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### Appointment of Global Sales Executive

- **Suvo appoints experienced Chemistry, Geology and Materials Engineering consultant, Eileen Hao, to manage global sales.**
- **Eileen has 25 years' experience working with manufacturers and end users of industrial minerals throughout Asia, the USA, South America and Europe.**
- **Having worked for the world's largest kaolin producer in a variety of senior management roles, Eileen brings the required experience to assist the securing and further developing of Suvo's global kaolin sales and brand recognition.**
- **Eileen will focus on offtake agreements for the Company's White Cloud kaolin project in Gabbin, Western Australia, and increasing sales at Suvo's recently acquired Pittong hydrous kaolin operations in Victoria.**

Australian kaolin producer and silica sand exploration company, **Suvo Strategic Minerals Limited** ('Suvo or the Company'), is pleased to announce that it has appointed Eileen Hao as General Manager – Global Sales, Marketing and Business Development. Eileen will provide Suvo with exclusive kaolin related expertise and services globally.

Eileen has over 25 years' global technical, commercial and business development experience in industrial minerals having worked for English China Clay International and Imerys in a number of senior roles throughout China and the rest of the world. Eileen has successfully participated and lead a number of projects including acquisitions, greenfield projects and sales and marketing for products covering fillers and pigments, ceramic minerals, performance minerals and refractories.

#### SUVO STRATEGIC MINERALS LIMITED

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Eileen has a M.Sc. Chemistry, Geology and Material Engineering degree and, for the past 12 years, has successfully run her own global industrial minerals consultancy business based in both Perth and China. She has successfully negotiated offtake, joint venture and funding agreements for a number of high profile international and Australian clients.

Eileen's primary objectives at Suvo will be to secure offtake agreements for the Company's 100% owned White Cloud kaolin project located in Gabbin, Western Australia, and to increase sales and customer base for the recently acquired Pittong hydrous kaolin operations located 40km west of Ballarat in Victoria.

Commenting on Eileen's appointment, Suvo's Non-Executive Director, Dr Ian Wilson, said "I am pleased to have the opportunity of working with Eileen again as she was a valuable member of my team during my time at Imerys and English China Clay. She has a strong technical background with a proven track record in increasing market share and sales in a range of industrial minerals, particularly kaolin, leveraging on her professional knowledge and extensive business networks in China, South East Asia, Europe and the rest of the world."

Eileen's engagement with Suvo will commence from 18 January 2021.

This release of this announcement has been approved for release by the Board of Directors.

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Company Profile:

Suvo Strategic Minerals Limited is an Australian hydrous kaolin producer and exploration company listed on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX:SUV) focused on the production and redevelopment of their 100% owned Pittong hydrous kaolin operations located 40km west of the township of Ballarat in Victoria, their 100% owned White Cloud Kaolin Project located in Gabbin in the Central Wheat Belt and their 100% owned Nova Silica Sands Project located in the Gin Gin Scarp near the township of Eneabba, both situated in Western Australia.