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## ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

# Appointment of High Calibre Non-Executive Director and Senior Management

Rumble Resources Limited (ASX: RTR) ("Rumble" or "the Company") is pleased to announce the appointment of highly experienced mining executive, Mr Peter Venn, as a Non-Executive Director of the Company, and the bolstering of its Senior Geological Management team with the appointment of Mr Ben Jones and Mr Luke Timmermans.

# **Appointment of Board Member**

#### Mr Peter Venn - Non-Executive Director

Mr Venn is a geologist with more than 32 years' resources industry experience and achievement. He has established and led highly successful teams and been closely involved in the exploration, acquisition, evaluation, and development of more than 10 mining operations, including Syama, Golden Pride, Obotan in Africa and Ravenswood, Chalice, Higginsville, Marymia and Mertondale in Australia.

His most recent managerial positions have been as Managing Director of Margosa Graphite Limited, an emerging producer of vein graphite in Sri Lanka, and Chief Business Development Officer with Resolute Mining Limited, where his role included supervision of all technical aspects of exploration, resource development, feasibility, and oversight during design/construction/commissioning of a 1.5Mtpa Oxide Processing Facility at the Syama Gold Project in Mali, West Africa.

Rumble Managing Director Shane Sikora said "We are delighted to welcome the high credentialed Peter to the Board, as he brings with him a wide ranging and successful background in project development. His specialist skillset will be invaluable as Rumble completes its scoping level studies and enters the development phase at the Earaheedy Project.

"Mr Venn likewise brings extensive exploration experience in a diverse range of mineral systems including gold, platinum group metals, diamonds, base metals, and strategic minerals in various geological terranes and jurisdictions. This valuable insight will further assist with the direction with our other exciting projects in selected Tier 1 regions."

**Mr Peter Venn said:** "What attracted me to the role is the incredible near-term development potential of the Earaheedy Project and the largely untapped exploration potential of the Company's other compelling projects in Western Australia. I am delighted to be joining the Board of Rumble Resources at this incredibly exciting time in the Company's journey and look forward to actively contributing to its continued growth and success."

Mr Venn currently serves as Non-Executive Director of Horizon Gold Limited (ASX: HRN) and Technical Director for Margosa Graphite Limited (unlisted).

# **Appointments to Senior Geological Management**

### Mr Ben Jones - Group Consultant Geologist

Ben Jones is a highly experienced technical geologist with over 20 years specialising in advancing gold and base metal deposits in Australia. Using this expertise, Ben has spent the past four years consulting to Evolution Mining (ASX: EVN) in WA and Qld.

Prior to consulting, Ben held senior management positions leading teams and advancing projects from exploration through to development phase with Independence Group (ASX: IGO), Jabiru Metals Ltd (ASX: JML) and AngloGold Ashanti (ASX: AGG). During this period, Ben oversaw the re-interpretation and successful definition of over 1Moz of gold as part of the Sunrise Dam Gold Mine Underground Feasibility Study, delivered the Tropicana Gold Deposit Pre-Feasibility Study (now over 7Moz) in Western Australia, and completed the Stockman Cu-Pb-Zn deposit Pre-Feasibility Study in Eastern Victoria.



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## Mr Luke Timmermans - Senior Project Manager - Earaheedy Project

Luke Timmermans is a geologist with over 10 years' experience in the mining industry working on commodities including gold, base metals and hard rock lithium-caesium-tantalum. He has held senior geological roles with Gold Fields (JSE: GFI), Red 5 (ASX: RED) and Essential Metals (ASX: ESS).

Luke was involved with the re-discovery of the King of the Hills gold deposit as a bulk mining operation and co-led a team that grew the mineral resource estimate to over 3Moz Au, and later oversaw the project through feasibility studies and into mill construction.

**Rumble Managing Director Shane Sikora said** "We are thrilled to bolster the technical team with the calibre of Ben and Luke to senior positions within our geological team. As we rapidly advance the next phase of growth at Earaheedy, their leadership, technical ability and development experience provides the Company with further capabilities to take the project to the next level."

#### **Authorisation**

This announcement is authorised for release by Shane Sikora, Managing Director of the Company.

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#### **About Rumble Resources Ltd**

Rumble is currently firmly focussed on rapidly advancing the major Zinc-Lead 'Tier 1' SEDEX-variant discovery at the Earaheedy Project in Western Australia.

Rumble Resources Limited is an Australian based ASX Listed exploration company with a clear strategy to generate and drill test a pipeline of projects providing the capability to make world-class discoveries on multiple projects. The company critically reviews each project against stringent criteria and has assembled a portfolio of seven highly prospective base and precious metal projects located in Tier 1 regions in Western Australia. Rumble's board and management team has a successful track record in making discoveries and project development.