

SOUTHERN CROSS GOLD LTD
ACN 652 166 795

Notice of Annual General Meeting

Explanatory Statement and Proxy Form

Date of Meeting:
Monday, 28 October 2024

Time of Meeting:
11.00AM (AEDT)

Place of Meeting:
William Buck
Level 20
181 William Street
Melbourne Victoria 3000

*This Notice of Annual General Meeting and Explanatory Statement should be read in its entirety.
If shareholders are in doubt as to how they should vote, they should seek advice from their
accountant, solicitor or other professional advisor without delay.*

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Registered office: Level 21, 459 Collins Street, Melbourne Victoria 3000

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of shareholders of Southern Cross Gold Ltd (the "Company") will be held at William Buck, Level 20, 181 William Street, Victoria, 3000 at 11.00am (AEDT) on Monday, 28 October 2024 ("Annual General Meeting" or "Meeting").

AGENDA

The Explanatory Statement and proxy form which accompany and form part of this Notice, include defined terms and describe in more detail the matters to be considered. Please consider this Notice, the Explanatory Statement and the proxy form in their entirety.

ORDINARY BUSINESS

Receipt and consideration of Accounts & Reports

To receive and consider the financial report of the Company and the related reports of the Directors (including the Remuneration Report) and auditors for the year ended 31 May 2024.

Note: Except for as set out in Resolution 1, there is no requirement for shareholders to approve these reports. Accordingly no resolution will be put to shareholders on this item of business.

Resolution 1: Adoption of Remuneration Report

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

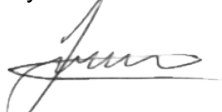
"That for the purpose of Section 250R(2) of the Corporations Act and for all other purposes, the Remuneration Report (included in the Directors' Report) for the financial year ended 31 May 2024 be adopted."

Resolution 2: Re-election of a Director of the Company – Georgina Carnegie

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That for the purposes of Article 59(1) of the Constitution, Listing Rule 14.5 and for all other purposes, Ms Georgina Carnegie, who retires by rotation and, being eligible, be re-elected as a Director of the Company."

By order of the Board



Justin Mouchacca
Company Secretary

Dated: 26 September 2024

Notes

1. **Entire Notice:** The details of the Resolutions contained in the Explanatory Statement accompanying this Notice of Meeting should be read together with, and form part of, this Notice of Meeting.
2. **Record Date:** The Company has determined that for the purposes of the Meeting, Shares will be taken to be held by the persons who are registered as holding the shares at 7.00pm (AEDT) on the date 48 hours before the date of the General Meeting. Only those persons will be entitled to vote at the General Meeting and transfers registered after that time will be disregarded in determining entitlements to attend and vote at the General Meeting.

3. **Proxies**

All voting will be conducted by poll. Please refer to the accompanying access letter sent to Shareholders for further details on how to cast your vote during the meeting.

The Directors instruct all Shareholders who would like to appoint a proxy to lodge a proxy form prior to Saturday, 26 October 2024 at 11:00am (AEDT) (**Proxy Cut-Off Time**). Please refer to the accompanying proxy form for further details on how to appoint a proxy.

Shareholders are strongly urged to appoint the Chair as their proxy. Shareholders can complete the Proxy Form to provide specific instructions on how a Shareholder's vote is to be cast on each item of business, and the Chair must follow your instructions. Lodgement instructions (which include the ability to lodge proxies online) are set out in the Proxy Form attached to the Notice. If a person other than the Chair is appointed as proxy, the proxy will revert to the Chair in the absence of the appointed proxy holder's attendance at the Meeting.

4. **Corporate Representative**

Any corporate shareholder who has appointed a person to act as its corporate representative at the Meeting should provide that person with a certificate or letter executed in accordance with the Corporations Act authorising him or her to act as that company's representative. The authority may be sent to the Company and/or registry in advance of the Meeting or handed in at the Meeting when registering as a corporate representative.

5. **How the Chairman will vote undirected proxies**

Subject to the restrictions set out below, the Chairman of the Meeting intends to vote all undirected proxies on, and in favour of, all of the proposed Resolutions.

If the Chair is appointed as your proxy and you have not specified the way the Chair is to vote on any of the Resolutions by signing and returning the Proxy Form, you are considered to have provided the Chair with an express authorisation for the Chair to vote the proxy in accordance with the Chair's intention, even if the Resolution is connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of a member of the Key Management Personnel of the Company.

6. **Voting Exclusion Statement and Proxy Voting Prohibition:**

Resolution 2

This resolution does not have any voting exclusions.

7. **Voting Prohibition:**

Resolution 1

In accordance with sections 250BD and 250R of the Corporations Act, a vote on Resolution 1 must not be cast (in any capacity) by or on behalf of a Restricted Voter.

A vote may be cast as proxy by such person if the vote is not cast on behalf of a person who is excluded from voting on this Resolution 1, and:

- (a) the person is appointed as a proxy by writing that specifies the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution; or
- (b) the voter is the Chair and the appointment of the Chair as proxy does not specify the way the proxy is to vote on this Resolution, but expressly authorises the Chair to exercise the proxy even if this Resolution is connected with the remuneration of a member of the Key Management Personnel.

8. **Enquiries**

Shareholders are invited to contact the Company Secretary, Justin Mouchacca on (03) 8360 3321 if they have any queries in respect of the matters set out in these documents.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Receipt and Consideration of Accounts & Reports

A copy of the Annual Report for the financial year ending 31 May 2024 (which incorporates the Company's financial report, reports of the Directors (including the Remuneration Report) and the auditors) is not enclosed as there is no requirement for the Company to incur the printing and distribution costs associated with doing so for all shareholders. You may obtain a copy free of charge in hard copy form by contacting the Company Secretary at jm@southerncrossgold.com.au, and you may request that this occurs on a standing basis for future years.

Alternatively, you may access the Annual Report at the Company's website: <https://www.southerncrossgold.com.au/> or via the Company's announcement platform on ASX. Except as set out in Resolution 1, no resolution is required on these reports.

Resolution 1: Adoption of Remuneration Report

Background

Section 250R(2) of the Corporations Act 2001 requires that a resolution to adopt the Remuneration Report must be put to the vote at the Meeting. The vote on this Resolution is advisory only and does not bind the Directors or the Company.

The Remuneration Report is set out in the Directors' Report in the Company's 2024 Annual Report. The Remuneration Report sets out the Company's remuneration arrangements for the Directors and senior management of the Company.

In accordance with Section 250SA of the Corporations Act 2001, Shareholders will be provided with a reasonable opportunity to ask questions concerning, or make comments on, the Remuneration Report at the Meeting.

The Corporations Act requires the Company to put a resolution to Shareholders that the In accordance with Division 9 of Part 2G.2 of the Corporations Act 2001, if twenty five (25%) percent or more of votes that are cast are voted against the adoption of the Remuneration Report at two consecutive Annual General Meetings, Shareholders will be required to vote at the second of those Annual General Meetings on a resolution (a "spill resolution") that another meeting be held within 90 days at which all of the Company's Directors (other than the Managing Director) must go up for re-election.

It is noted that at the Company's 2023 Annual General Meeting, the votes cast against the Remuneration Report represented less than twenty five (25%) per cent of the total votes cast and accordingly, a spill resolution will not under any circumstances be required for the Meeting.

The Directors will consider the outcome of the vote and comments made by Shareholders on the Remuneration Report at the Meeting when reviewing the Company's remuneration policies.

Board Recommendation

Given the material personal interests of all Directors in this Resolution, the Board makes no recommendation to Shareholders regarding this Resolution.

Resolution 2: Re-election of a Director of the Company – Georgina Carnegie

Background

The Constitution of the Company requires that at the close of every Annual General Meeting a number of the Directors must retire from office (being one-third (or, if their number is not a multiple of three, the number nearest to but not more than one-third) of the Directors other than the Managing Director). The Company has four Directors, one of whom is the Managing Director. Accordingly, one Director must retire from office at the Meeting. A Director who retires from office in accordance with the Constitution is eligible for re-election.

Listing Rule 14.5 also requires that an entity which has Directors must hold an election of Directors at each Annual General Meeting of the entity.

Ms Georgina Carnegie was last elected by shareholders at the Company's previous Annual General Meeting held on 21 October 2022. Ms Carnegie now retires and, being eligible, submits herself for re-election as a Director of the Company under Resolution 2. Ms Carnegie was first appointed to the Board on 11 February 2022.

Ms Georgina Carnegie

Ms Carnegie is an economist and international business consultant with extensive board experience in the corporate, government and education sectors. Ms Carnegie is the Company's Lead Director Antimony and helps manage the Company's Critical Metals strategy.

Ms Carnegie has over forty years' experience in international research and advisory work, particularly in Asia where she co-owned Market Intelligence (Asia), a Singapore based strategic research firm. Her early career involved senior positions in the Australian government and life insurance sectors. She recently spent more than a decade as Senior Advisor to the Chairman of a natural resources focused private equity firm.

Ms Carnegie is currently a director of Hannan Metals Ltd (TSXV:HAN), a member of the Vice Chancellor's Industry & Business Advisory Board, University of Newcastle and member of the Australia Japan Business Cooperation Committee (AJBCC).

Ms Carnegie has a B Economics (Monash) and an MPA (Kennedy School of Government, Harvard).

Board Recommendation

Regarding Resolution 2, the Board (with Ms Carnegie abstaining from voting), recommends that Shareholders vote in favour of the re-election of Ms Carnegie. The Chair of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of Ms Carnegie's re-election.

GLOSSARY

The following terms have the following meanings in this Explanatory Statement:

“\$” means Australian Dollars;

“**Annual Report**” means the Directors’ Report, the Financial Report, and Auditor’s Report, in respect to the period from incorporation to 31 May 2024;

“**ASX**” means ASX Limited ABN 98 008 624 691 or the Australian Securities Exchange, as the context requires;

“**ASX Settlement Operating Rules**” means the rules of ASX Settlement Pty Ltd which apply while the Company is an issuer of CHESS approved securities;

“**Auditor’s Report**” means the auditor’s report on the Financial Report;

“**AEDT**” means Australian Eastern Daylight Savings Time.

“**Board**” means the Directors acting as the board of Directors of the Company or a committee appointed by such board of Directors;

“**Chairman**” means the person appointed to chair the Meeting of the Company convened by the Notice and **Chair** shall have a corresponding meaning;

“**CHESS**” has the meaning in Section 2 of the ASX Settlement Operating Rules;

“**Closely Related Party**” means:

- (a) a spouse or child of the member; or
- (b) has the meaning given in section 9 of the Corporations Act.

“**Company**” means Southern Cross Gold Ltd ABN 70 652 166 795;

“**Constitution**” means the constitution of the Company as at the date of the Meeting;

“**Corporations Act**” means the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth);

“**Director**” means a Director of the Company;

“**Directors Report**” means the annual directors’ report prepared under Chapter 2M of the Corporations Act for the Company and its controlled entities;

“**Explanatory Statement**” means the explanatory statement which forms part of the Notice;

“**Financial Report**” means the annual financial report prepared under Chapter 2M of the Corporations Act for the Company and its controlled entities;

“**Key Management Personnel**” means persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company, directly or indirectly, including any Director (whether executive or otherwise) of the Company;

“**Listing Rules**” means the Listing Rules of the ASX;

“**Meeting**” has the meaning given in the introductory paragraph of the Notice;

“**Notice**” means this Notice of Meeting including the Explanatory Statement;

“**Proxy Form**” means the proxy form attached to the Notice;

“**Remuneration Report**” means the remuneration report which forms part of the Directors’ Report of Southern Cross Gold Ltd for the financial year ended 31 May 2024 and which is set out in the 2024 Annual Report.

“**Resolution**” means a resolution referred to in the Notice;

“**Restricted Voter**” means (a) a member of the key management personnel, detail of whose remuneration are included in the Remuneration Report; or (b) a closely related party of such a member.

“**Section**” means a section of the Explanatory Statement;

“**Share**” means a fully paid ordinary share in the capital of the Company;

“**Shareholder**” means shareholder of the Company;

“**Trading Day**” means a day determined by ASX to be a trading day in accordance with the Listing Rules; and

“**VWAP**” means volume weighted average price.

Need assistance?



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1300 850 505 (within Australia)
+61 3 9415 4000 (outside Australia)



Online:
www.investorcentre.com/contact



YOUR VOTE IS IMPORTANT

For your proxy appointment to be effective it must be received by **11:00am (AEDT) on Saturday, 26 October 2024.**

Proxy Form

How to Vote on Items of Business

All your securities will be voted in accordance with your directions.

APPOINTMENT OF PROXY

Voting 100% of your holding: Direct your proxy how to vote by marking one of the boxes opposite each item of business. If you do not mark a box your proxy may vote or abstain as they choose (to the extent permitted by law). If you mark more than one box on an item your vote will be invalid on that item.

Voting a portion of your holding: Indicate a portion of your voting rights by inserting the percentage or number of securities you wish to vote in the For, Against or Abstain box or boxes. The sum of the votes cast must not exceed your voting entitlement or 100%.

Appointing a second proxy: You are entitled to appoint up to two proxies to attend the meeting and vote on a poll. If you appoint two proxies you must specify the percentage of votes or number of securities for each proxy, otherwise each proxy may exercise half of the votes. When appointing a second proxy write both names and the percentage of votes or number of securities for each in Step 1 overleaf.

A proxy need not be a securityholder of the Company.

SIGNING INSTRUCTIONS FOR POSTAL FORMS

Individual: Where the holding is in one name, the securityholder must sign.

Joint Holding: Where the holding is in more than one name, all of the securityholders should sign.

Power of Attorney: If you have not already lodged the Power of Attorney with the registry, please attach a certified photocopy of the Power of Attorney to this form when you return it.

Companies: Where the company has a Sole Director who is also the Sole Company Secretary, this form must be signed by that person. If the company (pursuant to section 204A of the Corporations Act 2001) does not have a Company Secretary, a Sole Director can also sign alone. Otherwise this form must be signed by a Director jointly with either another Director or a Company Secretary. Please sign in the appropriate place to indicate the office held. Delete titles as applicable.

PARTICIPATING IN THE MEETING

Corporate Representative

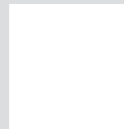
If a representative of a corporate securityholder or proxy is to participate in the meeting you will need to provide the appropriate "Appointment of Corporate Representative". A form may be obtained from Computershare or online at www.investorcentre.com/au and select "Printable Forms".

Lodge your Proxy Form:

Online:

Lodge your vote online at www.investorvote.com.au using your secure access information or use your mobile device to scan the personalised QR code.

Your secure access information is



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Australia

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1800 783 447 within Australia or
+61 3 9473 2555 outside Australia



PLEASE NOTE: For security reasons it is important that you keep your SRN/HIN confidential.

You may elect to receive meeting-related documents, or request a particular one, in electronic or physical form and may elect not to receive annual reports. To do so, contact Computershare.

☐ **Change of address.** If incorrect, mark this box and make the correction in the space to the left. Securityholders sponsored by a broker (reference number commences with 'X') should advise your broker of any changes.

Proxy Form

Please mark ☒ to indicate your directions

Step 1 Appoint a Proxy to Vote on Your Behalf

I/We being a member/s of Southern Cross Gold Ltd hereby appoint

☐ the Chairman of the Meeting **OR**

PLEASE NOTE: Leave this box blank if you have selected the Chairman of the Meeting. Do not insert your own name(s).

or failing the individual or body corporate named, or if no individual or body corporate is named, the Chairman of the Meeting, as my/our proxy to act generally at the meeting on my/our behalf and to vote in accordance with the following directions (or if no directions have been given, and to the extent permitted by law, as the proxy sees fit) at the Annual General Meeting of Southern Cross Gold Ltd to be held at William Buck, Level 20, 181 William Street, Melbourne, VIC 3000 on Monday, 28 October 2024 at 11:00am (AEDT) and at any adjournment or postponement of that meeting.

Chairman authorised to exercise undirected proxies on remuneration related resolutions: Where I/we have appointed the Chairman of the Meeting as my/our proxy (or the Chairman becomes my/our proxy by default), I/we expressly authorise the Chairman to exercise my/our proxy on Resolution 1 (except where I/we have indicated a different voting intention in step 2) even though Resolution 1 is connected directly or indirectly with the remuneration of a member of key management personnel, which includes the Chairman.

Important Note: If the Chairman of the Meeting is (or becomes) your proxy you can direct the Chairman to vote for or against or abstain from voting on Resolution 1 by marking the appropriate box in step 2.

Step 2 Items of Business

PLEASE NOTE: If you mark the **Abstain** box for an item, you are directing your proxy not to vote on your behalf on a show of hands or a poll and your votes will not be counted in computing the required majority.

	For	Against	Abstain
Resolution 1 Adoption of Remuneration Report	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Resolution 2 Re-election of a Director of the Company – Georgina Carnegie	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

The Chairman of the Meeting intends to vote undirected proxies in favour of each item of business. In exceptional circumstances, the Chairman of the Meeting may change his/her voting intention on any resolution, in which case an ASX announcement will be made.

Step 3 Signature of Securityholder(s) *This section must be completed.*

Individual or Securityholder 1

Sole Director & Sole Company Secretary

Securityholder 2

Director

Securityholder 3

Director/Company Secretary

/ /

Date

Update your communication details (Optional)

Mobile Number

Email Address

By providing your email address, you consent to receive future Notice of Meeting & Proxy communications electronically