

**CARLYLE MINING CORP.**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
(unaudited – prepared by management)**

**August 31, 2008**

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### **NOTICE OF NO AUDITOR REVIEW OF INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

Under National Instrument 51-102, Part 4, subsection 4.3(3)(a), if an auditor has not performed a review of the interim financial statements, they must be accompanied by a notice indicating that the financial statements have not been reviewed by an auditor.

The accompanying unaudited interim financial statements of the Company have been prepared by and are the responsibility of the Company's management.

The Company's independent auditor has not performed a review of these financial statements in accordance with standards established by the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants for a review of interim financial statements by an entity's auditor.

Vancouver, Canada

October 30, 2008

**CARLYLE MINING CORP.**  
**BALANCE SHEETS**  
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	<u>August 31, 2008</u>	<u>February 29, 2008</u>
<b>ASSETS</b>		
<b>Current</b>		
Cash	\$ 921,555	\$ 1,000,154
Interest receivable	10,635	-
Goods and Services Tax receivable	9,175	4,271
	<u>\$ 941,365</u>	<u>\$ 1,004,425</u>
<b>LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>		
<b>Current</b>		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	<u>\$ 93,139</u>	<u>\$ 30,525</u>
<b>Shareholders' equity</b>		
Share capital (Note 5)	984,265	984,265
Contributed surplus (Note 6)	66,216	66,216
Deficit	<u>(202,255)</u>	<u>(76,581)</u>
	<u>848,226</u>	<u>973,900</u>
	<u>\$ 941,365</u>	<u>\$ 1,004,425</u>

**Basis of presentation** (Note 2)

**CARLYLE MINING CORP.**  
**STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND DEFICIT**  
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	<b>Three Months ended</b>		<b>Six Months ended</b>	
	<b>August 31</b>		<b>August 31</b>	
	<b>2008</b>	2007	2008	2007
<b>EXPENSES</b>				
Administrative	\$ 811	\$ 362	\$ 1,027	\$ 362
Professional fees (Note 8)	94,415	795	119,649	1,624
Bank charges	52	100	167	244
Stock based compensation	-	53,415	-	53,415
Stock exchange listing and filing fees	11,895	-	11,895	-
Transfer agent filing fees	4,732	-	6,144	-
Interest, net	(6,721)	(6,183)	(13,208)	(11,828)
<b>Net loss and comprehensive loss for the period</b>	<b>\$ 105,184</b>	<b>\$ 48,489</b>	<b>\$ 125,674</b>	<b>\$ 43,817</b>
<b>Deficit at beginning of period</b>	<b>\$ 97,071</b>	<b>\$ 86</b>	<b>\$ 76,581</b>	<b>\$ 4,758</b>
<b>Deficit at end of period</b>	<b>\$ 202,255</b>	<b>\$ 48,575</b>	<b>\$ 202,255</b>	<b>\$ 48,575</b>
<b>Basic &amp; diluted loss per common share (excluding escrow shares)</b>	<b>\$ 0.02</b>	<b>\$ 0.01</b>	<b>\$ 0.02</b>	<b>\$ 0.01</b>
<b>Weighted average number of common shares outstanding (excluding escrow shares)</b>	<b>5,600,000</b>	<b>4,447,826</b>	<b>5,600,000</b>	<b>4,023,913</b>

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**STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS**  
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	Three Months ended August 31		Six Months ended August 31	
	2008	2007	2008	2007
<b>Operating Activities</b>				
Net loss for the period	\$ (105,184)	\$ (48,489)	\$ (125,674)	\$ (43,817)
Adjustments				
Stock based compensation	-	53,415	-	53,415
	<b>(105,184)</b>	<b>4,926</b>	<b>(125,674)</b>	<b>9,598</b>
Changes in non-cash working capital items				
Deferred charges	-	48,519	-	-
Interest and Goods and Services Tax receivable	<b>(10,208)</b>	-	<b>(15,539)</b>	-
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	<b>69,595</b>	(13,967)	<b>62,614</b>	(1,709)
	<b>(45,797)</b>	<b>39,478</b>	<b>(78,599)</b>	<b>7,889</b>
<b>Financing Activities</b>				
Issue of share capital for cash	-	200,000	-	200,000
Share issue costs	-	(102,482)	-	(102,482)
	-	97,518	-	97,518
<b>Net change in cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>(45,797)</b>	<b>136,996</b>	<b>(78,599)</b>	<b>105,407</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents – beginning of period</b>	<b>967,352</b>	<b>868,653</b>	<b>1,000,154</b>	<b>900,242</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents – end of period</b>	<b>\$ 921,555</b>	<b>\$ 1,005,649</b>	<b>\$ 921,555</b>	<b>\$ 1,005,649</b>
Cash paid during the period for interest	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cash paid during the period for income taxes	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

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**1. NATURE OF BUSINESS**

Carlyle Mining Corp. (the “Company”) was incorporated under the *Business Corporations Act* (BC) on January 24, 2007. The Company’s common shares were listed and called for trading on the TSX Venture Exchange (the “TSX-V”) on August 7, 2007. The principal business of the Company is to identify, evaluate and then acquire an interest in a business or assets. Upon listing, the Company was classified as a capital pool corporation (“CPC”) as defined in TSX-V Policy 2.4.

**2. BASIS OF PRESENTATION**

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles (“GAAP”) with the assumption that the Company will be able to realize its assets and discharge its liabilities in the normal course of business. The financial statements do not include any adjustments to the classification and amount of assets and liabilities that may be required should the Company be unable to continue in existence.

The preparation of these interim financial statements is based on accounting principles and practices consistent with those used in the preparation of annual financial statements. Certain information and footnote disclosure normally included in financial statements prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles has been condensed or omitted. These interim period statements should be read together with the Company’s most recent audited financial statements and the accompanying notes. In the opinion of the Company, these unaudited interim financial statements contain all adjustments necessary in order to present a fair statement of the results of the interim period presented.

**3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

(a) Use of estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Canadian GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Significant areas requiring the use of estimates include accrued liabilities; the determination of the assumptions used in the calculation of stock-based compensation expense and the valuation allowance for future income tax assets. Actual results could differ from those estimates used in the financial statements.

(b) Financial instruments

Financial instruments are classified into one of five categories: held-for-trading, held-to-maturity, loans and receivables, available-for-sale financial assets or other financial liabilities. All financial instruments are measured in the balance sheet at fair value except for loans and receivables, held-to-maturity investments and other financial liabilities, which are measured at amortized cost. Subsequent measurement and changes in fair value will depend on their initial classification as follows: held-for-trading financial assets are measured at fair value and changes in fair value are recognized in net income; available-for-sale financial instruments are measured at fair value with changes in fair value recorded in other comprehensive income until the investment is no longer recognized or impaired, at which time the amounts would be recorded in net income.

(c) Loss per share

Basic loss per share is calculated using the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the year. Diluted loss per share has not been presented separately as the effect of common shares issuable on the exercise of stock options and share purchase warrants would be anti-dilutive. Accordingly, basic and diluted loss per share is the same. Shares held in escrow, other than where their release is subject to the passage of time, have not been included in the calculation of the weighted average number of common shares outstanding.

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**3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)**

(d) Comprehensive loss

Comprehensive loss is the overall change in the net assets of the Company for a period, other than changes attributable to transactions with shareholders. It is made up of net loss and other comprehensive loss. Other comprehensive loss consists of net loss and other gains and losses affecting shareholders' equity that, under generally accepted accounting principles are excluded from net loss. The Company has no items of other comprehensive loss in any period presented. Therefore, net income as presented in the Company's statement of operations equals comprehensive loss.

(e) Stock-based compensation

The Company has adopted an incentive stock option plan, which is described in note 5. All stock-based awards are measured and recognized using the fair-value method as determined by the Black-Scholes option pricing model. Awards that the Company has the ability to settle with stock are recorded as equity, whereas awards that the Company is required to settle, or has the practice of settling, in cash are recorded as liabilities. Compensation expense is allocated to the applicable expense category and is recognized in the Statement of Operations over the vesting period.

(f) Income taxes

The Company uses the asset and liability method of accounting for income taxes. Under this method, future income taxes are recognized for the future income tax consequences attributable to differences between financial statement carrying values and their corresponding tax values (temporary differences) and tax loss carry forwards. Future income tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted or substantively enacted income tax rates expected to apply when the temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on future income tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is included in income in the period in which the change occurs. The amount of future income tax assets recognized is limited to the amount that, in the opinion of management, is more likely than not to be realized.

(g) Foreign currency transaction

The Company's functional currency is the Canadian dollar. Where applicable, foreign currency transactions and balances are translated into Canadian dollars as follows:

- i) Monetary assets and liabilities, at the rate of exchange in effect as at the balance sheet date;
- ii) Non-monetary assets and liabilities, at the exchange rates prevailing at the time of the acquisition of assets or assumption of liabilities; and
- iii) Expenses, at the average rate of exchange by quarter.

Gains and losses arising from this translation of foreign currency are included in the determination of net loss for the period.

**3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)**

(h) Accounting changes

i) Capital disclosures

In February 2007, the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants (“CICA”) issued Handbook Section 1535, “Capital Disclosures”, which requires the disclosure of both qualitative and quantitative information that provides users of financial statements with information to evaluate the entity’s objectives, policies and procedures for managing capital. The Company adopted the requirements of this section effective March 1, 2008. The initial adoption of this standard had no material impact on the classification and valuation of the Company’s interim financial statements.

ii) Financial instruments

In February 2007, the CICA issued two new standards, Section 3862, “Financial Instruments Disclosures”, and Section 3863, “Financial Instruments Presentation”. These sections replace Section 3861, “Financial Instruments Disclosure and Presentation”. Section 3862 provides users with information to evaluate the significance of the financial instruments of the entity’s financial position and performance, nature and extent of risks arising from financial instruments, and how the entity manages those risks. Section 3863 deals with the classification of financial instruments, related interest, dividends, losses and gains, and the circumstances in which financial assets and financial liabilities are offset. The Company adopted the requirements of these sections effective March 1, 2008. The initial adoption of these standards had no material impact on the classification and valuation of the Company’s interim financial statements.

iii) Going concern

In June 2007, the CICA amended Handbook Section 1400, “General Standards of Financial Statement Presentation”, which requires management to make an assessment of a company’s ability to continue as a going concern. When financial statements are not prepared on a going concern basis that fact shall be disclosed together with the basis on which the financial statements are prepared and the reason why the company is not considered a going concern. The Company adopted the requirements of this section effective March 1, 2008.

(i) Future accounting changes

iv) International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”)

In 2006, the Canadian Accounting Standards Board (“AcSB”) published a new strategic plan that will significantly affect financial reporting requirements for Canadian companies. The AcSB strategic plan outlines the convergence of Canadian GAAP with IFRS over an expected five year transitional period. In February 2008, the AcSB announced that 2011 is the changeover date for publicly-listed companies to use IFRS, replacing Canada’s own GAAP. The date is for interim and annual financial statements relating to fiscal years beginning on or after January 1, 2011. The transition date of January 1, 2011 will require the restatement, for comparative purposes, of amounts reported by the Company for the year ending December 31, 2010 and earlier where applicable. While the Company has begun assessing the adoption of IFRS for 2011, the financial reporting impact of the transition to IFRS cannot be reasonably estimated at this time.

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**4. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT**

The Company manages its capital structure and makes adjustments to it, based on the funds available, in order to support its activities. The Board of Directors does not establish quantitative return on capital criteria for management, but rather relies on the expertise of management to sustain future development of the business.

Based upon the Company's life cycle, it is dependent on external financing to fund its activities. In order to carry out the planned operations and pay for administrative costs, the Company will spend its existing working capital and raise additional amounts as needed.

Management reviews its capital management approach on an ongoing basis and believes that this approach, given the relative size of the Company, is reasonable.

There were no changes in the Company's approach to capital management during the six months ended August 31, 2008. The Company is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

**5. SHARE CAPITAL**

(a) Authorized and issued

The authorized share capital of the Company is unlimited without par value.

The Company has issued shares of its share capital as follows:

	<b>August 31, 2008</b>		February 29, 2008	
	<b>Number of Shares</b>	<b>Amount</b>	Number of Shares	Amount
<b>Balance, beginning of period</b>	<b>16,000,000</b>	<b>\$ 984,265</b>	14,000,000	\$ 900,000
Issued during the period for:				
Cash	-	-	2,000,000	200,000
Share issue costs	-	-	-	(115,735)
<b>Balance, end of period</b>	<b>16,000,000</b>	<b>\$ 984,265</b>	16,000,000	\$ 984,265

During the year ended February 29, 2008, the Company completed an initial public offering of 2,000,000 shares at a price of \$0.10 per share for gross proceeds of \$200,000. The Company incurred costs totalling \$115,735 in connection with this offering comprised of a finder's fee, the issuance of 200,000 agents' warrants with a fair value of \$12,801, legal fees, transfer agent fees, listing fees and other miscellaneous costs directly relating to the completion of the initial public offering.

(b) Escrow shares

Of the common shares issued, 10,400,000 are subject to an escrow agreement and may not be transferred without the consent of the TSX-V. The escrow agreement provides, among other things, that 10% of such shares will be released from escrow upon the completion of a "Qualifying Transaction", as defined in TSX-V Policy 2.4, and that a further 15% of such shares will be released every six months thereafter.

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**5. SHARE CAPITAL (continued)**

(c) Stock option plan

The Company has adopted an incentive stock option plan (the “Plan”), the essential elements of which are as follows: the aggregate number of common shares of the Company’s share capital issuable pursuant to options granted under the Plan may not exceed 1,600,000. Options granted under the Plan may have a maximum term of five years. The exercise price of options granted under the Plan will not be less than the discounted market price of the common shares (defined as the last closing market price of the Company’s common shares immediately preceding the grant date, less the maximum discount permitted by TSX –V), or such other price as may be agreed to by the Company and accepted by the TSX-V. Options granted under the Plan are generally exercisable immediately following the grant, however certain options may be subject to vesting at times as determined by the directors of the Company and the TSX-V.

The status of options granted under the Plan as of August 31, 2008 and changes during the period then ended is as follows:

	Shares	Weighted Average Exercise Price	Expiry Date
Options outstanding, beginning and end of period	950,000	\$ 0.15	July 24, 2012
Weighted average outstanding life of options	3.90 years		

(d) Stock-based compensation

The fair value of options granted during the year ended February 29, 2008 was estimated at the grant date using the Black-Scholes option pricing model, with the following weighted average assumptions:

Expected annual volatility	125%
Risk-free interest rate	4.55%
Expected life	2 years
Expected dividend yield	0.00%

Based on the above assumptions, the average fair value of each option granted and vested was approximately \$0.06, accordingly, compensation expense of \$53,415 was recorded in the statement of operations for the year ended February 29, 2008. No options were granted, exercised, or expired during the six month period ended August 31, 2008.

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**5. SHARE CAPITAL (continued)**

(e) Warrants

At August 31 and February 29, 2008, the Company had outstanding broker warrants exercisable to acquire 200,000 shares as follows:

Number	Exercise Price	Expiry Date
200,000	\$ 0.10	August 7, 2009

The fair value of the broker warrants issued calculated using the Black-Scholes model was \$12,801, which has been included in share issue costs.

**6. CONTRIBUTED SURPLUS**

	August 31, 2008	February 29, 2008
Balance, beginning of period	\$ 66,216	\$ -
Stock-based compensation expense	-	53,415
Broker warrants	-	12,801
Balance, end of period	\$ 66,216	\$ 66,216

**7. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

a) Fair value

Financial instruments include cash, interest receivable, Goods and Services Tax receivable, and accounts payable and accrued liabilities, which approximate their fair value. Cash is designated as held for trading; and accounts payable and accrued liabilities are classified as other financial liabilities.

b) Interest rate risk

The Company is not exposed to significant interest rate price risk due to the short-term maturity of its monetary current assets and current liabilities.

c) Credit risk

The Company's financial assets that are exposed to credit risk consist of cash. The Company's cash is held at Tier 1 Canadian financial institutions.

d) Currency risk

The Company is exposed to currency risk to the extent that expenditures incurred by the Company are denominated in currencies other than the Canadian dollar (primarily US dollars and Australian dollars). The Company does not utilize derivatives or other techniques to manage foreign currency risk.

**8. QUALIFYING TRANSACTION**

On July 10, 2008 the Company entered into an agreement (the “Agreement”) with Rowen Company Ltd. (“Rowen”) for the option to acquire 100% (the “Option”) of Sunland Properties Limited (“Sunland”). Sunland’s wholly owned subsidiary, Rugby Mining Pty Limited, owns or controls certain mineral tenements located near Hawkwood in Queensland, Australia. Pursuant to the Agreement, the Company will, following shareholder approval and TSX Venture Exchange (“TSX-V”) acceptance of the Qualifying Transaction, issue 200,000 shares to Rowen and repay \$218,352 (A\$240,000) in loans advanced to Sunland by Rowen to cover sunk costs and for exploration expenditures incurred to date. In addition, the Company will advance to Sunland, \$22,745 (A\$25,000) as a non-refundable deposit to maintain the properties in good standing while the transaction is being approved.

In order to maintain its Option, the Agreement provides that the Company must incur exploration expenditures totalling \$1.59 (A\$1.75) million (including 10,000 metres of bedrock drilling) within 30 months, of which \$454,900 (A\$500,000) to be incurred within 18 months, is a minimum commitment.

The Company can exercise the Option at any time within 30 months by issuing 6 million common shares to Rowen. If the Company exercises the Option all exploration expenditure commitments will cease. Rowen is controlled by Bryce Roxburgh, a director of Carlyle, not a non arm’s length person; as a result this is a related party transaction.

Sponsorship of a qualifying transaction of a capital pool company is required by the TSX-V unless exempt in accordance with TSX-V policies. The Company is currently reviewing the requirements for sponsorship. Trading in the Company’s shares remain halted, and is expected to resume upon receipt of the sponsorship exemption or the appointment of a sponsor following Exchange and sponsor review of the Agreement.

During the six month period ended August 31, 2008 the Company incurred \$115,000 in costs related to completing a QT.