

Follow up drilling commences at Browns Range



Highlights

- 3,000m infill and exploration drilling at Dazzler and Iceman commenced this week;
- Additional 1,500m exploration program on regional targets to follow straight after; and
- Assays expected to be received from October.

Australian heavy rare earths producer, Northern Minerals Limited (ASX: NTU) (the **Company**) is pleased to announce that it has recommenced exploration drilling at Browns Range following the recent successful program at Dazzler. Dazzler is part of the Browns Range Project in the East Kimberley region of Western Australia.

The reverse circulation (**RC**) drilling program comprises 3,000m at the Dazzler and Iceman prospects with a further 1,500m to be undertaken at a range of prospects including Banshee South, Cyclops, Longshot and Rogue.

The program is expected to take 3-4 weeks to complete, with first assay results from October.

Northern Minerals' Managing Director and CEO, George Bauk, said "*Following the recent success at Dazzler, which resulted in the best ever intercept at Browns Range, we are pleased to have the team back on the ground testing new targets.*"

"We have set the exploration team the challenge of making discoveries that will increase the life of the full-scale Browns Range development out to twenty years."

"The new exploration model and high quality targets that have yet to be fully assessed present us with excellent opportunities to increase the value of the project."

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About Northern Minerals:

Northern Minerals Limited (ASX: NTU; Northern Minerals or the Company) has completed practical completion of the Browns Range Heavy Rare Earth Pilot Plant Project in northern Western Australia and commenced pilot plant production of heavy rare earth carbonate.

The Pilot Plant Project will continue to assist the company evaluate the economic and technical feasibility of mining at Browns Range, and will provide the opportunity to gain production experience and surety of supply for our offtake partner.

Through the development of its flagship project, the Browns Range Project (the Project), Northern Minerals aims to build the Western Australian operation into the first significant world producer of dysprosium outside of China.

The Project is 100% owned by Northern Minerals and has several deposits and prospects containing high value dysprosium and other HREs, hosted in xenotime mineralisation.

Dysprosium is an essential ingredient in the production of DyNdFeB (dysprosium neodymium iron-boron) magnets used in clean energy and high technology solutions.

For more information: northernminerals.com.au.



ASX Code:	NTU	Market Capitalisation:	A\$152.7m
Issued Shares:	2,545m	Cash (as at 30 June 2019):	A\$8.1m