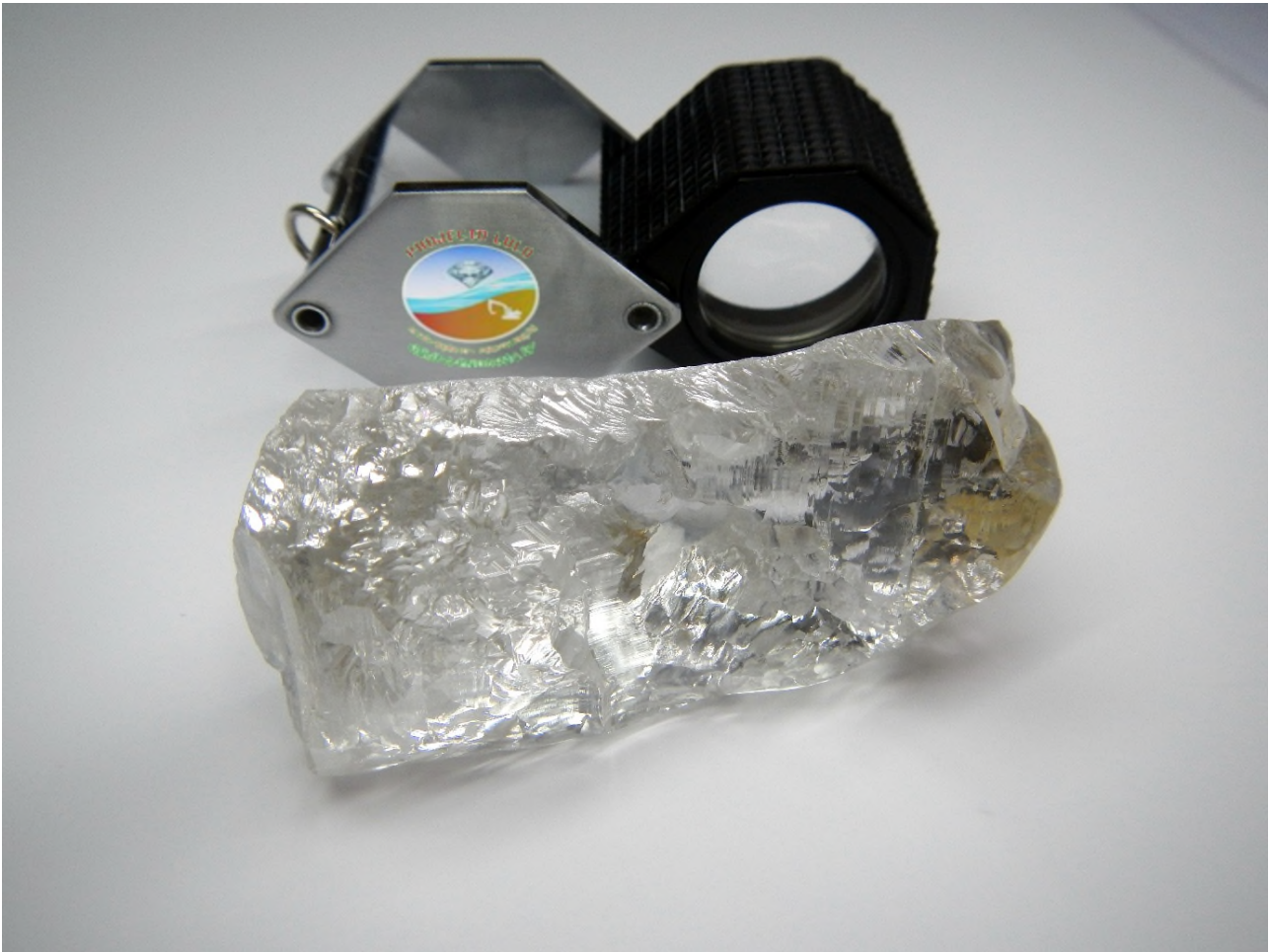




## **404 CARAT LULO DIAMOND SELLS FOR A\$22.5 MILLION**

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The 404 carat Lulo diamond which sold for gross proceeds of A\$22.5 million

Lucapa Diamond Company Limited (ASX: **LOM**) (“Lucapa”), Endiama E.P (“Endiama”), Angola’s national diamond mining company and private local partner Rosas & Petalas are pleased to announce the sale of the 404 carat diamond recovered recently from the Lulo Diamond Project in Angola (See ASX announcement 15 February 2016).

The 404 carat Lulo alluvial diamond sold for gross proceeds of A\$22.5 million (US\$16 million).

This represents a spectacular average price of A\$55,585 (US\$39,580) per carat, which is a record price for a white diamond recovered from Lulo and is further evidence of the positive sentiment in the market for large high-quality gems like those being recovered at Lulo.

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Lucapa Chief Executive Stephen Wetherall said Lucapa and its partners were delighted to have achieved a record sale price for the 404 carat Lulo diamond.

*“The sale of a single diamond for US\$16 million underlines the huge potential of the Lulo diamond field to regularly produce gems which are both large and of world-class quality,”* said Mr Wetherall.

*“We look to the future with tremendous excitement at Lulo as we continue mining these exceptional alluvial diamond areas, growing our alluvial mining capability and advancing the kimberlite exploration program to locate the primary source or sources of these gems.”*

Lucapa is the operator of the Lulo project and has a 40% interest in the alluvial diamond mining operations. Endiama has a 32% interest with private Angolan partner Rosas & Pétalas holding 28%.

Alluvial mining operations commenced at Lulo in 2015 following the awarding of a mining licence in November 2014. Lulo is located within 150km of the Alrosa-operated Catoca, which is the world's fourth biggest diamond mine and accounts for about 75 per cent of Angola's annual diamond production.

For and on behalf of the Lucapa Board.

**STEPHEN WETHERALL**  
**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

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The information reported is based on and fairly represents information and supporting documentation prepared and compiled by Albert Thamm MSc F.Aus.IMM (CP), who is a Corporate Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr. Thamm is a Director of Lucapa Diamond Company Limited. Mr. Thamm has sufficient experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the Australasian Code for Reporting Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves. Mr. Thamm consents to the inclusion in the announcement of the matters based on this information in the form and context in which it appears.

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