



Bluebird RNS: Access to Kochang Gold Project and Main Vein Achieved

- Bluebird Merchant Ventures release to London Stock Exchange
- Access to mineralised veins at Kochang confirmed
- Excellent ground conditions at lowest level of access
- Mapping and sampling to commence in 2 weeks

Bluebird Merchant Ventures Ltd Public Release

Southern Gold Ltd ("Southern Gold") advises that its development partner, London Stock Exchange (LSE) listed Bluebird Merchant Ventures Ltd ("Bluebird"), has released some information through the LSE information distribution platform, RNS. **The information in this latest RNS is in regard to Southern Gold's Kochang Gold Project in South Korea in which Bluebird is currently earning a 50% interest.** The RNS can be seen on their website at:

<https://bluebirdmv.com/2018/02/28/bluebird-accesses-main-vein-kochang-less-month-taking-project-publication-interim-report-accounts-31-december-2017/>

The results or statements in this RNS have not been verified by the Southern Gold board as at the time of writing.

Bluebird is currently investing US\$500,000 in the advancement of the historic Kochang Gold Mine principally by defining a development framework to advance the project on capital costs of less than US\$10 million. The report and development framework is due to be submitted to Southern Gold within 12 months. Bluebird or its associates are to complete a placement in Southern Gold to the value of A\$0.25 million at \$0.386/share before 31 May 2018. See Southern Gold ASX release dated 13 February 2018 for further details.

An important development is the access to the mineralised vein in-situ which is reported by Bluebird to vary in true width from as narrow as 10cm to as wide as well over 1m with typical width illustrated in **Photo 1** below.

Photo 1: Kochang quartz vein ~40cm true width, dipping at 40 degrees.



Shares on Issue: 49.15m

Share Price: \$0.25

Market Capitalisation: \$12.3m

Asset Base – WA, Australia

Cannon Gold Mine (100%)

Glandore Gold Project (75%*)

Cowarna Gold Project (100%)

Transfind Extended (Option)

*currently earning 90%

Asset Base – South Korea

Gubong Project (100%*/BMV)

Taechang Project (100%*/BMV)

Kochang Project (100%*/BMV)

Weolyu Au-Ag Project (100%)

Hampyeong Au-Ag Proj. (100%)

*Currently under BMV farm-in

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Photo 2: Box chute through which ore is released from a stope, a common practice in old mines.

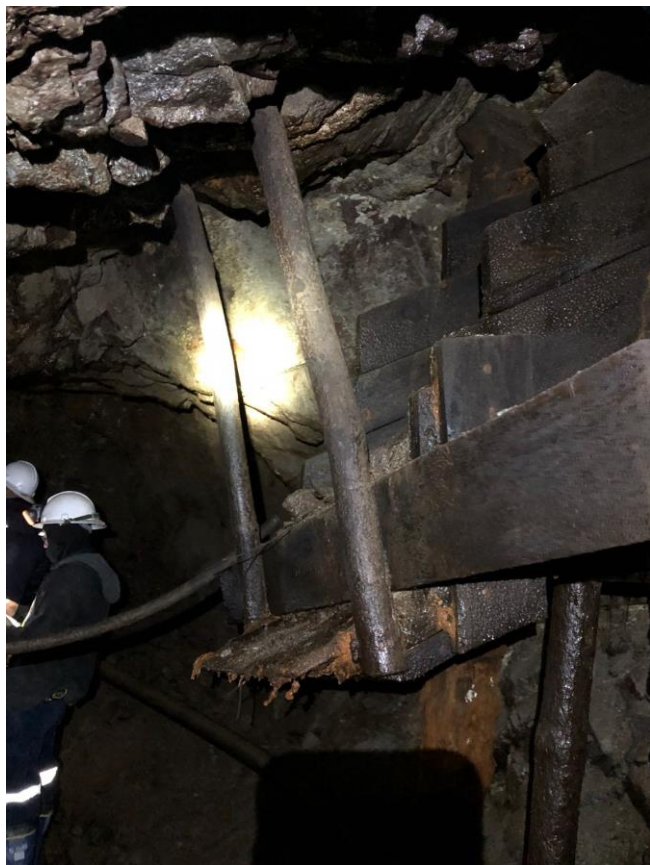


Photo 3: Old railway sleepers still in place in the floor of the main access adit.



Southern Gold Limited: Company Profile

Southern Gold Ltd is a successful gold explorer and producer listed on the Australian Securities Exchange (under ASX ticker "SAU"). The Company's main focus is its Bulong Gold Project located 30 km east of the world renowned gold district of Kalgoorlie (WA) with the flagship Cannon Gold Mine. An underground mining phase at Cannon is currently being undertaken by development partner Westgold Resources Ltd.

Southern Gold is also exploring at projects such as Glandore, Transfind Extended and Cowarna, looking for additional small high grade open pit-able gold resources and potential new discoveries.

In addition to its cornerstone position in Kalgoorlie, Southern Gold owns a portfolio of high grade gold projects in South Korea. These projects are a combination of decommissioned gold mines with orogenic gold mineralisation and greenfield epithermal gold targets. Southern Gold's aim is to move one or more of the orogenic gold mines such as Gubong and Taechang into production in the short to medium term utilising the technical expertise of its joint venture partner and London Stock Exchange listed Bluebird Merchant Ventures Limited as well as explore for world-class epithermal gold deposits.

Forward-looking statements

Some statements in this release regarding estimates or future events are forward looking statements. These may include, without limitation:

- *Estimates of future cash flows, the sensitivity of cash flows to metal prices and foreign exchange rate movements;*
- *Estimates of future metal production; and*
- *Estimates of the resource base and statements regarding future exploration results.*

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