

SOUTHERN CROSS GOLD LTD ACN 652 166 795

Notice of Annual General Meeting

Explanatory Statement and Proxy Form

Date of Meeting: Friday, 21 October 2022

Time of Meeting: 11.00AM (AEDT)

Place of Meeting:
William Buck
Level 20
181 William Street
Melbourne Victoria 3000

SOUTHERN CROSS GOLD LTD

ACN 652 166 795
Registered office: Level 21, 459 Collins Street, Melbourne Victoria 3000

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of shareholders of Southern Cross Gold Ltd (the "Company") will be at William Buck, Level 20, 181 William Street, Victoria, 3000 at 11.00am (AEDT) on Friday, 21 October 2022 ("General Meeting" or "Meeting").

AGENDA

The Explanatory Statement and proxy form which accompany and form part of this Notice, include defined terms and describe in more detail the matters to be considered. Please consider this Notice, the Explanatory Statement and the proxy form in their entirety.

ORDINARY BUSINESS

Receipt and consideration of Accounts & Reports

To receive and consider the financial report of the Company and the related reports of the Directors (including the Remuneration Report) and auditors for the year ended 31 May 2022.

Note: Except for as set out in Resolution 1, there is no requirement for shareholders to approve these reports. Accordingly no resolution will be put to shareholders on this item of business.

Resolution 1: Adoption of Remuneration Report

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That for the purpose of Section 250R(2) of the Corporations Act and for all other purposes, the Remuneration Report (included in the Directors' Report) for the financial year ended 31 May 2022 be adopted."

Resolution 2: Election of a Director of the Company - Michael Hudson

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That, for the purposes of the Company's constitution and for all other purposes, Mr Michael Hudson who was appointed a Director on 21 July 2021, retires in accordance with clause 57(1) of the Constitution of the Company and, being eligible and offering himself for election, be elected as a Director."

Resolution 3: Election of a Director of the Company - Thomas Eadie

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That, for the purposes of the Company's constitution and for all other purposes, Mr Thomas Eadie who was appointed a Director on 11 February 2022, retires in accordance with clause 57(1) of the Constitution of the Company and, being eligible and offering himself for election, be elected as a Director."

Resolution 4: Election of a Director of the Company - Georgina Carnegie

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That, for the purposes of the Company's constitution and for all other purposes, Ms Georgina Carnegie who was appointed a Director on 11 February 2022, retires in accordance with clause 57(1) of the Constitution of the Company and, being eligible and offering herself for election, be elected as a Director."

Resolution 5: Election of a Director of the Company - David Henstridge

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That, for the purposes of the Company's constitution and for all other purposes, Mr David Henstridge who was appointed a Director on 11 February 2022, retires in accordance with clause 57(1) of the Constitution of the Company and, being eligible and offering himself for election, be elected as a Director."

Resolution 6: Appointment of Auditor at First Annual General Meeting

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That, for the purposes of section 327B(1) of the Corporations Act and for all other purposes, William Buck Audit (Vic) Pty Ltd, having been nominated by a Shareholder and having consented in writing to act in the capacity of the auditor, be appointed as auditor of the Company with effect from the end of the Meeting and to holder office from conclusion of the Meeting until it resigns or is removed from office as auditor of the Company."

SPECIAL BUSINESS

Resolution 7: Approval of 10% Placement Facility

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as a special resolution:

"'That, for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.1A and for all other purposes, Shareholders approve the issue of Equity Securities up to 10% of the issued capital of the Company (at the time of issue) calculated in accordance with the formula prescribed for in Listing Rule 7.1A.2 and on the terms and conditions in the Explanatory Statement which accompanied and formed part of this Notice."

By order of the Board

Justin Mouchacca Company Secretary

Dated: 19 September 2022

Notes

- 1. **Entire Notice:** The details of the Resolutions contained in the Explanatory Statement accompanying this Notice of Meeting should be read together with, and form part of, this Notice of Meeting.
- 2. Record Date: The Company has determined that for the purposes of the Annual General Meeting, Shares will be taken to be held by the persons who are registered as holding the shares at 7.00pm (AEDT) on the date 48 hours before the date of the General Meeting. Only those persons will be entitled to vote at the General Meeting and transfers registered after that time will be disregarded in determining entitlements to attend and vote at the General Meeting.

3. Proxies

All voting will be conducted by poll. Please refer to the accompanying access letter sent to Shareholders for further details on how to cast your vote during the meeting.

The Directors instruct all Shareholders who would like to appoint a proxy to lodge a proxy form prior to Wednesday, 19 October 2022 at 11:00am (AEDT) (**Proxy Cut-Off Time**). Please refer to the accompanying proxy form for further details on how to appoint a proxy.

Shareholders are strongly urged to appoint the Chair as their proxy. Shareholders can complete the Proxy Form to provide specific instructions on how a Shareholder's vote is to be cast on each item of business, and the Chair must follow your instructions. Lodgement instructions (which include the ability to lodge proxies online) are set out in the Proxy Form attached to the Notice. If a person other than the Chair is appointed as proxy, the proxy will revert to the Chair in the absence of the appointed proxy holder's attendance at the Meeting.

4. Corporate Representative

Any corporate shareholder who has appointed a person to act as its corporate representative at the Meeting should provide that person with a certificate or letter executed in accordance with the Corporations Act authorising him or her to act as that company's representative. The authority may be sent to the Company and/or registry in advance of the Meeting or handed in at the Meeting when registering as a corporate representative.

5. How the Chairman will vote undirected proxies

Subject to the restrictions set out below, the Chairman of the Meeting intends to vote all undirected proxies on, and in favour of, all of the proposed Resolutions.

If the Chair is appointed as your proxy and you have not specified the way the Chair is to vote on any of the Resolutions by signing and returning the Proxy Form, you are considered to have provided the Chair with an express authorisation for the Chair to vote the proxy in accordance with the Chair's intention, even if the Resolution is connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of a member of the Key Management Personnel of the Company.

6. Voting Exclusion Statement:

Pursuant to the Listing Rules, the Company will disregard any votes cast in favour of **Resolution 7**, If at the time of the Meeting the Company is proposing to make an issue of Equity Securities under rule 7.1A.2, by or on behalf of any persons who are expected to participate in, or who will obtain a material benefit as a result of, the proposed issue (except a benefit solely by reason of being a Shareholder), or any associate of those persons.

The above voting exclusions do not apply to a vote cast in favour of Resolution 7 by:

- (a) a person as proxy or attorney for a person who is entitled to vote, in accordance with directions given to the proxy or attorney to vote on the Resolution in that way; or
- (b) the Chair as proxy or attorney for a person who is entitled to vote, in accordance with a direction given to the Chair to vote on the Resolution as the Chair decides; or
- (c) a holder acting solely in a nominee, trustee, custodial or other fiduciary capacity on behalf of a beneficiary provided the following conditions are met:
 - o the beneficiary provides written confirmation to the holder that the beneficiary is not excluded from voting, and is not an associate of a person excluded from voting, on the Resolution; and
 - o the holder votes on the Resolution in accordance with directions given by the beneficiary to the holder to vote in that way.

7. Voting Prohibition:

Resolution 1

In accordance with sections 250BD and 250R of the Corporations Act, a vote on Resolution 1 must not be cast (in any capacity) by or on behalf of a member of the Key Management Personnel details of whose remuneration are included in the Remuneration Report, or a Closely Related Party of such a member of the Key Management Personnel.

A vote may be cast as proxy by such person if the vote is not cast on behalf of a person who is excluded from voting on this Resolution, and:

- (a) the person is appointed as a proxy by writing that specifies the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution; or
- (b) the voter is the Chair and the appointment of the Chair as proxy does not specify the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution, but expressly authorises the Chair to exercise the proxy even if this Resolution is connected with the remuneration of a member of the Key Management Personnel.

8. Enquiries

Shareholders are invited to contact the Company Secretary, Justin Mouchacca on (03) 8360 3321 if they have any queries in respect of the matters set out in these documents.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Receipt and Consideration of Accounts & Reports

A copy of the Annual Report for the financial year ending 31 May 2022 (which incorporates the Company's financial report, reports of the Directors (including the Remuneration Report) and the auditors) is not enclosed as there is no requirement for the Company to incur the printing and distribution costs associated with doing so for all shareholders. You may obtain a copy free of charge in hard copy form by contacting the Company Secretary at im@southerncrossgold.com.au, and you may request that this occurs on a standing basis for future years.

Alternatively, you may access the Annual Report at the Company's website: https://www.southerncrossgold.com.au/or via the Company's announcement platform on ASX. Except as set out in Resolution 1, no resolution is required on these reports.

Resolution 1: Adoption of Remuneration Report

Background

Section 250R(2) of the Corporations Act 2001 requires that a resolution to adopt the Remuneration Report must be put to the vote at the Meeting. The vote on this Resolution is advisory only and does not bind the Directors or the Company.

The Remuneration Report is set out in the Directors' Report in the Company's 2022 Annual Report. The Remuneration Report sets out the Company's remuneration arrangements for the Directors and senior management of the Company.

In accordance with Section 250SA of the Corporations Act 2001, Shareholders will be provided with a reasonable opportunity to ask questions concerning, or make comments on, the Remuneration Report at the Meeting.

The Corporations Act requires the Company to put a resolution to Shareholders that the In accordance with Division 9 of Part 2G.2 of the Corporations Act 2001, if twenty five (25%) percent or more of votes that are cast are voted against the adoption of the Remuneration Report at two consecutive Annual General Meetings, Shareholders will be required to vote at the second of those Annual General Meetings on a resolution (a "spill resolution") that another meeting be held within 90 days at which all of the Company's Directors (other than the Managing Director) must go up for re-election.

The Company was incorporated on 21 July 2021 and has not previously held an Annual General Meeting, therefore a spill resolution will not under any circumstances be required for the Meeting.

The Directors will consider the outcome of the vote and comments made by Shareholders on the Remuneration Report at the Meeting when reviewing the Company's remuneration policies.

Board Recommendation

Given the material personal interests of all Directors in this Resolution, the Board makes no recommendation to Shareholders regarding this Resolution.

Resolutions 2 to 5: Election of Directors of the Company

Background

The Constitution of the Company requires that any Director appointed by the Board in addition to the existing Directors or to fill a casual vacancy holds office until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting and may stand for election. Listing Rule 14.4 also provide that a Director appointed to fill a casual vacancy or as an addition to the board must not hold office past the next Annual General Meeting.

Mr Michael Hudson having been appointed as a Director on 21 July 2021 and Ms Georgina Carnegie and Mr David Henstridge and Mr Thomas Eadie, having been appointed as additional Directors on 11 February 2022, retire and offer themselves for election. The relevant professional experience and skills of each is provided below.

Mr Michael Hudson

Mr Hudson is a professional geologist, explorationist and entrepreneur with over 30 years' experience in exploration, project development and management in Australia and internationally.

Mr Hudson commenced his career underground for three years in Broken Hill in 1990 with Pasminco Ltd. He has managed and developed exploration to pre-feasibility projects in Pakistan, Australia, Peru, Argentina, Mexico, Finland, Spain, Portugal and Sweden for major and junior mining companies. He was an integral team member for the discovery of the Portia gold mine in the Olary district of South Australia, the Duddar Pb-Zn mine in Pakistan, the Norra Karr REE deposit in Sweden, the San Martin Cu-Ag discovery in Peru and the Rompas-Rajapalot gold-cobalt deposit in Finland.

He is the co-founder and a director of Mawson Gold Ltd (TSX:MAW) and Hannan Metals Ltd (TSXV:HAN) and a director of Sixty Six Capital Inc. (CVE:SIX).

He is a Fellow of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and Member of both the Society for Economic Geologists and Australian Institute of Geoscientists.

Mr Thomas Eadie

Mr Eadie has over 40 years' experience as an explorer and geologist in the resources industry. Mr Eadie is the former Executive Chairman of Copper Strike, founding Chairman of Syrah Resources and previously Executive General Manager - Exploration and Technology at Pasminco.

Mr Eadie is a past board member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and the Australian Mineral Industry Research Association and is a current board member of Alderan Resources Ltd.

Ms Georgina Carnegie

Ms Carnegie is an economist and international business consultant with extensive board experience in the corporate, government and education sectors.

Ms Carnegie has over forty years' experience in international research and advisory work, particularly in Asia where she co-owned Market Intelligence (Asia), a Singapore based strategic research firm. Her early career involved senior positions in the Australian government and life insurance sectors. She recently spent more than a decade as Senior Advisor to the Chairman of a natural resources focused private equity firm.

Ms Carnegie is currently a director of Hannan Metals Ltd (TSXV:HAN), a member of the Vice Chancellor's Industry & Business Advisory Board, University of Newcastle and member of the Australia Japan Business Cooperation Committee (AJBCC).

Ms Carnegie has a B Economics (Monash) and an MPA (Kennedy School of Government, Harvard).

Mr David Henstridge

Mr Henstridge is a self-employed professional geologist with 50 years' experience in the mining industry including 30 years managing public-listed companies. Mr. Henstridge has been associated with many mineral discoveries worldwide including in Australia, Peru and Finland.

Moving into the Canadian capital markets in 1993, he has been associated with companies raising more than \$200 million for exploration and project development, been a co-founder of five capital pool companies listed on the Toronto Venture Exchange, all succeeding with qualifying transactions in the exploration industry and the reconstruction and re-listing of several more defunct companies.

Mr. Henstridge is currently a director and member of various audit, compensation, corporate governance and nominating committees of other public-listed mineral exploration companies in Canada.

Mr. Henstridge holds a Bachelor of Science (Honours) degree from the University of Adelaide in Australia. He holds professional designations from each of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, the Australian Institute of Geoscientists and the Geological Society of Australia.

Board Recommendation

Regarding Resolution 2, the Board (with Mr Hudson abstaining from voting), recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of the re-election of Mr Hudson. The Chairperson of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of Mr Hudson's election.

Regarding Resolution 3, the Board (with Mr Eadie abstaining from voting), recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of the re-election of Mr Eadie. The Chairperson of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of Mr Eadie's election.

Regarding Resolution 4, the Board (with Ms Carnegie abstaining from voting), recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of the re-election of Ms Carnegie. The Chairperson of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of Ms Carnegie's election.

Regarding Resolution 5, the Board (with Mr Henstridge abstaining from voting), recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of the re-election of Mr Henstridge. The Chairperson of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of Mr Henstridge's election.

Resolution 6: Appointment of Auditor at First Annual General Meeting

Background

On 22 January 2022, the Board appointed William Buck Audit (Vic) Pty Ltd (**William Buck**) as auditor of the Company in accordance with section 327A(1) of the Corporations Act. Under section 327A(2) of the Corporations Act, William Buck holds office until the Company's first annual general meeting, being the Meeting.

William Buck has given its consent to act as external auditor of the Company.

Under section 327B of the Corporations Act, the Company must appoint an auditor at its first annual general meeting. Accordingly, the Company seeks shareholder approval for the appointment of William Buck as the Company's auditor pursuant to this Resolution 6.

In accordance with section 328B(1) of the Corporations Act, notice in writing nominating William Buck as the Company's auditor has been given to the Company by a Shareholder. A copy of this nomination is attached to this Notice at Appendix A. The Company also confirms that all persons to whom the nomination must be given have been notified in accordance with Section 328B(3) of the Corporations Act.

William Buck has provided to the Company, and has not withdrawn, its written consent to act as the Company's auditor in accordance with section 328A(1) of the Corporations Act.

Board Recommendation

The Board believes that Resolution 6 is in the best interests of the Company and unanimously recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of this Resolution. The Chairperson of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of this Resolution.

Resolution 7: Approval of 10% Placement Facility

Background

Listing Rule 7.1A enables eligible entities to issue Equity Securities up to 10% of its issued share capital through placements over a 12 month period after the Annual General Meeting ("10% Placement Facility"). The 10% Placement Facility is in addition to the Company's 15% placement capacity under Listing Rule 7.1.

An eligible entity for the purposes of Listing Rule 7.1A is an entity that is not included in the S&P/ASX 300 Index and has a market capitalisation of \$300 million or less. The Company is an eligible entity.

The Company is now seeking shareholder approval by way of a special resolution to have the ability to issue Equity Securities under the 10% Placement Facility. The Company has not previously obtained shareholder approval for the 10% placement facility as it was incorporated on 21 July 2021 and first admitted to the Official List of the ASX on 12 May 2022.

If shareholders approve Resolution 7 then the Company will be able to issue Equity Securities under the 10% Placement Facility for the 10% Placement Period (defined below). If shareholders do not approve Resolution 6 then the Company will not be able to issue Equity Securities under the 10% Placement Facility for which approval is sought at the Meeting.

The exact number of Equity Securities to be issued under the 10% Placement Facility will be determined in accordance with the formula prescribed in Listing Rule 7.1A.2 (see below).

The Company continues actively seeking to develop and enhance the value of its projects. Should the Company utilise the 10% Placement Facility, it anticipates using the funds to either accelerate the work on its current projects, acquire new assets, or to meet additional working capital requirements.

Description of Listing Rule 7.1A

(a) Shareholder approval

The ability to issue Equity Securities under the 10% Placement Facility is subject to shareholder approval by way of a special resolution at an Annual General Meeting. This means it requires approval of 75% of the votes cast by shareholders present and eligible to vote (in person, by proxy, by attorney or, in the case of a corporate shareholder, by a corporate representative).

(b) Equity Securities

Any Equity Securities issued under the 10% Placement Facility must be in the same class as an existing quoted class of Equity Securities of the Company.

The Company, as at the date of the Notice, has one class of quoted securities on issue, being Fully Paid Ordinary Shares.

(c) Formula for calculating 10% Placement Facility

Listing Rule 7.1A.2 provides that eligible entities which have obtained shareholder approval at an Annual General Meeting may issue or agree to issue, during the 12 month period after the date of the Annual General Meeting, a number of Equity Securities calculated in accordance with the following formula:

(A x D)-E

- A is the number of shares on issue at the commencement of the "relevant period" (which, for the Company, is the 12-month period immediately preceding the date of the issue or agreement):
 - (A) plus the number of fully paid shares issued in the relevant period under an exception in Listing Rule 7.2, other than exception 9, 16 or 17;
 - (B) plus the number of fully paid shares issued in the relevant period on the conversion of convertible securities within rule 7.2 exception 9 where:
 - (i) the convertible securities were issued or agreed to be issued before the commencement of the relevant period; or
 - (ii) the issue of, or agreement to issue, the convertible securities was approved, or taken under the Listing Rules to have been approved, under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4;
 - (C) plus the number of fully paid shares issued in the relevant period under an agreement to issue securities within rule 7.2 exception 16 where:
 - (i) the agreement was entered into before the commencement of the relevant period; or
 - (ii) the agreement or issue was approved, or taken under the Listing Rules to have been approved, under rule 7.1 or rule 7.4;
 - (D) plus the number of any other fully paid shares issued in the relevant period with approval of holders of shares under Listing Rules 7.1 or 7.4;
 - (E) plus the number of partly paid shares that became fully paid in the relevant period;
 - (F) less the number of fully paid shares cancelled in the relevant period.

Note that A has the same meaning in Listing Rule 7.1 when calculating an entity's 15% placement capacity.

- **D** is 10%
- **E** is the number of Equity Securities issued or agreed to be issued under Listing Rule 7.1A.2 in:
 - (i) if the Company has been admitted to the official list for 12 months or more (being 12 May 2023 or later), the 12 month period immediately preceding the date of the issue or agreement; or

(ii) if the Company has been admitted to the official list for less than 12 months (being before 12 May 2023), the period from 12 May 2022 to the date immediately preceding the date of the issue or agreement,

where the issue or agreement to issue has not been subsequently approved by the Shareholders under Listing Rule 7.4.

(d) Listing Rule 7.1 and Listing Rule 7.1A

The ability of an entity to issue Equity Securities under Listing Rule 7.1A is in addition to the entity's 15% placement capacity under Listing Rule 7.1.

The actual number of Equity Securities that the Company will have capacity to issue under Listing Rule 7.1A will be calculated at the date of issue of the Equity Securities in accordance with the formula prescribed in Listing Rule 7.1A.2

(e) Nature and Consideration for issue and Minimum Issue Price

The Equity Securities issued under Listing Rule 7.1A must be issued for a cash consideration per security which must be not less than 75% of the VWAP of Equity Securities in the same class calculated over the 15 trading days on which trades in that class were recorded immediately before:

- (i) the date on which the price at which the Equity Securities are to be issued is agreed by the Company and the recipient of the relevant Equity Securities; or
- (ii) if the Equity Securities are not issued within 10 trading days of the date in paragraph (i) above, the date on which the Equity Securities are issued.

(f) 10% Placement Period

Shareholder approval of the 10% Placement Facility under Listing Rule 7.1A is valid from the date of the Annual General Meeting at which the approval is obtained and expires on the earlier to occur of:

- (i) the date that is 12 months after the date of the Annual General Meeting at which the approval is obtained:
- (ii) the time and date of the Company's next annual general meeting after the Annual General meeting at which the approval is obtained;
- (iii) the time and date of the approval by shareholders of a transaction under Listing Rules 11.1.2 (a significant change to the nature or scale of activities) or 11.2 (disposal of main undertaking).

(10% Placement Period).

Specific information required by Listing Rule 7.3A

Pursuant to and in accordance with Listing Rule 7.3A, information is provided in relation to the approval of the 10% Placement Facility as follows:

- (a) The period for which the Shareholder approval of the 10% Placement Facility under Listing Rule 7.1A commences on the date of the Annual General Meeting at which the approval is obtained, being 21 October 2022, and expires on the first to occur of the following:
 - (i) the date that is 12 months after the date of the Annual General Meeting at which the approval is obtained, being 21 October 2023 if shareholders approve Resolution 7;
 - (ii) the time and date of the Company's next annual general meeting after the Annual General meeting at which the approval is obtained;
 - (iii) the time and date of the approval by shareholders of a transaction under Listing Rules 11.1.2 (a significant change to the nature or scale of activities) or 11.2 (disposal of main undertaking).
- (b) The Equity Securities will be issued at an issue price of not less than 75% of the VWAP for the Company's Equity Securities in the same class calculated over the 15 trading days on which trades in that class were recorded immediately before:
 - (i) the date on which the price at which the Equity Securities are to be issued is agreed by the Company and the recipient of the relevant Equity Securities; or
 - (ii) if the Equity Securities are not issued within 10 trading days of the date in paragraph (i) above, the date on which the Equity Securities are issued.

- (c) The purposes for which the funds raised by an issue of Equity Securities under rule 7.1A.2 (for cash consideration only) may be used by the Company include:
 - (i) consideration for the acquisition(s) of the new assets and investments, including the expenses associated with such acquisition(s) (provided the Equity Securities are issued for cash); and
 - (ii) continued expenditure on the Company's current business and/or general working capital.
- (d) If this resolution is approved by Shareholders and the Company issues Equity Securities under the 10% Placement Facility, the existing Shareholders' voting power in the Company will be diluted as shown in the below table. Shareholders may also be exposed to economic risk and voting dilution, including the following:
 - (i) the market price for the Company's Equity Securities may be significantly lower on the date of the issue of the Equity Securities than on the date of the Annual General Meeting; and
 - (ii) the Equity Securities may be issued at a price that is at a discount to the market price for the Company's Equity Securities on the issue date.

which may have an effect on the amount of funds raised by the issue of the Equity Securities.

The below table shows the dilution of existing Shareholders on the basis of the market price of Shares as at close of trade on 15 September 2022 (Current Share Price) and the current number of ordinary securities for variable "A" calculated in accordance with the formula in Listing Rule 7.1A(2) as at the date of this Notice.

The table also shows:

- two examples where variable "A" has increased, by 50% and 100%. Variable "A" is based on the number of ordinary securities the Company has on issue. The number of ordinary securities on issue may increase as a result of issues of ordinary securities that do not require Shareholder approval (for example, a pro rata entitlements issue or scrip issued under a takeover offer) or future specific placements under Listing Rule 7.1 that are approved at a future Shareholders' meeting; and
- two examples of where the issue price of ordinary securities has decreased by 50% and increased by 100% as against the current market price.

		Issue Price		
Variable 'A' in Listing Rule 7.1A.2		\$0.17 50% decrease in Current Share Price	\$0.34 Current Share Price	\$0.68 100% increase in Current Share Price
Current Variable A 156,247,750 Shares	10% Voting Dilution	15,624,775 Shares		
	Funds raised	\$2,656,212	\$5,312,424	\$10,624,847
50% increase in current Variable A 234,371,625 Shares	10% Voting Dilution		23,437,162 Shares	ı
	Funds raised	\$3,984,318	\$7,968,635	\$15,937,271
100% increase in current Variable A 312,495,500 Shares	10% Voting Dilution	31,249,550 Shares		
	Funds raised	\$5,312,424	\$10,624,847	\$21,249,694

The table has been prepared on the following assumptions:

- The Company issues the maximum number of Equity Securities available under the 10% Placement Facility.
- No Options are exercised into Shares before the date of the issue of the Equity Securities.
- The 10% voting dilution reflects the aggregate percentage dilution against the issued share capital at the time of issue. This is why the voting dilution is shown in each example as 10%.

- The table does not show an example of dilution that may be caused to a particular Shareholder by reason of
 placements under the 10% Placement Facility, based on that Shareholder's holding at the date of the Annual
 General Meeting.
- The table shows only the effect of issues of Equity Securities under Listing Rule 7.1A, not under the 15% placement capacity under Listing Rule 7.1.
- The issue of Equity Securities under the 10% Placement Facility consists only of Shares.
- The Current Share Price is \$0.34 (34 cents), being the closing price of the Shares on ASX on 15 September 2022.
- (e) The Company will comply with the disclosure obligations under Listing Rules 7.1A(4) upon issue of any Equity Securities.

The Company's allocation policy is dependent on the prevailing market conditions at the time of any proposed issue pursuant to the 10% Placement Facility. The identity of the allottees of Equity Securities will be determined on a case-by-case basis having regard to the factors including but not limited to the following:

- (i) the methods of raising funds that are available to the Company, including but not limited to, rights issue or other issue in which existing security holders can participate;
- (ii) the effect of the issue of the Equity Securities on the control of the Company;
- (iii) the financial situation and solvency of the Company; and
- (iv) advice from corporate, financial and broking advisers (if applicable).

The allottees under the 10% Placement Facility have not been determined as at the date of this Notice but may include existing substantial Shareholders and/or new Shareholders who are not related parties or associates of a related party of the Company.

Further, if the Company is successful in acquiring new businesses, assets or investments, it is possible that the allottees under the 10% Placement Facility will be the vendors of the new businesses, assets or investments (provided that the Equity Securities are issued for cash consideration).

Equity Issues over the Last 12 Months - Listing Rule 7.3A.6

Due to the forward looking nature of the approval, the allottees under the 10% Placement Facility have not been determined as at the date of the Notice but may include existing shareholders and/or new shareholders who are not related parties or associates of a related party of the Company.

The Company has not previously obtained shareholder approval under ASX Listing Rule 7.1A and accordingly the Company has not previously issued any Equity Securities under ASX Listing Rule 7.1A.

At the date of that Notice, the Company has not approached any particular existing shareholder or security holder or an identifiable class of existing security holder to participate in the issue of any Equity Securities. Accordingly, no existing shareholder's votes will be excluded and there is no voting exclusion for Resolution 7 in the Notice.

Board Recommendation

The Board believes that Resolution 6 is in the best interests of the Company and unanimously recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of this Resolution. The Chairman of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of this Resolution.

GLOSSARY

The following terms have the following meanings in this Explanatory Statement:

- "\$" means Australian Dollars;
- "10% Placement Facility" has the meaning as defined in the Explanatory Statement for Resolution 7;
- "10% Placement Period" has the meaning as defined in the Explanatory Statement for Resolution 7;
- "Annual Report" means the Directors' Report, the Financial Report, and Auditor's Report, in respect to the period from incorporation to 31 May 2022;
- "ASX" means ASX Limited ABN 98 008 624 691 or the Australian Securities Exchange, as the context requires;
- "ASX Settlement Operating Rules" means the rules of ASX Settlement Pty Ltd which apply while the Company is an issuer of CHESS approved securities;
- "Auditor's Report" means the auditor's report on the Financial Report;
- "AEDT" means Australian Eastern Daylight Savings Time.
- "Board" means the Directors acting as the board of Directors of the Company or a committee appointed by such board of Directors:
- "Chairman" means the person appointed to chair the Meeting of the Company convened by the Notice and Chair shall have a corresponding meaning;
- "CHESS" has the meaning in Section 2 of the ASX Settlement Operating Rules;
- "Closely Related Party" means:
 - (a) a spouse or child of the member; or
 - (b) has the meaning given in section 9 of the Corporations Act.
- "Company" means Southern Cross Gold Ltd ABN 70 652 166 795;
- "Constitution" means the constitution of the Company as at the date of the Meeting;
- "Convertible Security" means a security of the Company which is convertible into shares;
- "Corporations Act" means the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth);
- "Director" means a Director of the Company;
- "Directors Report" means the annual directors' report prepared under Chapter 2M of the Corporations Act for the Company and its controlled entities;
- "Equity Security" has the same meaning as in the Listing Rules;
- "Explanatory Statement" means the explanatory statement which forms part of the Notice;
- "Financial Report" means the annual financial report prepared under Chapter 2M of the Corporations Act for the Company and its controlled entities;
- "**Key Management Personnel**" means persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company, directly or indirectly, including any Director (whether executive or otherwise) of the Company;
- "Listing Rules" means the Listing Rules of the ASX;
- "Meeting" has the meaning given in the introductory paragraph of the Notice;
- "Notice" means this Notice of Meeting including the Explanatory Statement:
- "Proxy Form" means the proxy form attached to the Notice;
- "Remuneration Report" means the remuneration report which forms part of the Directors' Report of Southern Cross Gold Ltd for the financial year ended 31 May 2022 and which is set out in the 2022 Annual Report.
- "Resolution" means a resolution referred to in the Notice;
- "Section" means a section of the Explanatory Statement:
- "Share" means a fully paid ordinary share in the capital of the Company;
- "Shareholder" means shareholder of the Company;
- "Trading Day" means a day determined by ASX to be a trading day in accordance with the Listing Rules; and
- "VWAP" means volume weighted average price.

ANNEXURE A

NOMINATION OF AUDITOR

28 July 2022

The Directors Southern Cross Gold Ltd Level 21, 459 Collins Street Melbourne VIC 3000

Dear Sirs and Madam,

NOMINATION OF AUDITOR

We, Mouch Pty Ltd <Mouch Family A/C>, as a member of Southern Cross Gold Ltd, nominate William Buck Audit (Vic) Pty Ltd in accordance with section 328B(1) of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth), to be appointed as the auditor of the Company.

Yours faithfully,

Justin Mouchacca

Director



Southern Cross Gold Ltd ABN 70 652 166 795

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Need assistance?



Phone:

1300 850 505 (within Australia) +61 3 9415 4000 (outside Australia)



Online:

www.investorcentre.com/contact



YOUR VOTE IS IMPORTANT

For your proxy appointment to be effective it must be received by 11:00am (AEDT) Wednesday, 19 October 2022.

Proxy Form

How to Vote on Items of Business

All your securities will be voted in accordance with your directions.

APPOINTMENT OF PROXY

Voting 100% of your holding: Direct your proxy how to vote by marking one of the boxes opposite each item of business. If you do not mark a box your proxy may vote or abstain as they choose (to the extent permitted by law). If you mark more than one box on an item your vote will be invalid on that item.

Voting a portion of your holding: Indicate a portion of your voting rights by inserting the percentage or number of securities you wish to vote in the For, Against or Abstain box or boxes. The sum of the votes cast must not exceed your voting entitlement or 100%.

Appointing a second proxy: You are entitled to appoint up to two proxies to attend the meeting and vote on a poll. If you appoint two proxies you must specify the percentage of votes or number of securities for each proxy, otherwise each proxy may exercise half of the votes. When appointing a second proxy write both names and the percentage of votes or number of securities for each in Step 1 overleaf.

A proxy need not be a securityholder of the Company.

SIGNING INSTRUCTIONS FOR POSTAL FORMS

Individual: Where the holding is in one name, the securityholder must sign.

Joint Holding: Where the holding is in more than one name, all of the securityholders should sign.

Power of Attorney: If you have not already lodged the Power of Attorney with the registry, please attach a certified photocopy of the Power of Attorney to this form when you return it.

Companies: Where the company has a Sole Director who is also the Sole Company Secretary, this form must be signed by that person. If the company (pursuant to section 204A of the Corporations Act 2001) does not have a Company Secretary, a Sole Director can also sign alone. Otherwise this form must be signed by a Director jointly with either another Director or a Company Secretary. Please sign in the appropriate place to indicate the office held. Delete titles as applicable.

PARTICIPATING IN THE MEETING

Corporate Representative

If a representative of a corporate securityholder or proxy is to participate in the meeting you will need to provide the appropriate "Appointment of Corporate Representative". A form may be obtained from Computershare or online at www.investorcentre.com/au and select "Printable Forms".

Lodge your Proxy Form:



Online:

Lodge your vote online at www.investorvote.com.au using your secure access information or use your mobile device to scan the personalised QR code.

Your secure access information is



Control Number: 999999 SRN/HIN: 19999999999

PIN: 99999

For Intermediary Online subscribers (custodians) go to www.intermediaryonline.com

By Mail:

Computershare Investor Services Pty Limited GPO Box 242 Melbourne VIC 3001 Australia

By Fax:

1800 783 447 within Australia or +61 3 9473 2555 outside Australia



PLEASE NOTE: For security reasons it is important that you keep your SRN/HIN confidential.

You may elect to receive meeting-related documents, or request a particular one, in electronic or physical form and may elect not to receive annual reports. To do so, contact Computershare.

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Step 1

Change of address. If incorrect,
mark this box and make the
correction in the space to the left.
Securityholders sponsored by a
broker (reference number
commences with 'X') should advis
your broker of any changes.



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Proxy Form

Please mark $\boxed{oldsymbol{X}}$ to indicate your directions

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Appoint a Proxy to Vote on Your Behalf

I/We being a member/s of Southern Cross Gold Ltd hereby appoint

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the Chairman of the Meeting	<u>OR</u>	PLEASE NOTE: Leave this box blank it you have selected the Chairman of the Meeting. Do not insert your own name(s

or failing the individual or body corporate named, or if no individual or body corporate is named, the Chairman of the Meeting, as my/our proxy to act generally at the meeting on my/our behalf and to vote in accordance with the following directions (or if no directions have been given, and to the extent permitted by law, as the proxy sees fit) at the Annual General Meeting of Southern Cross Gold Ltd to be held at William Buck, Level 20, 181 William Street, Melbourne Victoria 3000 on Friday, 21 October 2022 at 11:00am (AEDT) and at any adjournment or postponement of that meeting.

Chairman authorised to exercise undirected proxies on remuneration related resolutions: Where I/we have appointed the Chairman of the Meeting as my/our proxy (or the Chairman becomes my/our proxy by default), I/we expressly authorise the Chairman to exercise my/our proxy on Item 1 (except where I/we have indicated a different voting intention in step 2) even though Item 1 is connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of a member of key management personnel, which includes the Chairman.

Important Note: If the Chairman of the Meeting is (or becomes) your proxy you can direct the Chairman to vote for or against or abstain from voting on Item 1 by marking the appropriate box in step 2.

Step 2

Items of Business

PLEASE NOTE: If you mark the **Abstain** box for an item, you are directing your proxy not to vote on your behalf on a show of hands or a poll and your votes will not be counted in computing the required majority.

		For	Against	Abstain
1	Adoption of Remuneration Report			
2	Election of a Director of the Company – Michael Hudson			
3	Election of a Director of the Company – Thomas Eadie			
4	Election of a Director of the Company – Georgina Carnegie			
5	Election of a Director of the Company – David Henstridge			
6	Appointment of Auditor at First Annual General Meeting			
7	Approval of 10% Placement Facility			

The Chairman of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of each item of business. In exceptional circumstances, the Chairman of the Meeting may change his/her voting intention on any resolution, in which case an ASX announcement will be made.

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Signature of Securityholder(s)

This section must be completed.

Individual or Securityholder 1 Securityholder	2	Securityholder 3	
Sole Director & Sole Company Secretary Director		Director/Company Secretary	Date
Update your communication details (Optional	I)	By providing your email address, you consent to rece	eive future Notice
Mobile Number	Email Address	of Meeting & Proxy communications electronically	





