure commitments for previous flow-through financings. If the Canadian Revenue Agency ("CRA") determined that the Company was not compliant with their flow-through expenditure commitments, the Company may be liable to indemnify subscribers for any related tax amounts. No provision has been recorded in these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements related to this contingency as various triggering events have not taken place.

#### Environmental and legal

The Company's operations are subject to government environmental protection legislation. Environmental consequences are difficult to identify in terms of results, timetable and impact. At this time, to management's best knowledge, the Company's operations are in compliance with current laws and regulations.

The Company is subject to various claims, lawsuits and other complaints arising in the ordinary course of business. The Company records provisions for losses when claims become probable and the amounts are estimable. Although the outcome of such matters cannot be determined, it is the opinion of management that the final resolution of these matters will not have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial condition, operations or liquidity.

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#### 12. Commitments and contingencies (continued)

#### Property taxes

As at September 30, 2024, the Company has unpaid property tax for various mineral exploration property claims totaling approximately 154,298,974 Chilean Pesos (\$222,365) (December 31, 2023 - 249,731,160 Chilean Pesos (\$375,479)) which has been included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities as at September 30, 2024. In the event that the claims are put up for tax auction, the Company expects to have a notice period to make the payment for the portion of this amount required (note 1). The property tax commitment for 2024 fiscal year is 53,904,794 Chilean Pesos (\$81,048).

#### 13. Subsequent events

On October 18, 2024, the Company announced that it has entered into an arrangement agreement for a strategic reorganization of its business pursuant to which the Company's interest in the Golden Ivan property, along with certain Chilean exploration assets and liabilities, will be spun out to Power Nickel shareholders (the "Spin-Out") through Chilean Metals Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company ("Spinco"). The Spin-Out will provide investors with an ownership stake in two separate specialized companies. Power Nickel will continue to focus on the advancement of the Nisk project, while Spinco will focus on advancing the Golden Ivan property and the Chilean assets. The Golden Ivan property is located in Terrace, British Columbia and comprises of 13 mineral claims, covering a total area of 797 hectares. Spinco will also acquire the Company's interests in the Zulema, Tierra de Oro, Palo Negro, Hornitos and Tabaco projects located in Chile. Power Nickel will retain its royalty interest in the Chilean Copaquire project.