

## **ASX ANNOUNCEMENT**

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE TO THE MARKET PPK Group Limited – ASX Code: PPK

## Monday 23 January 2023

## Appointment of further senior commercial role

To provide further executive depth in securing new revenue generating opportunities across our nanomaterials businesses, PPK Group Limited (ASX: PPK) has appointed Mr Lieuwke de Jong to the role of Commercial Director, effective immediately.

Mr de Jong has over 20 years' relevant experience, including founding and growing new businesses and creating multiple 'go to market' strategies. Mr de Jong has particular experience in the medical and coatings industries where the use of nanomaterials is currently being evaluated. Mr de Jong also holds a Masters of Business Innovation and Entrepreneurship in Life Sciences and Health. He will be responsible for business development and revenue growth, with a predominant focus on white graphene.

Chief Operating Officer Marc Fenton commented:

"I am delighted to welcome Lieuwke to the team and I believe his skills will strongly complement those of Phil Chataigneau, our recent Chief Commercial Officer hire in the Americas. Our positive scientific results in respect of gelcoat and polymer and resin coatings in March and August 2022 led to significant market interest in white graphene and, as I outlined at the recent AGM, a focus on commercial outcomes is a key priority. I also expect that an expansion of our geographical reach will remain a significant focus area."

Chairman Robin Levison added:

"WGL's capital raise in November 2022 has provided a strong platform for the next stage of expansion and development, namely commercialisation of the technology with targeted customers. I am delighted to welcome Lieuwke to PPK Group and I look forward to the contribution he will make across our nanomaterial investee companies."

This announcement has been made and authorised by the Board.

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