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**ASX Announcement** 

# Mawson RC Drilling Commences and Aircore Assays Received

- 3,000m Reverse Circulation (RC) drilling programme commences at Mawson
- Further aircore assay results add definition to the large nickel-copper geochemical footprint to the east and northeast of the Mawson massive sulphide discovery
- New aircore assay results include:
  - > RKAC823: 25m @ 0.35% Ni, 0.17% Cu, 0.04% Co from 64m to EOH
  - > RKAC825: 15m @ 0.29% Ni, 0.12% Cu, 0.02% Co from 60m to EOH

Legend Mining Limited (Legend) is pleased to announce the commencement of a 3,000m RC drilling programme and further significant aircore assay results from the Mawson prospect within the Rockford Project, Fraser Range, Western Australia (see Figure 3). The results are discussed in detail in the body of this announcement.

Legend Managing Director Mr Mark Wilson said: "This RC programme is an important step in the development of the Mawson story. RC drilling is cheaper and quicker than diamond, yet still provides a platform for downhole EM and allows for diamond tails to chase deeper targets that are identified. It is important to note that it will give us new information on the known sulphide mineralisation, the eastern geochemical footprint and the gravity features. Future RC/diamond drill programmes will be designed using this information and other datasets.

"The new aircore assays show a developing eastern geochemical footprint. There is now a cluster of holes around holes 823 and 825 with assay results equal to or better than the best ones in the western footprint. These assays have upgraded the prospectivity of the Mawson eastern footprint."

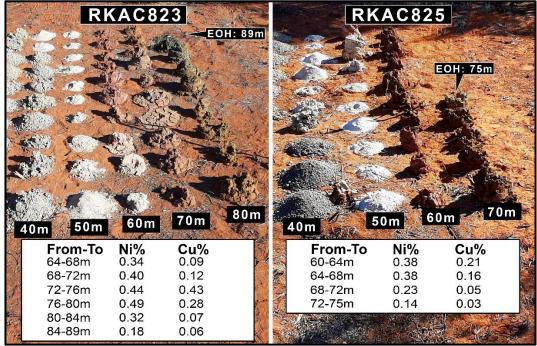


Figure 1: Mawson Aircore Drillholes RKAC823 and RKAC825 with Assay Results



## **TECHNICAL DISCUSSION**

RC drilling has commenced at Mawson with an initial west to east traverse testing three targets; the upper Ni-Cu sulphide zone between diamond holes RKDD007 and RKDD015, the main gravity high and the eastern aircore nickel-copper geochemical anomaly (see Figure 2). The programme will comprise 3,000m and is expected to take 4-6 weeks to complete. The diamond rig has been stood down pending results from this RC programme.

Aircore assay results have also been received from drillholes RKAC781-831 at Mawson. Anomalous Ni-Cu values were returned from 12 of the 51 drillholes and are associated with olivine bearing ultramafic/mafic host rocks (see Figure 2 & Table 1).

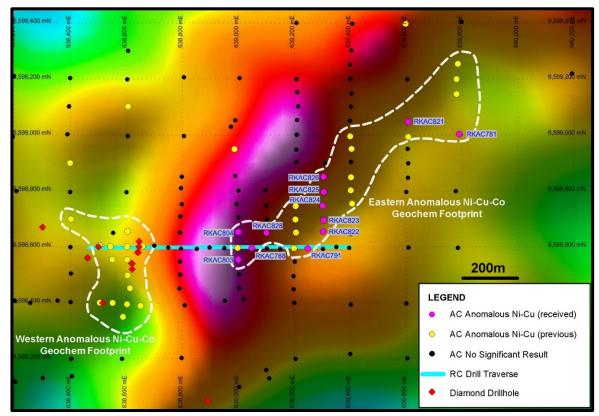


Figure 2: Anomalous Ni-Cu Aircore Results and RC Drill Traverse over Gravity Image

Table 1: Summary of Anomalous Aircore Results - Mawson						
Hole	From	То	Interval	Ni%	Cu%	Co%
RKAC781	76	92	16	0.14	0.03	0.02
RKAC788	56	69 EOH	13	0.15	0.10	0.03
RKAC791	60	68	8	0.12	0.03	0.02
RKAC803	56	63 EOH	7	0.11	0.07	0.02
RKAC804	52	64	12	0.11	0.07	0.02
RKAC821	68	84	16	0.10	0.05	0.02
RKAC822	64	98 EOH	34	0.13	0.04	0.02
RKAC823	64	89 EOH	25	0.35	0.17	0.04
RKAC824	60	79 EOH	19	0.16	0.05	0.01
RKAC825	60	75 EOH	15	0.29	0.12	0.02
RKAC826	60	80	20	0.19	0.06	0.02
RKAC828	52	58 EOH	6	0.18	0.17	0.03



These and previously released aircore results continue to define the large NE-SW trending geochemical anomaly east of the main Mawson sulphide mineralisation. The results from drillholes RKAC822-826 are considered highly significant as they intersected broad intervals ranging from 15 to 34m with anomalous Ni-Cu over 200m in a north-south direction (see Figures 1-2 & Table 1). These holes all intersected olivine bearing ultramafic/mafic intrusives, with anomalous results returned in bottom of hole samples in four of the five holes.

The size and coherent nature of the eastern geochemical anomaly with respect to the position of the large gravity high makes this a compelling exploration target. RC drill testing of this geochemical anomaly will be undertaken during the current programme.

### **Mawson Future Programmes**

- 3,000m RC drilling targeting known sulphide mineralisation, geochemical anomalies and gravity features.
- Continue infill aircore drill programme across the greater Mawson area.
- Ongoing integration of aircore and gravity data to assist RC/diamond drillhole planning/design.
- Report drilling and assays results from all outstanding diamond drillholes.

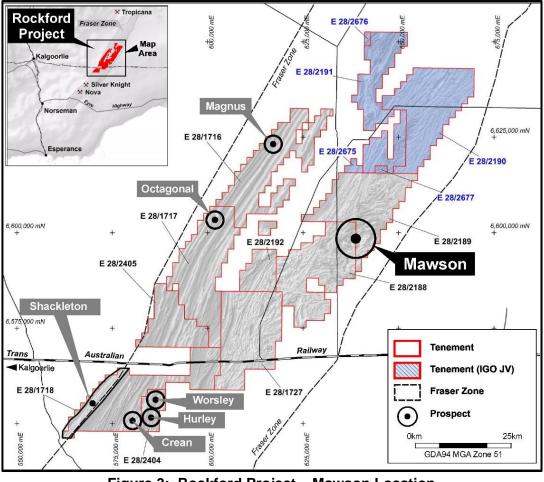


Figure 3: Rockford Project – Mawson Location

Authorised by Mark Wilson, Managing Director.

	Appendix 1: Mawson Aircore Drillhole Details					
Hole	MGA94-East	MGA94-North	RL	Azimuth	Dip	Total Depth
RKAC781	639790	6599003	206	0	-90	108
RKAC788	639048	6598597	202	0	-90	69
RKAC791	639248	6598594	206	0	-90	83
RKAC803	638999	6598555	202	0	-90	63
RKAC804	638999	6598653	202	0	-90	68
RKAC821	639607	6599047	206	0	-90	87
RKAC822	639303	6598655	206	0	-90	98
RKAC823	639305	6598695	206	0	-90	89
RKAC824	639301	6598747	205	0	-90	79
RKAC825	639305	6598796	205	0	-90	75
RKAC826	639304	6598851	204	0	-90	85
RKAC828	639101	6598650	203	0	-90	58

#### Competent Person Statement

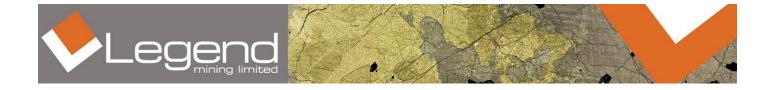
The information in this report that relates to Exploration Results is based on information compiled by Mr Derek Waterfield, a Member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists and a full time employee of Legend Mining Limited. Mr Waterfield has sufficient experience that is relevant to the styles of mineralisation and types of deposit under consideration, and to the activity being undertaken, to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the "Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves" (JORC Code). Mr Waterfield consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

The information in this report that relates to Legend's Exploration Results is a compilation of previously released to ASX by Legend Mining (15 & 21 May 2020, 11 June 2020) and Mr Derek Waterfield consents to the inclusion of these Results in this report. Mr Waterfield has advised that this consent remains in place for subsequent releases by Legend of the same information in the same form and context, until the consent is withdrawn or replaced by a subsequent report and accompanying consent. Legend confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in the original market announcements and that all material assumptions and technical parameters in the market announcements continue to apply and have not materially changed. Legend confirms that the form and context in which the Competent Person's findings are presented have not been materially modified from the original market announcements.

#### COVID-19

The Company has been proactively managing the potential impact of COVID-19 and has developed systems and policies to ensure the health and safety of our employees and contractors, and limiting the risk to our operations. These systems and policies have been developed in line with the formal guidance of State and Federal health authorities and with the assistance of our contractors.

To ensure the health and wellbeing of our employees and contractors, the Company has implemented a range of measures to minimise the risk of infection and rate of transmission of COVID-19. These measures include employees and contractors completing a COVID-19 Exposure Questionnaire, increased hygiene practices, restrictions on non-essential travel, establishing strong infection control systems and protocols across the business and facilitating remote working arrangements, where practicable. The Company will continue to monitor the formal requirements and guidance of State and Federal health authorities, and act accordingly.



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## Appendix 2: Legend Mining Ltd – Aircore Drilling Programme Mawson Prospect JORC Code Edition 2012: Table 1

## Section 1: Sampling Techniques and Data

Criteria	JORC Code Explanation	Commentary
Sampling techniques	<ul> <li>Nature and quality of sampling (e.g. cut channels, random chips, or specific specialised industry standard measurement tools appropriate to the minerals under investigation, such as down hole gamma sondes, or handheld XRF instruments, etc.). These examples should not be taken as limiting the broad meaning of sampling.</li> <li>Include reference to measures taken to ensure sample representivity and the appropriate calibration of any measurement tools or systems used.</li> <li>Aspects of the determination of mineralisation that are Material to the Public Report. In cases where 'industry standard' work has been done this would be relatively simple (e.g. 'reverse circulation drilling was used to obtain 1 m samples from which 3 kg was pulverised to produce a 30 g charge for fire assay'). In other cases more explanation may be required, such as where there is coarse gold that has inherent sampling problems. Unusual commodities or mineralisation types (e.g. submarine nodules) may warrant disclosure of detailed information.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Aircore drilling was undertaken on a nominal 200m x 200m spacing testing aeromagnetic and gravity targets. Infill drilling at 50m spacing was completed around anomalous drillholes.</li> <li>The residual (non-transported) portion only of each drillhole was originally sampled as 4m composites to the end of hole, with a 1m bottom of hole sample also collected. All samples weighed 2-3kg.</li> <li>QAQC standards and duplicate samples were included routinely (approximately 1 each every 50 samples).</li> <li>Au was analysed by fire assay with an ICP-OES finish. A four acid digest with ICP-MS finish was used for a multi-element suite including: Ag, Al, As, Ba, Be, Bi, Ca, Cd, Ce, Co, Cr, Cs, Cu, Dy, Er, Eu, Fe, Ga, Gd, Ge, Hf, Ho, In, K, La, Li, Lu, Mg, Mn, Mo, Na, Nb, Nd, Ni, P, Pb, Pr, Rb, Re, S, Sb, Sc, Se, Sm, Sn, Sr, Ta, Tb, Te, Th, Ti, TI, Tm, U, V, W, Y, Yb, Zn, Zr.</li> </ul>
Drilling techniques	<ul> <li>Drill type (e.g. core, reverse circulation, open-hole hammer, rotary air blast, auger, Bangka, sonic, etc.) and details (e.g. core diameter, triple or standard tube, depth of diamond tails, face-sampling bit or other type, whether core is oriented and if so, by what method, etc.).</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Aircore drilling utilised a 90mm bit and completed by Drillpower.</li> </ul>
Drill sample recovery	Method of recording and     assessing core and chip sample	<ul> <li>No relationship has been determined between sample recoveries and grade and there is insufficient data to determine if there is a sample bias.</li> </ul>



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	<ul> <li>recoveries and results assessed.</li> <li>Measures taken to maximise sample recovery and ensure representative nature of the samples.</li> <li>Whether a relationship exists between sample recovery and grade and whether sample bias may have occurred due to preferential loss/gain of fine/coarse material.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sample recoveries are visually estimated for each metre by the supervising rig geologist with poor or wet samples recorded in drill and sample log sheets.</li> <li>The sample cyclone is routinely cleaned at the end of each rod (3m) and when deemed necessary.</li> </ul>
Logging	<ul> <li>Whether core and chip samples have been geologically and geotechnically logged to a level of detail to support appropriate Mineral Resource estimation, mining studies and metallurgical studies.</li> <li>Whether logging is qualitative or quantitative in nature. Core (or costean, channel, etc.) photography.</li> <li>The total length and percentage of the relevant intersections logged.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Geological logging of aircore drillholes included; lithology, grainsize, texture, deformation, mineralisation, alteration, veining, colour, weathering.</li> <li>The drillhole was logged in its entirety.</li> </ul>
Sub-sampling techniques and sample preparation	<ul> <li>If core, whether cut or sawn and whether quarter, half or all core taken.</li> <li>If non-core, whether riffled, tube sampled, rotary split, etc. and whether sampled wet or dry.</li> <li>For all sample types, the nature, quality and appropriateness of the sample preparation technique.</li> <li>Quality control procedures adopted for all sub-sampling stages to maximise representivity of samples.</li> <li>Measures taken to ensure that the sampling is representative of the in situ material collected, including for instance results for field duplicate/second-half sampling.</li> <li>Whether sample sizes are appropriate to the grain size of the material being sampled.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>All aircore drill samples were collected using a PVC spear or scoop as 4m composites (2-3kg). Other composites of 2m, 3m and 5m and individual 1m samples were collected where required, i.e. bottom of hole. Both wet and dry samples were collected.</li> <li>The samples are dried and pulverised before analysis.</li> <li>QAQC reference samples and duplicates were routinely submitted with each sample batch.</li> <li>The size of the sample is considered appropriate for the mineralisation style sought and for the analytical technique used.</li> </ul>
Quality of assay data and laboratory tests	<ul> <li>The nature, quality and appropriateness of the assaying and laboratory procedures used</li> </ul>	• Aircore samples were analysed for Au by 50g fire assay with an ICP-MS finish, and for a multi-element suite by ICP-MS following a four acid digest.



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	<ul> <li>and whether the technique is considered partial or total.</li> <li>For geophysical tools, spectrometers, handheld XRF instruments, etc., the parameters used in determining the analysis including instrument make and model, reading times, calibrations factors applied and their derivation, etc.</li> <li>Nature of quality control procedures adopted (e.g. standards, blanks, duplicates, external laboratory checks) and whether acceptable levels of accuracy (i.e. lack of bias) and precision have been established.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>These assay methods are considered appropriate.</li> <li>QAQC standards and duplicate samples were included routinely (approximately 1 each every 50 samples). In addition reliance is placed on laboratory procedures and internal laboratory batch standards and blanks.</li> <li>All samples were analysed by Intertek Genalysis Laboratory Services Perth using methods; FA50/OE04 (Au), 4A/MS48 (multi-elements) and 4A/MS48R (REE extended suite).</li> </ul>
Verification of sampling and assaying	<ul> <li>The verification of significant intersections by either independent or alternative company personnel.</li> <li>The use of twinned holes.</li> <li>Documentation of primary data, data entry procedures, data verification, data storage (physical and electronic) protocols.</li> <li>Discuss any adjustment to assay data.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Significant intersections were verified by senior exploration personnel.</li> <li>Primary data was collected in the field using a set of standard logging templates and entered into a laptop computer.</li> <li>The data was forwarded to Legend's database manager for validation and loading into the company's drilling database.</li> <li>No adjustments of assay results have been undertaken.</li> </ul>
Location of data points	<ul> <li>Accuracy and quality of surveys used to locate drill holes (collar and down-hole surveys), trenches, mine workings and other locations used in Mineral Resource estimation.</li> <li>Specification of the grid system used.</li> <li>Quality and adequacy of topographic control.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The drillhole collar was surveyed with a handheld GPS unit with an accuracy of ±5m which is considered sufficiently accurate for the purpose of the drillhole.</li> <li>All co-ordinates are expressed in GDA94 datum, Zone 51.</li> <li>Regional topographic control has an accuracy of ±2m based on detailed DTM data.</li> </ul>
Data spacing and distribution	<ul> <li>Data spacing for reporting of Exploration Results.</li> <li>Whether the data spacing and distribution is sufficient to establish the degree of geological and grade continuity appropriate for the Mineral Resource and Ore Reserve estimation procedure(s) and classifications applied.</li> <li>Whether sample compositing has been applied.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Aircore drilling was at a nominal 200m x 200m with infill to 50m spacing adjacent to anomalous drillholes.</li> <li>Drillholes are sampled in the residual portion of the profile only as 4m composites on a routine basis or as 2m, 3m and 5m composites at the end of holes as required. Where anomalous values are returned, 1m samples may be submitted for assay.</li> </ul>



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Orientation of data in relation to geological structure	<ul> <li>Whether the orientation of sampling achieves unbiased sampling of possible structures and the extent to which this is known, considering the deposit type.</li> <li>If the relationship between the drilling orientation and the orientation of key mineralised structures is considered to have introduced a sampling bias, this should be assessed and reported if material.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The relationship between drill orientation and mineralisation is unknown.</li> </ul>
Sample security	<ul> <li>The measures taken to ensure sample security.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Individual calico sample bags from the diamond and aircore drilling were placed in polyweave bags and hand delivered directly to the assay laboratory in Kalgoorlie by company personnel.</li> </ul>
Audits or reviews	<ul> <li>The results of any audits or reviews of sampling techniques and data.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Internal audits/reviews of procedures are ongoing, however no external reviews have been undertaken.</li> </ul>

# Section 2: Reporting of Exploration Results

Criteria	JORC Code Explanation	Commentary
Mineral tenement and land tenure status	<ul> <li>Type, reference name/number, location and ownership including agreements or material issues with third parties such as joint ventures, partnerships, overriding royalties, native title interests, historical sites, wilderness or national park and environmental settings.</li> <li>The security of the tenure held at the time of reporting along with any known impediments to obtaining a licence to operate in the area.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The Rockford Project comprises nine granted exploration licences, covering 2,430km<sup>2</sup>, (Legend manager).</li> <li>Rockford JV tenements: <ul> <li>E28/2188, 2189, 2192 (70% Legend, 30% Rockford Minerals Pty Ltd)</li> <li>E28/1716, 1717, 1718, 1727 (70% Legend, 30% Ponton Minerals Pty Ltd).</li> </ul> </li> <li>Legend 100%: E28/2404, 2405.</li> <li>The Project is located 280km east of Kalgoorlie mostly on vacant crown land with the eastern portion on Kanandah Pastoral Station.</li> <li>There are no Native Title Claims over tenements E28/1716, 1717, 2188, 2189, 2192, 2405. Tenements E28/1718, E28/2404 are covered 90%, 20% and 100% respectively by the Ngadju Native Title Claim.</li> <li>The tenements are in good standing and there are no known impediments.</li> </ul>



Exploration done by other parties	Acknowledgment and appraisal of exploration by other parties.	<ul> <li>Not applicable, not referred to.</li> </ul>
Geology	Deposit type, geological setting and style of mineralisation.	<ul> <li>The primary target is Nova style nickel-copper mineralisation hosted in mafic/ultramafic intrusives within the Fraser Zone of the larger Albany- Fraser Orogen.</li> <li>Secondary targets include VMS style zinc-copper-lead-silver mineralisation and structurally controlled Tropicana style gold.</li> </ul>
Drill hole Information	<ul> <li>A summary of all information material to the understanding of the exploration results including a tabulation of the following information for all Material drill holes: <ul> <li>easting and northing of the drill hole collar</li> <li>elevation or RL (Reduced Level – elevation above sea level in metres) of the drill hole collar</li> <li>dip and azimuth of the hole</li> <li>down hole length and interception depth</li> <li>hole length.</li> </ul> </li> <li>If the exclusion of this information is justified on the basis that the information is not Material and this exclusion does not detract from the understanding of the report, the Competent Person should clearly explain why this is the case.</li> </ul>	Refer to table of drillhole collars in Appendix 1.
Data aggregation methods	<ul> <li>In reporting Exploration Results, weighting averaging techniques, maximum and/or minimum grade truncations (e.g. cutting of high grades) and cut-off grades are usually Material and should be stated.</li> <li>Where aggregate intercepts incorporate short lengths of high grade results and longer lengths of low grade results, the procedure used for such aggregation should be stated and some typical examples of such aggregations should be shown in detail.</li> <li>The assumptions used for any reporting of metal equivalent values should be clearly stated.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Individual sample assays and weighted averages are presented.</li> </ul>

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Relationship between mineralisation widths and intercept lengths	<ul> <li>These relationships are particularly important in the reporting of Exploration Results.</li> <li>If the geometry of the mineralisation with respect to the drill hole angle is known, its nature should be reported.</li> <li>If it is not known and only the down hole lengths are reported, there should be a clear statement to this effect (e.g. 'down hole length, true width not known').</li> </ul>	Drillhole intercepts/intervals are measured downhole in metres.
Diagrams	Appropriate maps and sections (with scales) and tabulations of intercepts should be included for any significant discovery being reported. These should include, but not be limited to a plan view of drill hole collar locations and appropriate sectional views.	<ul> <li>Project and drillhole location maps have been included in the body of the report.</li> </ul>
Balanced reporting	Where comprehensive reporting of all Exploration Results is not practicable, representative reporting of both low and high grades and/or widths should be practiced to avoid misleading reporting of Exploration Results.	<ul> <li>Assay results presented are balanced.</li> </ul>
Other substantive exploration data	Other exploration data, if meaningful and material, should be reported including (but not limited to): geological observations; geophysical survey results; geochemical survey results; bulk samples – size and method of treatment; metallurgical test results; bulk density, groundwater, geotechnical and rock characteristics; potential deleterious or contaminating substances.	<ul> <li>Detailed high quality aeromagnetic/ gravity datasets and previous aircore drilling has been used to target drilling.</li> </ul>
Further work	<ul> <li>The nature and scale of planned further work (e.g. tests for lateral extensions or depth extensions or large-scale step- out drilling).</li> <li>Diagrams clearly highlighting the areas of possible extensions, including the main geological interpretations and future drilling areas, provided this information is not commercially sensitive.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Continue RC drilling programme at Mawson.</li> <li>Continue aircore drilling programme over greater Mawson area.</li> <li>Ongoing assessment of drilling and geochemical results.</li> </ul>