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# BrightStar Resumes Drilling at 520,000oz Miyabi Gold Project

BrightStar Resources Limited ("BrightStar" or "Company") is pleased to announce that it has resumed Reverse Circulation (RC) drilling at the Miyabi Gold Project.

A drilling rig contracted from Ausdrill Tanzania Limited has today commenced RC drilling of the targets generated from the 2011 RAB and RC drilling at Miyabi. **The targets include** <u>first pass follow-up</u> of the high grade discovery of 21m at 6.7g/t Au from 21m in MBRB838 which was drilled by BrightStar in 2011. This zone has excellent potential to host gold mineral resources additional to the 520,000oz already reported at the project.

The program comprises 29 holes for 2,600m and is expected to be completed in June. The rig will then move to BrightStar's 370,000oz Kitongo Project.

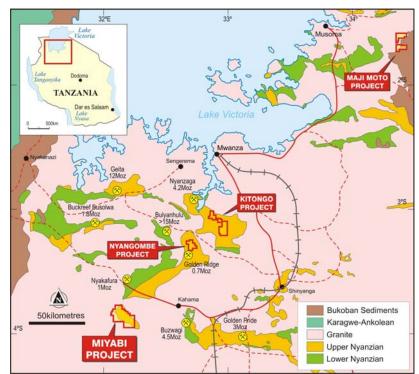


Figure 1: BrightStar Project Locations in Tanzania

#### **Planned Program**

The 2011 BrightStar drilling identified three new prospect areas where follow-up drilling has commenced. The three prospects are:

- Kilimani Southwest including follow-up of MBRB838 21m at 6.7g/t Au;
- Kilimani trend Follow-up of intersections such as MBRB833 24m at 0.52g/t Au from 15m to eoh and MBRB850 15m at 0.81g/t Au from 24m to eoh;
- Contact Zone follow-up of intersections such as MBRC310 9m at 1.45g/t Au from 28m, MBRC321 4m at 1.78g/t Au from 31m and MBRC324 5m at 1.34g/t Au from 1m.

Work will initially focus on the high grade result of 21m at 6.7g/t Au from 21m in MBRB838 which is shown in Figure 2. The 40m spaced holes on three 50m spaced sections are designed to clarify the geometry of the zone prior to testing the potential strike extensions to the zone.

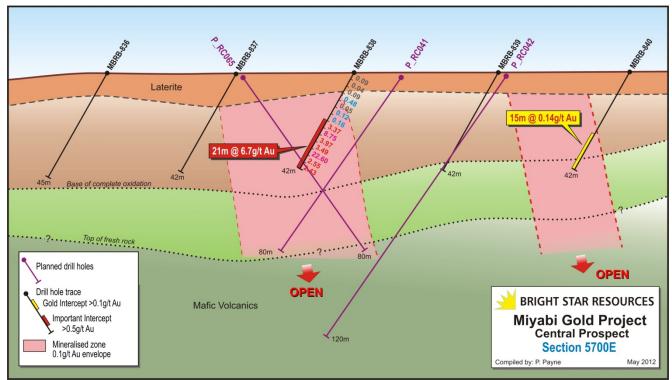


Figure 2: Miyabi Central Area with 2011 Drilling Results

The initial Miyabi program comprises 29 RC holes for 2,600m and is expected to be completed in June. The prospects and planned holes as well as important intersections from the 2011 drilling programs at Miyabi are shown in Figure 3.

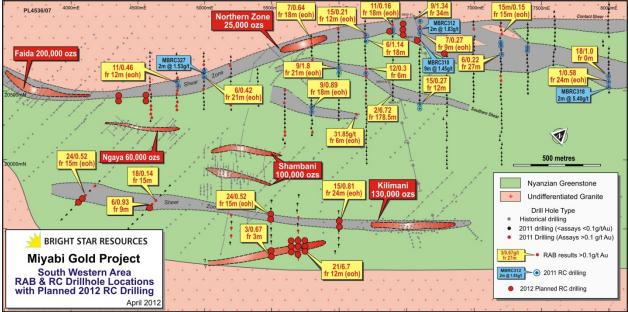


Figure 3: Miyabi Central Area with 2011 Drilling Results

### Miyabi Joint Venture

The Miyabi project is a Joint Venture with UK based African Eagle Resources plc ("African Eagle") where BrightStar may earn up to 75% of the Miyabi Project in Tanzania.

The Miyabi Project is located in the Lake Victoria Gold Field of Tanzania, some 150km southwest of BrightStar's 100% owned Kitongo Gold Project.

#### **Mineral Resources**

A summary of the Mineral Resource estimates for Kitongo at 0.5g/t and 1.0g/t cut-offs and Miyabi at a 0.5g/t Au cut-off is shown below.

Туре	1	.0g/t Au Cut-	off	0.5g/t Au Cut-off			
	Mt	g/t	Moz	Mt	g/t	Moz	
Laterite	0.4	2.1	0.03	0.8	1.3	0.04	
Highly Ox	2.4	2.2	0.17	3.8	1.7	0.21	
Moderately Ox	0.4	2.0	0.03	0.7	1.5	0.04	
Fresh	1.2	1.7	0.07	2.5	1.2	0.09	
Total	4.4	2.0	0.29	7.8	1.5	0.37	

#### Kitongo Gold Project 2006 Inferred Mineral Resource

\*Rounding errors may occur

Deposit	Indicated			Inferred			Total Resource		
	Mt	g/t	Moz	Mt	g/t	Moz	Mt	g/t	Moz
Faida	3.5	1.5	0.17	1.0	0.9	0.03	4.4	1.4	0.20
Ngaya	0.2	1.0	0.01	1.5	1.1	0.05	1.7	1.1	0.06
Shambani	1.6	1.5	0.07	0.8	1.1	0.03	2.4	1.3	0.10
Kilimani	2.6	1.4	0.12	0.3	1.6	0.01	2.9	1.4	0.13
Northern Zone				1.0	0.8	0.02	1.0	0.8	0.02
Total	7.9	1.5	0.37	4.5	1.0	0.15	12.4	1.3	0.52

#### Miyabi Mineral Resource Estimate 0.5g/t Au Cut-off

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The information in this report that relates to Mineral Resources and exploration results is based on information compiled by Mr Paul Payne, a director and full time employee of BrightStar and a Member of The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr Payne 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 2004 Edition of the 'Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves'. Mr Payne consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.