

Atlas Board and Management Changes

Atlas Iron Limited (Atlas) (ASX: AGO) is pleased to advise of new Board and management appointments.

Mr Spiro Pappas, Professor Ian Plimer, Mr Tad Watroba and Mr Stephen Wood have been appointed as non-executive directors.

Mr Pappas is an experienced finance executive, most recently with the National Australia Bank. Mr Pappas has been elected Chairman of the Board.

Professor Plimer is a geologist and Emeritus Professor at the University of Melbourne. Professor Plimer serves on the board of Roy Hill Holdings Pty Ltd and a number of other public and private companies.

Mr Watroba is an Executive Director of Hancock Prospecting Pty Ltd and Roy Hill Holdings Pty Ltd, with extensive experience in open cut and underground mining projects in Australia and overseas.

Mr Wood has had a distinguished career in the Western Australian Government, most recently as the Director General, Department of Jobs, Tourism, Science and Innovation, and the Chief Executive Officer of the Western Australian Tourism Commission.

As part of the transition, Mr Eugene Davis, Mr Alan Carr, the Hon Cheryl Edwardes and Mr Cliff Lawrenson have resigned as directors. Mr Daniel Harris will continue on as a non-executive director.

Mr Sanjiv Manchanda has been appointed as Chief Executive Officer, replacing Mr Cliff Lawrenson in this role.

Mr Manchanda, an experienced mining executive, was the Chief Operating Officer of Roy Hill Holdings Pty Ltd from ramp up to completion of the Roy Hill Project and Project Director of Roy Hill Holdings Pty Ltd from engineering to commissioning of the Roy Hill Project. Mr Manchanda has most recently acted as Head of Project Development for Hancock Prospecting Ptv Ltd.

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