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Developing a portfolio of Energy Transition Metals

Leading the Development of a Multi-Generational Rare Earths Province in Australia Securing Australia's Energy Transition Metals for a Sustainable Future

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AR3: Leading the Development of a Multi-Generational clay hosted Rare Earths Province in Australia

01

Significant Resource & Exploration Upside: Large, rare earth resource at Koppamurra with significant exploration target for expansion (186Mt @ 712ppm TREO with target of 340Mt to 3.1Bt).¹

02

Magnet Rare Earth Recoveries: High recoveries for critical magnet rare earths Nd, Pr, Dy & Tb during testwork.

03 **Sustainable Development**: Evaluating heap leaching for enhanced environmental credentials (reduced water consumption & energy use, rapid & progressive land rehabilitation, lower capex & opex).

04

Diversified Energy Transition Metals Portfolio: Expansion into other energy transition metals via uranium exploration, with the option to acquire the highly prospective Overland Project in South Australia.

05

Growth Focused Strategy: Diversified exploration projects across South Australia and Queensland with significant exploration upside and blue-sky potential.

¹ The potential quantity and grade of the Exploration Target is conceptual in nature. Further exploration is required to estimate a Mineral Resource and it is uncertain if further exploration will result in the estimation of a Mineral Resource



Team & Corporate Snapshot

Experienced team, strong backing and well-funded



20 years experience as a mergers and acquisitions and capital markets adviser, working with global investment banks in

Angus Barker

Chairman

Independent Non-Executive

- Hong Kong, Australia and the United Kingdom.B.Com (Hons), University of Melbourne
- M.Phil, University of Cambridge Graduate
- Member of Australian Institute of Company Director
- Trusted adviser to corporations and governments for decades.
- Current NED of WAM Capital.



Bryn Jones

Non-Executive Director

Co-Founder of AR3

Skilled in process and technology development, specialising in uranium.

- MD entX Ltd, NED Boss Energy, NED DevEx Resources
- Previous roles with Laramide Resources, SO4 and Uranium Equities



Pauline Carr Independent Non-Executive Director

Experienced company director in compliance, governance and risk over 30 years in resources sector.

- Chancellor of UniSA,
- Chancellor Transition Council, new Adelaide
 University
- Chair of National Pharmacies
- NED Highfield Resources
- Previous roles with Normandy Mining and Newmont



Over 20 years' experience with both Australian and internationally listed resource companies. Broad range of strategic, commercial, finance and business development experience, particularly in exploration and growth projects.

 Previous roles with OZ Minerals, Ensign Energy Services and ExxonMobil Australia





Shares on issue

155.9m

Market capitalisation \$18.7m

^{Cash} \$10.1m

31 Dec 2023

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Diversified Energy Transition Project Portfolio

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Koppamurra REE Development Project:

- 100% ownership spanning 7600km²
- Located ~300km SE of Adelaide, in southern Australia and Victoria
- Substantial JORC Resource of 186Mt at 712ppm TREO
- Significant Exploration Target range 340Mt to 3.1Bt

Overland Uranium Project:

- 1,981km² prospective tenure in new potential uranium province
- Located in South Australia, ~220km south of Honeymoon Mine

North Queensland REE Projects:

- Dalrymple Project ~1200km² of prospective tenure
- Kennedy Province ~1100km² of tenure includes the Massie Creek, Oaky Valley, Sandy Tate and Forty Mile Scrub prospects



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Koppamurra Rare Earths Province

Leading the Development of a Multi-Generational clay hosted Rare Earths Province in Australia



Koppamurra project area, SA and Victoria

Koppamurra: Australia's most advanced ionic clay-hosted Rare Earths project

Multi-generational Rare Earth Province Potential

- **100%-owned** clay-hosted critical rare earths deposit located ~300km SE of Adelaide, in southern Australia
- **Multi-generational province**: one of the largest and most advanced ionic clay-hosted rare earths provinces in Australia spanning 7,600km²
- Total Mineral Resource Estimate (MRE): of 186Mt with an average TREO grade of 712ppm
- **Resource Growth Potential**: Exploration Target of up to 3.1Bt
- Cost Advantage: Favourable capex comparisons and low technical risk for clay-hosted projects





Koppamurra Mineral Resource and Exploration Target

Demonstrating Province Potential with Increased Mineral Resource

- Mineral Resource Estimate **increased 84%** to 186 Mt at 712 TREO in Sep'23
- Contains all four key REEs including the strategically important heavy rare earths Dysprosium & Terbium
- Total of ~65,000 metres drilled since 2021





Progressive Heap Leach Development Pathway at Koppamurra

Initially targeting High-grade subset of Mineral Resource

Location of the bulk samples for the column test work.

- High recoveries for Magnet Rare Earths up to 72% (ranging from 42% to 72%) via recent column leach testwork¹
- Lower capital & operating costs compared to tank leach alternative
- Easy expansion and scalability across the province
- Validates potential **development pathway**
- **\$771k government funding** received for metallurgical testwork
- Non-binding MOU with NEO Performance Materials for an Offtake Agreement

 1 Using 0.3M magnesium sulfate with $\rm H_2SO_4$ added to achieve a target pH or acid addition

Sustainable Development Pathway for High-Grade Rare Earth Clays

Heap Leaching: A Scalable, Efficient & Sustainable Solution for Koppamurra

- Scalable, efficient REE production pathway with staged satellite developments
- Improved environmental sustainability characteristics:
 - Less water & energy usage
 - Enables rapid, progressive land rehabilitation

KOPPAMURRA CONCEPTUAL PROJECT FLOW SHEET

A SIMPLE PROCESS WITH LOW TECHNICAL RISKS AND IS ENVIRONMENTALLY SUSTAINABLE

Mine Design Incorporating Progressive Land Rehabilitation

Successful Trial Mining and Rehabilitation Program

April 2022

September 2022

September 2023

Koppamurra Next Steps

01

Flowsheet optimisation including further Heap Leach testwork

02

Finalise baseline environment baseline studies and progress work to support initial Mine Lease Application

03

Exploration Target and Resource updates based on recent drilling due in **H2'24**

04 Rapid exploration

assessment of recently granted southern tenements

05

Continue to build strong stakeholder engagement

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Uranium Portfolio

Overland Uranium Project: Untapped Uranium Exploration Potential

AR3 Strengthens Energy Transition Metals Focus with Overland Acquisition

- Leverages AR3's in-house expertise in uranium exploration and development
- Positions AR3 for a **diversified portfolio of energy transition metals**
- Capability and capacity to advance uranium exploration alongside REE development

Overland Project:

- **1,981km²** of tenure prospective for **uranium**
- Located in South Australia, ~220km south of Honeymoon Mine
- Targeting paleochannel sediments in highly prospective new uranium province
- Targets Renmark Group sediments, similar to successful Lake Eyre Basin
- **Option** to acquire 100% of project upon granting of exploration license

Next Steps:

• Preparation of exploration PEPR; compilation/interpretation of geological and geophysical data; planning for geophysical surveys

AR3's Overland Project location map

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North Queensland Portfolio

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Creating a Rare Earth Exploration Portfolio

We've built a team to identify and rapidly evaluate ionic clay rare earths prospects

Dalrymple location, North Queensland

Dalrymple Project

- ~1200km² of exploration tenure once all applications are granted
- Highly accessible ground near existing road and rail infrastructure
- Regional exploration by others in the sector has identified clay hosted rare earth mineral intersections of significance with positive metallurgical recoveries

Next Steps

Follow-up sampling and metallurgical test work

Diversified Rare Earth Exploration portfolio

Kennedy Province

- Four exploration prospects in emerging highly prospective ionic clay hosted rare earths region
- ~1100km² of exploration tenure once all applications are granted
- Regional exploration by others in the sector has identified clay hosted rare earth mineral intersections of significance with positive metallurgical recoveries

Next steps

• Once Exploration Licence applications are granted, commence rapid, on-ground, exploration assessment

Prospect locations in Kennedy Province, North Queensland

Summary: Developing a Portfolio of Energy Transition Metals

AR3: A Leading Multi-generational Rare Earth Developer with Expansion into Uranium Exploration

Koppamurra REE Development Project:

- Large Mineral Resource, developing a multi-generational rare earth Province
- Scalable, efficient and sustainable development pathway
- Leading the development of clay hosted rare earths in Australia

Overland Uranium Project:

- Leverages in-house expertise to position AR3 with a diversified portfolio of energy transition metals projects
- Large ground holding in a frontier highly prospective uranium exploration province

Growth focused strategy:

- Pathway to be Australia's first ionic clay hosted rare earths mine
- Diversified exploration projects across South Australia and Queensland
- Blue-sky potential at the Overland project with frontier uranium exploration

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