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Transaction Completed Sale of Manica Gold Project

Auroch Minerals NL (ASX: AOU) (**Auroch** or the **Company**) is pleased to advise that final approval has been received under the Mozambique Mining Act from the Mozambican mining authorities in addition to the earlier approvals from the Central Bank and the Ministry of Taxation, permitting the completion of the sale of 100% of the Manica Gold Project to AIM-listed Xtract Resources Plc (AIM:XTR) (**Xtract**) (the **Transaction**).

Chairman Mr Glenn Whiddon commented:

We are extremely pleased to complete the transaction with Xtract and we look forward to the success of the Manica Gold project in a rising gold market.

Final Transaction Terms:

- Cash payment of ~A\$4.2 million¹ (US\$3.0 million); and
- Shares in XTR currently valued at ~A\$4.22 million² (1,137,258,065 XTR Shares); (**Completion Consideration**).

3 months post Completion:

- Deferred cash consideration of ~A\$3.5million³ (US\$2.5 million) payable as follows:
 - US\$1.3 million cash; and
 - the remaining US\$1.2 million will be payable in cash or XTR Shares (at Auroch's election), issued at a 20% discount to the 10-day VWAP prior to Auroch's election.

Extension of the date for the fulfilment of all conditions regarding the Transaction from 29 February 2016 to 31 March 2016 to facilitate payment of the Completion Consideration and admission to trading on AIM of the XTR shares.

The shares in Xtract issued to Auroch are subject to an orderly market agreement on the AIM. In addition, the parties have agreed that should Xtract undertake an equity financing prior to the 3-

¹ Assumes 1 US Dollar equals 1.40 Australian Dollars

² Assumes 1 British Pound equals 1.95 Australian Dollars and an Xtract share price of £0.0019

³ Assumes 1 US Dollar equals 1.40 Australian Dollars

month period following completion of the Transaction, then any deferred consideration will become immediately due and payable in cash or shares at Auroch's option.

A copy of Xtract's announcement lodged on AIM can be found [here](http://www.xtractresources.com) (0.21Mb) or <http://www.xtractresources.com>

Following completion of the sale of the Manica Gold Project, Auroch retains 100% of two prospecting licenses in Western Australia; the Beete Gold Project (P63/1646) and the Peninsula Gold Project (P63/1694) (**Figure 1**). In addition to focusing its efforts on these two tenements the Company will continue to assess potential future opportunities to add value to shareholders.

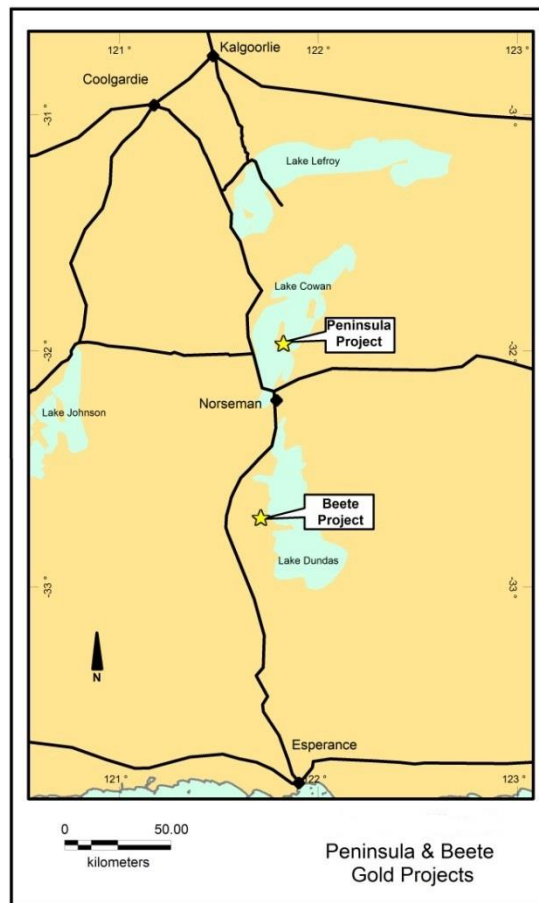


Figure 1: Location of the Peninsula and Beete Gold Projects Western Australia

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