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The Manager
Companies Announcements Office
Australian Stock Exchange
20 Bridge Street
SYDNEY, NSW 2000

Dear Sir,

APPOINTMENT OF NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The Directors of Southern Gold Limited (ASX:SAU) are pleased to advise of the appointment of Mr David Turvey to the Board of Southern Gold as a non-executive Director.

Mr Turvey is a geologist with over 27 years experience in the Australian and Asian mining industries where he has driven business development and corporate M&A activities in precious metals, bulk commodities and industrial minerals. His experiences include holding key management roles and consulting assignments in mineral exploration, technical marketing, project development and commercial evaluation of mineral asset investments.

Commenting on Mr Turvey's appointment, Chairman Greg Boulton stated "David brings to Southern Gold highly valuable skills and experiences that will be of great assistance to the Board at an exciting time for the Company as it seeks to capitalise on the recent highly encouraging results at our Bulong South and Cambodian projects".

Mr Turvey is currently a Director of soon to be ASX listed Lawson Gold Limited. He is a former Managing Director of FerrAus Limited and has previously held senior management positions over 8 years with Normandy Mining Limited.

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