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BANNERMAN PROVIDES UPDATE REGARDING EPANGELO DISCUSSIONS

Perth, Australia – Bannerman Resources Limited (ASX: BMN, TSX: BAN, NSX: BMN) ("**Bannerman**") provides the following update regarding its discussions with Namibian state-owned mining company Epangelo Mining Company (Pty) Ltd ("**Epangelo**").

As previously disclosed, Bannerman and Epangelo signed a Term Sheet in April this year setting out the terms and conditions offered to Epangelo for it to acquire an initial 5% interest (plus a follow-on option for an additional 5% interest) in Bannerman's 80%-owned Namibian subsidiary, the sole owner of the Etango Uranium Project. The Term Sheet required certain conditions to be satisfied within four months (ending today), including Epangelo completing its due diligence investigations and obtaining its acquisition finance.

Since that time, Epangelo has completed technical due diligence investigations to its satisfaction and confirmed its recognition of the importance of the Etango Project to Namibia. However, the parties have been unable to complete a mutually acceptable agreement reflecting the commercial substance of the Term Sheet.

Bannerman is in a solid position in the current weak equity and uranium markets, with good cash reserves (A\$9.6 million as at 30 June 2012) and a recently-completed Definitive Feasibility Study on the Etango Project. Monthly expenditures will now be low and, whilst Bannerman is under no compulsion to transact the Etango Project at cyclically low prices, Bannerman will continue to pursue local Namibian and international development partners in a manner which will deliver fair value to shareholders.

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About Bannerman - Bannerman Resources Limited is an emerging uranium development company with interests in Namibia, a southern African country considered to be a premier uranium mining jurisdiction. Bannerman's principal asset is its 80%-owned Etango Uranium Project situated southwest of Rio Tinto's Rössing uranium mine and to the west of Paladin Energy's Langer-Heinrich mine. Etango is one of the world's largest undeveloped uranium deposits. Bannerman is focused on the development of a large open pit uranium mining and processing operation at Etango. More information is available on the Company's website at www.bannermanresources.com.

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