

Minas Metals Ltd.
Management Discussion and Analysis
For the Nine Months Ended October 31, 2023 and
2022

This management's discussion and analysis ("MD&A") is management's interpretation of the financial condition and results of operations of Minas Metals Ltd. (the "Company" or "Minas Metals") for the nine months ended October 31, 2023 and 2022.

This MD&A should be read in conjunction with the condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the nine months ended October 31, 2023 and the audited financial statements for the year ended January 31, 2023, prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB"). This MD&A complements and supplements, but does not form part of, the Company's financial statements.

This MD&A contains forward-looking statements. Statements regarding the adequacy of cash resources to carry out the Company's exploration programs or the need for future financing are forward-looking statements. All forward-looking statements, including those not specifically identified herein, are made subject to cautionary language included in this MD&A. Readers are advised to refer to the cautionary language when reading any forward-looking statements.

All dollar amounts contained herein are expressed in Canadian dollars unless otherwise indicated. This MD&A has been prepared as of December 21, 2023.

BUSINESS OVERVIEW AND OPERATIONS

Minas Metals Ltd. is a junior mining company that is engaged in the acquisition and planned exploration of mineral properties. The Company's registered office is located at 885 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, BC, V6C 3E8. On October 16, 2023, the Company changed its name to "Minas Metals Ltd.", trading under the new symbol MINA.

On April 12, 2021, Minas Metals acquired all of the outstanding shares of 2262496 Alberta Ltd. ("226") by way of share exchange agreement (the "Transaction"). 226 holds the option to acquire a 100% interest in the Cracker Creek Gold Property located in Oregon. 226 was identified for accounting purposes as the acquirer, and accordingly the Company is considered to be a continuation of 226, and the net assets of Minas Metals at the date of the reverse acquisition are deemed to have been acquired by 226. The Transaction provided the Company with business operations for the purposes of the listing of the Company's common shares on the Canadian Securities Exchange ("CSE"). On March 23, 2022, the Company received final receipt from the British Columbia Securities Commission of the Company's Long Form Prospectus dated March 22, 2022 and the Company's common shares were listed on the CSE under the symbol MINA.

The Company made certain Board and management changes since year end. In March 2023, Jon Bey was appointed to the Board and as President and Chief Executive Officer to replace Ken Tullar, who will continue as Chief Operating Officer and remains on the Board. Dave Patterson resigned as a Director and was replaced by Blair Jordan. In August 2023, Sean McGrath replaced Gavin Cooper as Chief Financial Officer and Corporate Secretary of the Company. Backgrounds on these additional appointments are contained in the Company's news releases dated March 15, 2023, March 30, 2023 and August 17, 2023 available on SEDAR at www.SEDAR.com.

On May 9, 2023, the Company entered into a definitive assignment and assumption agreement (the "Definitive Agreement") with Angold Resources Ltd. ("Angold") and two of its wholly-owned subsidiary companies (collectively, the "Subsidiaries"). Pursuant to the terms of the Definitive Agreement, the Subsidiaries have assigned (the "Assignment") to Elkhorn Gold Exploration LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, all rights to the contractual arrangements (collectively, the "Option Agreements") pursuant to which the Subsidiaries hold the rights to acquire the Iron Butte Project, located in Lander County, Nevada and the Hope Butte Project, located in Malheur County, Oregon. In consideration for the Assignment, the Company has issued 10,000,000 common shares (the "Consideration Shares") to Angold, and has assumed all obligations of the Subsidiaries with respect to the Option Agreements. The Consideration Shares are subject to an escrow arrangement until May 18, 2024, during which time they may not be traded. For full details, please refer to the Company's news releases of May 11, 2023 and May 18, 2023 which can be viewed on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

The Company's ability to continue its operations is dependent on its success in raising equity through share issuances, suitable debt financing and/or other financing arrangements. While the Company has been successful in raising equity in the past, there can be no guarantee that it will be able to raise sufficient funds to fund its activities and general and administrative costs in the future. Many factors influence the Company's ability to raise funds, including the health of the capital market, the climate for mineral exploration investment and the Company's track record. Actual funding requirements may vary from those planned due to a number of factors, including the acquisition of new projects. There is no guarantee that the Company will be able to secure additional financing in the future at terms that are favorable, or at all.

EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSET

	Butte Projects	Cracker Creek	Total
Acquisition Costs			
Balance, January 31, 2022	\$ -	\$ 501,308	\$ 501,308
Additions	-	265,106	265,106
Balance, January 31, 2023	\$ -	\$ 766,414	\$ 766,414
Additions	314,415	82,414	396,829
Balance, October 31, 2023	\$ 314,415	\$ 848,828	\$ 1,163,243
Deferred Exploration Costs			
Balance, January 31, 2022	\$ -	\$ 1,169,231	\$ 1,169,231
Consulting	-	367,872	367,872
Land maintenance	-	34,302	34,302
Geophysics	-	93,586	93,586
Other	-	378,152	378,152
Balance, January 31, 2023	\$ -	\$ 2,043,143	\$ 2,043,143
Consulting	-	83,716	83,716
Land maintenance	-	34,884	34,884
Geophysics	-	1,357	1,357
Other	-	11,143	11,143
Balance, October 31, 2023	\$ -	\$ 2,174,243	\$ 2,174,243
Total			
Balance, January 31, 2023	\$ -	\$ 2,809,557	\$ 2,809,557
Balance, October 31, 2023	\$ 314,415	\$ 3,023,071	\$ 3,337,486

Cracker Creek Gold Property, Oregon, USA

On November 9, 2020, 226 entered into an Exploration and Purchase Option Agreement (the "Option Agreement") with Cracker Creek Gold Corporation ("Cracker Creek") (This agreement was amended on July 24, 2023) whereby 226 has the option (the "Option") to acquire an undivided 100% legal and beneficial right, title and interest in and to the Cracker Creek Gold Property (the "Property") located in Bourne, Oregon, USA for a total purchase price of US\$3,200,000 (the "Purchase Price").

To maintain the Option Agreement in good standing, 226 must:

- i) Pay US\$100,000 in cash upon signing (paid \$131,503 during the period ended January 31, 2021);
- ii) Make 5 cash payments of US\$60,000 every six months after the effective date (\$159,516 paid during the year ended January 31, 2023; \$149,017 paid during the year ended January 31, 2022, \$82,414 paid during the nine months ended October 31, 2023. This obligation has been satisfied)
- iii) Pay US\$100,000 on or before the earlier of: (i) the date which is 5 business days following completion of an equity financing for gross proceeds of at least US\$2,000,000; or (ii) November 9, 2023(Note 12);
- iv) Issue Consideration shares with a value of US\$100,000, issuable at the Deemed Price, upon or before the earlier of: (1) the successful completion of a drill program at the Property or at least 4,000 meters or (2) April 30, 2024;
- v) Pay US\$150,000 and Consideration shares with a value of US\$50,000 issuable at the Deemed Price, on or before June 30, 2024;
- vi) Pay US\$175,000 and Consideration shares with a value of US\$75,000 issuable at the Deemed Price, on or before June 30, 2025; and
- vii) Pay US\$190,000 and Consideration shares with a value of US\$100,000 issuable at the Deemed Price, on or before June 30, 2026.

If the Option Agreement has been maintained in good standing, 226 may exercise its option to purchase the Property at any time after the signing date as follows:

- i) On or before June 30, 2027, deliver notice to Cracker Creek of 226's decision to exercise the Option (the "Exercise Notice");
- ii) Perform certain closing requirements including payment in full of the remaining balance of the Purchase Price.

The Property is subject to a 2.5% net smelter returns ("NSR") royalty held by Cracker Creek.

On November 21, 2020, 226 entered into a Services Agreement (the "Services Agreement") with Minefinders LLC ("Minefinders") for services provided by Minefinders related to the signing of the Option Agreement with Cracker Creek. As consideration for services rendered, 226 has agreed to make certain payments to Minefinders and to grant to Minefinders a 0.5% NSR royalty (the "Minefinders NSR") at the commencement of commercial production at the Property. 226 shall have the option (the "Royalty Option") to purchase the Minefinders NSR at any time within two years of signing the Services Agreement for US\$500,000.

The payments for services rendered shall be made by 226 as follows:

- i) US\$40,000 in cash upon signing (paid \$68,797 during the period ended January 31, 2021);
- ii) US\$40,000 every six months after the signing date until the earlier of (i) the date that 226 exercises its Option as provided under the Option Agreement, (ii) the date that the Option Agreement is terminated according to its terms and (iii) May 1, 2024 (paid \$53,288 during the period ended January 31, 2021, \$98,703 during the year ended January 31, 2022, \$105,590 paid during the year ended January 31, 2023 and \$Nil paid during the nine months ended October 31, 2023);
- iii) Unless the Royalty Option has been exercised by 226, US\$500,000 on the date that commercial production is achieved; and
- iv) Unless the Royalty Option has been exercised by 226, US\$500,000 on the date that is 12 months from the date that commercial production is achieved.

Iron Butte Project, Lander County, Nevada, USA

On May 10, 2023, the Company obtained entered into a definitive assignment and assumption agreement (the "Definitive Agreement"), with Angold Resources Ltd. to obtain the legal rights and obligations of the Iron Butte Project ("Iron Butte"). In consideration for the Assignment, the Company issued 5,000,000 common shares (the "Consideration Shares") to Angold, and to assume all obligations of the Iron Butte Project with respect to the Option Agreement. Following completion of the Assignment, Minas will hold the rights to acquire the Iron Butte Project pursuant to the Option Agreement, in consideration for completing the following cash payments and share issuances:

- i) \$150,000 USD in cash and \$45,000 USD in common shares on the date of or before December 21, 2023 (as of the date of this report, this amount remained unpaid, therefore the Company remains at risk of defaulting on their obligations pursuant to the Definitive Agreement).
- i) \$200,000 USD in cash and \$63,000 USD in common shares on the date of or before December 21, 2024
- ii) \$300,000 USD in cash and \$90,000 USD in common shares on the date of or before December 21, 2025
- iii) \$500,000 USD in cash on the date of or before December 21, 2026

As part of the Agreement, the Company is obliged to pay \$30,000 USD in cash to Grandview Exploration LLC as part of the management fee relating to the period May 1 to December 31, 2022, payable on the date of or before December 26, 2023.

As at October 31, 2023, the Company had deposits of \$45,993 for bond payments related to the Iron Butte property.

Hope Butte Project, Malheur County, Oregon

On May 10, 2023, the Company obtained entered into a definitive assignment and assumption agreement (the "Definitive Agreement"), with Angold Resources Ltd. to obtain the legal rights and obligations of the Hope Butte Project ("Hope Butte"). In consideration for the Assignment, the Company has issued 5,000,000 common shares (the "Consideration Shares") to Angold, and to assume all obligations of the Hope Butte Project with respect to the Option Agreement. Following completion of the Assignment, Minas will hold the rights to acquire the Hope Butte Project pursuant to the Option Agreement, in consideration for completing the following cash payments and share issuances:

- i) \$75,000 USD in cash and \$50,000 USD in common shares on the date of or before October 12, 2023 (as at October 31, 2023, this amount was not yet paid, therefore the Company has not recognized this amount within the exploration and evaluation figures above. The Company also remains at risk of defaulting on their obligations pursuant to the Definitive Agreement).
- ii) \$150,000 USD in cash and \$75,000 USD in common shares on the date of or before October 12, 2024
- iii) \$200,000 USD in cash on the date of or before October 12, 2025
- iv) \$250,000 USD in cash on the date of or before October 12, 2026

As of the date of this report, cash payment amounts owing in relation to the Iron Butte and Hope Butte Definitive Agreement remain unpaid and the Company is in a position of defaulting on obligations. The Company remains in negotiation with vendors on the future of the properties under ownership.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

For a discussion of the factors affecting the Company's losses see "Summary of quarterly results" and "Results of operations" below.

Results of operations for the three months ended October 31, 2023 and 2022

The Company incurred a net and comprehensive loss of \$465,705 for the three months ended October 31, 2023 compared to \$137,933 for the comparative period in the prior year. Operating expenses have remained mostly consistent throughout the comparative quarters as the Company has maintained its activity following the completion of its public listing in April, 2022, other than a loss on the debt settlement of a loan payable during the period. The Company incurred significant stock-based compensation because of options vesting in the current period when compared to the prior period. General and administrative costs increased as a result of increased activity since listing.

	Three months ended October 31, 2023	Three months ended October 31, 2022
Consulting fees	\$ 35,497	\$ -
Foreign exchange loss (gain)	3,459	(871)
General and administrative costs	90,386	63,250
Management fees	54,000	-
Marketing fees	-	7,000
Professional fees	36,567	44,905
Stock-based compensation	212,248	16,813
Transfer agent, regulatory and listing fees	6,048	6,836
Loss on debt settlement	22,500	-
Net and comprehensive loss	\$ 460,705	\$ 137,933

Results of operations for the nine months ended October 31, 2023 and 2022

The Company incurred a net and comprehensive loss of \$866,256 for the nine months ended October 31, 2023 compared to \$493,448 for the comparative period in the prior year.

	Nine months ended October 31, 2023	Nine months ended October 31, 2022
Consulting fees	\$ 55,330	\$ 87,000
Foreign exchange loss	2,818	1,391
General and administrative costs	198,871	137,993
Management fees	144,000	-
Marketing fees	8,251	21,723
Professional fees	132,986	141,294
Stock-based compensation	284,039	83,753
Transfer agent, regulatory and listing fees	17,461	20,294
Transfer agent, regulatory and listing fees	22,500	-
Net and comprehensive loss	\$ 866,256	\$ 493,448

Summary of quarterly results

The following table provides a summary of financial data for the Company for the previous eight quarters:

	Quarter ended	Revenue	Loss before other income and expenses	Total comprehensive loss	Basic and diluted income (loss) per common share
Q3/24	October 31, 2023	\$ -	\$ (460,705)	\$ (460,705)	\$ (0.01)
Q2/24	July 31, 2023	\$ -	\$ (292,304)	\$ (292,304)	\$ (0.01)
Q1/24	April 30, 2023	\$ -	\$ (113,247)	\$ (113,247)	\$ (0.00)
Q4/23	January 31, 2023	\$ -	\$ (62,736)	\$ (62,736)	\$ (0.00)
Q3/23	October 31, 2022	\$ -	\$ (137,933)	\$ (137,933)	\$ (0.00)
Q2/23	July 31, 2022	\$ -	\$ (155,984)	\$ (155,984)	\$ (0.00)
Q1/23	April 30, 2022	\$ -	\$ (199,003)	\$ (199,003)	\$ (0.00)
Q4/22	January 31, 2022	\$ -	\$ (171,901)	\$ (171,901)	\$ (0.01)

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

These financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis, which assumes that the Company will continue in operation for the foreseeable future and will be able to realize its assets and settle its liabilities in the normal course of business. At October 31, 2023, the Company had cash of \$19,517 and its current liabilities exceed its current assets by \$288,937. The Company currently has no active business and is not generating any revenues. It has incurred losses since inception and had an accumulated deficit of \$3,160,319 as at October 31, 2023. Whether and when the Company can obtain profitability and positive cash flows from operations is uncertain. These uncertainties may cast significant doubt on the ability of the Company to continue as a going concern.

On May 25, 2023, the Company entered into a promissory note loan agreement with TY & Sons Investments Inc. ("TY & Sons"), where an advance of \$100,000 was made upon the execution of the promissory note. On July 21, 2023, a further \$50,000 was advanced to the Company within the same promissory note agreement. Under the terms of the agreement, \$2,342 of interest expense was incurred up to the date of settlement. On August 9, 2023, the Company settled the outstanding indebtedness of \$150,000 to Ty & Sons through the issuance of 1,500,000 units at a deemed price of \$0.10 per unit.

On August 9, 2023, the Company closed a non-brokered private placement which issued 3,950,000 units at a price of \$0.10 per unit for gross proceeds of \$395,000. Each unit consists of one common share of the Company and one common share purchase warrant. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of \$0.16 until August 9, 2025.

On September 20, 2023, 100,000 stock options from the May 10, 2023 grant were exercised at a price of \$0.06 each for gross proceeds of \$6,000 resulting in the issuance of 100,000 common shares.

On September 21, 2023, the Company entered into another promissory note loan agreement with TY & Sons, where an advance of \$50,000 was made upon the execution of the promissory note. Under the terms of the agreement, \$548 of interest expense was incurred up to October 31, 2023. On the same date, the Company entered into a similar promissory note loan agreement with Carrera Capital International Ltd. ("Carrera Capital"), where an advance of \$50,000 was made upon the execution of the promissory note. Under the terms of the agreement, \$548 of interest expense was incurred up to October 31, 2023.

The Company's ability to continue its operations is dependent on its success in raising equity through share issuances, suitable debt financing and/or other financing arrangements. While the Company has been successful in raising equity in the past, there can be no guarantee that it will be able to raise sufficient funds to fund its activities and general and administrative costs in the next twelve months and in the future. These financial statements do not give effect to the required adjustments to the carrying amounts and classification of assets and liabilities should the Company be unable to continue as a going concern. Such adjustments could be material.

Cash flows

- Cash used in operating activities for the nine months ended October 31, 2023 was \$395,433 (October 31, 2022: \$614,192).
- Cash used in investing activities for the nine months ended October 31, 2023 was \$342,896 (October 31, 2022: \$737,916).
- Cash provided by financing activities for the nine months ended October 31, 2023 was \$644,500 (October 31, 2022: \$15,466 used in financing activities).

TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

During the normal course of business, the Company enters into transactions with its related parties that are considered to be arm's length transactions and made at normal market prices and on normal commercial terms.

The Company's related parties consist of its key management personnel, including its directors and officers.

During the nine months ended October 31, 2023, the Company incurred total consulting fees of \$84,418 to the COO and former CEO (2022 - \$132,127). The amount was capitalized in exploration and evaluation assets as it relates to project management on the property.

During the nine months ended October 31, 2023, the Company incurred management fees of \$144,000 to the CEO (2022 - \$Nil), \$12,500 to the CFO (2022 - \$Nil) recorded in General and administrative costs), and \$26,000 in fees to the former CFO (2022 - \$Nil) (recorded in General and administrative costs).

As at October 31, 2023, the Company owed a total of \$66,405 to the CEO (2022 - \$Nil) and \$16,459 to the COO (2022 - \$Nil). All amounts have been included within accounts payable and accrued liabilities as at October 31, 2023.

As at October 31, 2023, the company prepaid \$5,000 (2022 - \$Nil) advanced to the CFO, which has been included in prepaid expenses.

During the nine months ended October 31, 2023, the Company recognized stock-based compensation expense related to options and RSU's granted to directors and officers of \$158,466 (2022 - \$30,402).

NEW ACCOUNTING STANDARDS AND ACCOUNTING STANDARDS NOT YET EFFECTIVE

None.

OFF-BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS

The Company does not have any off-balance sheet arrangements which may affect the Company's current or future operations or conditions.

PROPOSED TRANSACTIONS

None.

FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND RELATED RISKS

Classifications

The Company's financial assets and liabilities are classified as follows:

	October 31, 2023	January 31, 2023
Financial assets:		
<i>Fair value through profit and loss</i>		
Cash and restricted cash	\$ 19,517	\$ 113,346
Financial liabilities:		
<i>Amortized cost</i>		
Accounts payable	\$ 198,728	\$ 57,154
Loans payable	\$ 103,438	\$ -

The fair values of the Company's accounts payable and loan payable approximate their carrying amounts due to the short-term nature of these instruments.

Financial instrument risk exposure

The Company's financial instruments expose the Company to certain financial risks, including credit risk, liquidity risk, interest rate risk and foreign currency risk.

Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation and cause the other party to incur a financial loss. At October 31, 2023, the Company was exposed to credit risk on its cash.

The Company's cash is held with a high credit quality financial institution as at October 31, 2023, management considers its exposure to credit risk to be low.

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with its financial liabilities. The Company manages liquidity risk by maintaining adequate cash and managing its capital and expenditures.

At October 31, 2023, the Company had cash of \$19,517 (January 31, 2023 – \$113,346) and current liabilities of \$386,708 (January 31, 2023 – \$84,977) with contractual maturities of less than one year. The Company did not have sufficient cash to meet its current liabilities at October 31, 2023, therefore the Company assessed its liquidity risk as high as at October 31, 2023.

Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in market interest rates. The Company's financial assets and financial liabilities are not exposed to interest rate risk due to their short-term nature and maturity. The Company is not exposed to interest rate risk at October 31, 2023.

Foreign currency risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in foreign exchange rates. The Company is exposed to foreign currency risk to the extent that it has monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies. As at October 31, 2023, management considers its exposure to foreign currency risk to be low.

RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Company's business remains mineral property acquisition, exploration and development business and as a result it may be exposed to a number of operational, financial, regulatory and other risks and uncertainties that are typical in the natural resource industry and common to other companies in the exploration and development stage. These risks may not be the only risks faced by the Company. Additional risks and uncertainties not presently known by the Company or which are presently considered immaterial could adversely impact the Company's business, results of operations, and financial performance in future periods.

OUTSTANDING SHARE CAPITAL DATA

At the date of this MD&A, the Company had 63,119,461 common shares issued and outstanding.

The Company has authorized an unlimited number of common shares without par value.

At the date of this MD&A, the Company has 4,942,500 stock options and 5,450,000 share purchase warrants outstanding.

CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

The Company's directors and officers may serve as directors or officers, or may be associated with, other reporting companies, or have significant shareholdings in other companies. To the extent that such other companies may participate in business or asset acquisitions, dispositions, or ventures in which the Company may participate, the directors and officers of the Company may have a conflict of interest in negotiating and concluding on terms with respect to the transaction. If a conflict of interest arises, the Company will follow the provisions of the BC *Business Corporations Act* ("BCBCA") dealing with conflict of interest. These provisions state that where a director has such a conflict, that director must, at a meeting of the Company's directors, disclose his or her interest and refrain from voting on the matter unless otherwise permitted by the BCBCA. In accordance with the laws of the Province of British Columbia, the directors and officers of Minas Metals are required to act honestly, in good faith, and in the best interest of Minas Metals.

CAUTIONARY NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING INFORMATION

This MD&A includes "forward-looking statements" and "forward-looking information" within the meaning of Canadian securities legislation. All statements included in this MD&A, other than statements of historical fact, are forward-looking statements. When used in this MD&A, words such as "may", "would", "could", "will", "intend", "expect", "believe", "plan", "anticipate", "estimate", "scheduled", "forecast", "predict", "foresee" and other similar terminology, or sentences/statements that certain actions, events or results "may", "could", "would", "might" or "will" be taken, occur or be achieved are intended to identify forward-looking statements, which, by their very nature, are not guarantees of the Company's future operational or financial performance.

These statements reflect the Company's current expectations regarding future events, performance and results, and is accurate only at the time of this MD&A, and may be superseded by more current information. Forward-looking statements also involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors, which may cause the actual results, performance or achievements of the Company or its mineral projects to be materially different from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by such forward looking statements or information.

In making such statements, the Company has made assumptions regarding, among other things: general business and economic conditions; the availability of additional; the supply and demand for, inventories of, and the level and volatility of the prices of metals;; the timing and receipt of governmental permits and approvals; changes in regulations; political factors; the accuracy of the Company's interpretation of the geology of the Company's properties and prospective properties; the availability of equipment, skilled labour and services needed for the exploration of mineral properties; and currency fluctuations.

Although the forward-looking statements or information contained in this MD&A are based upon what management of the Company believes are reasonable assumptions, the Company cannot assure investors that actual results will be consistent with these forward-looking statements. They should not be read as guarantees of future performance or results. A number of factors could cause actual results to differ materially from the results discussed in the forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to: the factors discussed below and under "Risks and Uncertainties"; unanticipated changes in general business and economic conditions or conditions in the financial markets; fluctuations in the price of metals; stock market volatility; the availability of exploration capital and financing generally; changes in national and local government legislation; changes to taxation; changes in interest or currency exchange rates; loss of key personnel; inaccurate geological assumptions; competition; unavailability of materials and equipment; government action or delays in the receipt of permits or government approvals; and unanticipated events related to health, safety and environmental matters, including the impact of epidemics.

Forward-looking information is designed to help readers understand management's current views of the Company's near and longer-term prospects, and it may not be appropriate for other purposes. The Company will not update any forward-looking statements or forward-looking information unless required to by applicable securities laws.