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Issued Shares (ASX: VMC):

76,764,693

Issued Options (ASX: VMCOA):

45,432,111

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## AIRCORE DRILLING COMMENCED AT STONE TANK BORE

## & ESTONIA COBALT-NICKEL PROSPECTS

An Aircore drilling program has commenced at the Stone Tank Bore and Estonia Prospects that are part of the Youanmi Cobalt-Nickel Project in the Youanmi Greenstone Belt, Western Australia.

Stone Tank Bore Prospect (see Figure 1) was identified by a recent data compilation (refer ASX releases by VMC dated 29 Nov 2017 and 5 Dec 2017) as a significant target beneath transported cover and laterite, north of the Estonia Prospect. The target, open to the north and south, coincides with a magnetic lag anomaly and comprises historic drill data<sup>1</sup> that reveal significant cobalt and nickel intercepts:

6YMA0066<sup>1</sup> 12m @ 0.17% Co & 0.55% Ni from 20m,

including 4m @ 0.37% Co & 0.60% Ni from 20m, including 1m @ 0.53% Co from 20m,

and

3m @ 0.13% Co & 0.58% Ni from 29m

6YMA0067<sup>1</sup> 14m @ 0.10% Co & 0.81% Ni from 10m,

Including 8m @ 0.12% Co & 1.01% Ni from

10m, and

1m @ 0.10% Co & 0.45% Ni from 23m

<u>Estonia Prospect</u> is a historic geochemical anomaly<sup>1</sup> in magnetic surface lag measuring approximately 2 km along strike. Historic drilling<sup>1</sup> shows several intercepts with significant cobalt and nickel values:

6YMA0093<sup>1</sup> 4m @ 0.10% Co & 0.61% Ni from 27m

6YMA0086<sup>1</sup> 2m @ 0.09% Co & 0.83% Ni from 27m

1m @ 0.06% Co & 0.82% Ni from 34m

The current drilling programme (approximately 4000 metres) will test highly prospective Co-Ni targets at the Stone Tank Bore and Estonia prospects.



### **Bibliography**

1. WA DMP WAMEX Report No A75836, 2007, Pincher Hill Project, Youanmi Annual Report, Goldcrest Mines Pty Ltd.

#### **Exploration Targets**

The term 'Exploration Target' should not be misunderstood or misconstrued as an estimate of Mineral Resources and Reserves as defined by the JORC Code (2012), and therefore the terms have not been used in this context.

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The information in this report that relates to Exploration Results, Mineral Resources or Ore Resources is based on information compiled by Dr M. Cornelius, Geological Consultant of Venus Metals Corporation Ltd, who is a member of The Australian Institute of Geoscientists (AIG). Dr Cornelius has sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity that he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the Joint Ore Reserves Committee (JORC) Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves. Dr Cornelius consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

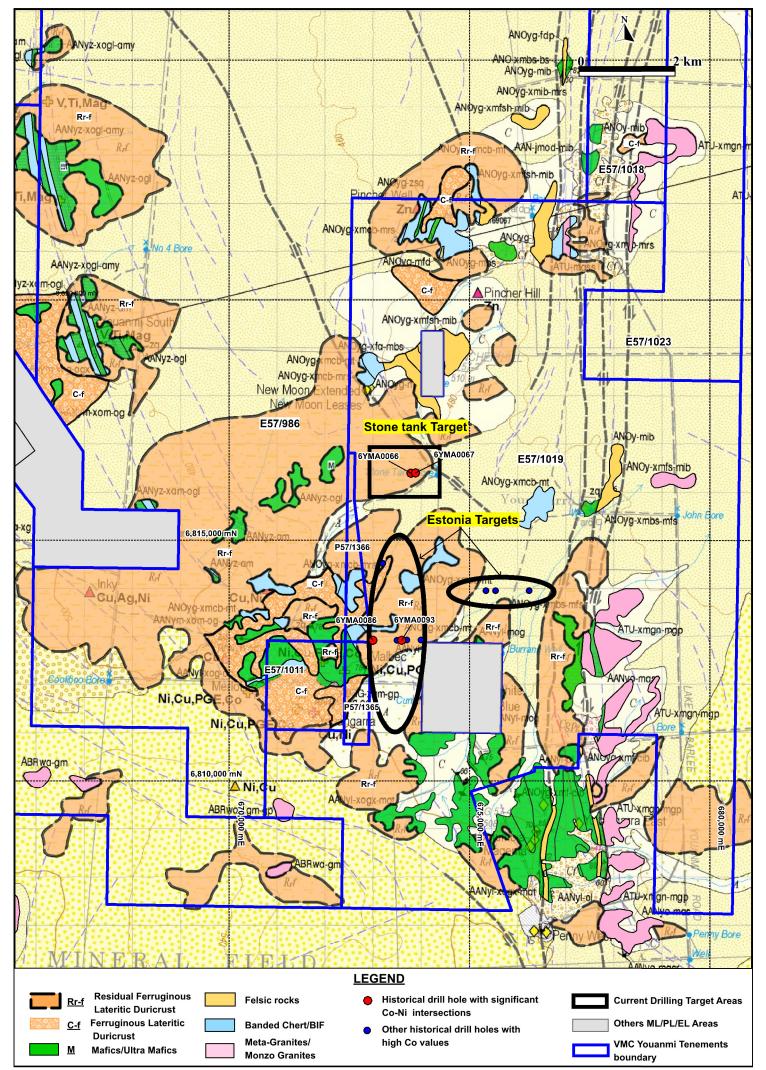


Figure 1. Location of aircore drilling at the Stone Tank Bore and Estonia Prospects on GSWA 100K Geology Map