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2009 ANNUAL REPORT

The Company refers to its 2009 Annual Report which was lodged with the ASX Limited on 21 October 2009 and confirms that the 2009 Annual Report should have included a Competent Person Statement. That Competent Person Statement is set out hereunder:

Information in this report has been reviewed by a Competent Person as defined in the JORC Code, being Mr Howard Dawson who is a member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists, with over 25 years experience in the mining industry and who has sufficient experience in mineral resource estimation relevant to the style of the mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity to which he is undertaking, and consents to the inclusion in the public release of the matters based on their information in the form and context in which it appears.

The resource estimation was prepared by Thomas Guerrero Mendez, who is registered with the Lima stock exchange as a qualified person to sign geological reports under the JORC code.

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