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WESTERN AREAS' DIRECTOR – CRAIG OLIVER

Dear Shareholders,

As you may be aware, African iron ore company Sundance Resources Ltd has reported a charter plane missing in Cameroon with a number of Sundance Board members on board.

We have been notified that Craig Oliver, Western Areas' Finance Director and Chief Financial Officer, was a passenger on the Sundance Resources flight. In addition to his executive position with Western Areas, Craig is also a non executive director of Sundance Resources.

Our thoughts at this time are with Craig's family. Like everyone else, we are concerned about Craig's welfare and remain hopeful of a positive outcome from the search that is underway.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any queries.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Hanna', with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

Julian Hanna,
Managing Director

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