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Polymetal International plc

Director/PDMR Shareholding

Polymetal discloses the following information regarding the grant of options under its Performance Share Plan.

Under the current Performance Share Plan (“PSP”), a conditional award of ordinary shares in the Company with no par value was made to the Group CEO and the following PDMRs of the Company as follows:

Name	Position	Number of awards granted in 2021	Total number of awards outstanding under the PSP
Vitaly Nesis	Director	20,683	219,225
Vitaly Savchenko	PDMR	13,191	96,960
Sergey Trushin	PDMR	10,999	77,456
Roman Shestakov	PDMR	10,242	76,670
Pavel Danilin	PDMR	10,247	79,096
Igor Kapshuk	PDMR	8,199	61,449
Valery Tsyplakov	PDMR	10,242	79,012
Maxim Nazimok	PDMR	10,247	78,898

No consideration is payable for the making or vesting of the awards by the beneficiaries. A total of 1,732,722 awards was granted to the Group CEO, PDMRs and other employees of the Group.

Under the PSP, awards are exercisable following a four-year vesting period (with an additional mandatory holding period of one year following vesting), subject to performance measures determined by Polymetal. For this award, vesting is based on relative TSR, measured against the constituents of the FTSE Gold Mines Index, as well as the Company’s absolute TSR. Peers are ranked and the Company’s position determines vesting (0% vests for below median performance; 20% vests at median performance; 100% vests at upper quintile performance and above). No award will vest if absolute TSR is negative, regardless of relative performance. For more details on the PSP, please refer to the 2020 Polymetal Annual Report and Accounts available on the Company’s website at www.polymetalinternational.com.

This notification is made in accordance with Article 19 of the Market Abuse Regulation.

About Polymetal

Polymetal International plc (together with its subsidiaries – “Polymetal”, the “Company”, or the “Group”) is a top-10 global gold producer and top-5 global silver producer with assets in Russia and Kazakhstan. The Company combines strong growth with a robust dividend yield.

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**Notification of Transactions by Persons Discharging Managerial Responsibilities
and Persons Closely Associated with them**

8 April 2021

1	Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated				
a)	Name	Vitaly Nesis			
2	Reason for the notification				
a)	Position/status	Director			
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification			
3	Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor				
a)	Full name of the entity	Polymetal International plc			
b)	Legal Entity Identifier Code	213800JKJ5HJWYS4GR61			
4	Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted				
a)	Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument	Ordinary shares			
	Identification code	JE00B6T5S470			
b)	Nature of the transaction	Conditional award of ordinary shares under PSP (LTIP)			
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	n/a			
d)	Aggregated information	Description of Financial Transaction	Aggregated Price	Aggregated Volume	Total Aggregated Price
		Conditional award of ordinary shares	0.00	20,683	0.00
e)	Date of the transaction	7 April 2021			
f)	Place of the transaction	London Stock Exchange			

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1	Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated				
a)	Name	Vitaly Savchenko			
2	Reason for the notification				
a)	Position/status	PDMR			
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification			
3	Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor				
a)	Full name of the entity	Polymetal International plc			
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c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	n/a			
d)	Aggregated information	Description of Financial Transaction	Aggregated Price	Aggregated Volume	Total Aggregated Price
		Conditional award of ordinary shares	0.00	13,191	0.00
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1	Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated				
a)	Name	Sergey Trushin			
2	Reason for the notification				
a)	Position/status	PDMR			
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification			
3	Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor				
a)	Full name of the entity	Polymetal International plc			
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c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	n/a			
d)	Aggregated information	Description of Financial Transaction	Aggregated Price	Aggregated Volume	Total Aggregated Price
		Conditional award of ordinary shares	0.00	10,999	0.00
e)	Date of the transaction	7 April 2021			
f)	Place of the transaction	London Stock Exchange			

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1	Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated				
a)	Name	Roman Shestakov			
2	Reason for the notification				
a)	Position/status	PDMR			
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification			
3	Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor				
a)	Full name of the entity	Polymetal International plc			
b)	Legal Entity Identifier Code	213800JKJ5HJWYS4GR61			
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	Identification code	JE00B6T5S470			
b)	Nature of the transaction	Conditional award of ordinary shares under PSP (LTIP)			
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	n/a			
d)	Aggregated information	Description of Financial Transaction	Aggregated Price	Aggregated Volume	Total Aggregated Price
		Conditional award of ordinary shares	0.00	10,242	0.00
e)	Date of the transaction	7 April 2021			
f)	Place of the transaction	London Stock Exchange			

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1	Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated				
a)	Name	Pavel Danilin			
2	Reason for the notification				
a)	Position/status	PDMR			
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification			
3	Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor				
a)	Full name of the entity	Polymetal International plc			
b)	Legal Entity Identifier Code	213800JKJ5HJWYS4GR61			
4	Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted				
a)	Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument	Ordinary shares			
	Identification code	JE00B6T5S470			
b)	Nature of the transaction	Conditional award of ordinary shares under PSP (LTIP)			
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	n/a			
d)	Aggregated information	Description of Financial Transaction	Aggregated Price	Aggregated Volume	Total Aggregated Price
		Conditional award of ordinary shares	0.00	10,247	0.00
e)	Date of the transaction	7 April 2021			
f)	Place of the transaction	London Stock Exchange			

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1	Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated				
a)	Name	Igor Kapshuk			
2	Reason for the notification				
a)	Position/status	PDMR			
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification			
3	Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor				
a)	Full name of the entity	Polymetal International plc			
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	Identification code	JE00B6T5S470			
b)	Nature of the transaction	Conditional award of ordinary shares under PSP (LTIP)			
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	n/a			
d)	Aggregated information	Description of Financial Transaction	Aggregated Price	Aggregated Volume	Total Aggregated Price
		Conditional award of ordinary shares	0.00	8,199	0.00
e)	Date of the transaction	7 April 2021			
f)	Place of the transaction	London Stock Exchange			

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1	Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated				
a)	Name	Valery Tsyplakov			
2	Reason for the notification				
a)	Position/status	PDMR			
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification			
3	Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor				
a)	Full name of the entity	Polymetal International plc			
b)	Legal Entity Identifier Code	213800JKJ5HJWYS4GR61			
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	Identification code	JE00B6T5S470			
b)	Nature of the transaction	Conditional award of ordinary shares under PSP (LTIP)			
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	n/a			
d)	Aggregated information	Description of Financial Transaction	Aggregated Price	Aggregated Volume	Total Aggregated Price
		Conditional award of ordinary shares	0.00	10,242	0.00
e)	Date of the transaction	7 April 2021			
f)	Place of the transaction	London Stock Exchange			

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1	Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated				
a)	Name	Maxim Nazimok			
2	Reason for the notification				
a)	Position/status	PDMR			
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification			
3	Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor				
a)	Full name of the entity	Polymetal International plc			
b)	Legal Entity Identifier Code	213800JKJ5HJWYS4GR61			
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		Conditional award of ordinary shares	0.00	10,247	0.00
e)	Date of the transaction	7 April 2021			
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