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### ***DRILLING COMMENCES ON THE KAPULO HIGH-GRADE COPPER PROJECT***

Australian diversified minerals exploration company Mawson West (**ASX: MWE**) is pleased to announce that it has commenced drilling at the Katanga Prospect within the Kapulo Joint venture area - DR Congo, where MWE is earning 65% from Anvil Mining.



**First drill hole commenced at Katanga prospect – 07KTDH001**

This drilling is aimed at defining the first J.O.R.C. compliant copper resource for the Kapulo area, which is expected to be released later this year. Results will be released as they are received; first visual results expected within one week and first assay results expected within 4-6 weeks.

Regional geochemistry sampling will be undertaken concurrently with the drilling programme.



First core from 07KTDH001 – Katanga prospect.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "David J. Frances".

**David J. Frances**  
Managing Director

## **About Mawson West**

Mawson West Ltd is a junior Western Australian based gold and copper explorer, focused on two multi-million ounce gold provinces, and the advanced Kapulo high-grade copper project in DRC/Zambia:

### ***Kapulo:***

Mawson West is in a joint venture with Anvil Mining on the 5,500km<sup>2</sup> Kapulo project which straddles the border between Zambia and the DRC in Central Africa. The high-grade Kapulo copper deposits are located 130km NE of Anvil Mining's operating high-grade copper/silver Dikulushi mine. Mawson West can earn 65% by spending US\$4M over 4 years.

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Previous work by Belgian geologists and Canadian's Falconbridge at the Kapulo project implies about 50,000 tonnes of contained copper at high grades, which the company will aim to make JORC compliant this year.

## ***Kalgoorlie: Golden Mile South project (GMS):***

Mawson West recently secured a joint venture with ASX-listed St Barbara Limited (**SBM**) to farm into the 112km<sup>2</sup> Golden Mile South Project, located 4km southeast of the 74Moz Kalgoorlie Super Pit in Western Australia.

The deal enables St Barbara to earn a 70% interest in the project for a total expenditure of \$5M over five years. This is a staged earn with the first step being 51% for expending \$3M over three years, at which time MWE can elect to contribute and retain its remaining equity, or if not, then SBM can elect to spend a further \$2M over two years to earn a total of 70%.

Newmont Australia Investment Limited will provide any technical data it has on the Lakewood area - and is entitled to a royalty and has the right to buy a 40% interest in the joint venture in respect of that area by paying two times the total exploration expenditure.

## ***Norseman:***

Norseman is an exciting gold province 180 km south of Kalgoorlie WA, having produced over 6 million oz gold at an average grade of over 10g/t gold, and still producing. Mawson West holds a large group of tenements, mostly 100%, anchored by the expanding Maybell and Lord Percy gold deposits 22km south of Norseman. The Maybell and Lord Percy gold project indicates 72,000 oz gold, and expanding, and feasibility work continues towards mining.