

ASX Announcement

PARINGA COMMENCES TRADING IN THE UNITED STATES ON OTCQX

Paringa Resources Limited ("**Paringa**" or "**Company**") (**ASX:PNL**, **OTCQX:PNGZF**) is pleased to advise that the Company's ordinary shares have commenced trading in the United States on the OTCQX® Best Market under the symbol "PNGZF." Trading in the United States will enable new and existing US investors to trade Paringa's ordinary shares in US dollars during normal US trading hours.

Trading on OTCQX will provide the Company with greater access to US capital markets as it continues to progress the development of its Buck Creek Mining Complex located in the United States, including the financing and construction of its Buck Creek No.1 Mine. In addition, Paringa will be able to maintain regular disclosure that is in line with the reporting requirements of the Company's primary market, the ASX, where the Company's ordinary shares will continue to trade under the symbol "PNL".

The Company will now begin an extensive marketing campaign to new coal investors throughout the United States as the Company progresses through the financing and construction phases of the Buck Creek No.1 Mine and completing technical studies at the Buck Creek No.2 Mine. To facilitate this, the Company will continue to build relationships with US banks and brokers that have experience and knowledge of the US coal industry, in particular the Illinois Basin.

Paringa's President and Chief Executive Officer, Mr. David Gay, said, *"The Buck Creek Mining Complex is an important new coal development for the region which relies heavily on thermal coal for baseload power. We recognize the strong interest from US institutional, sophisticated and retail investors who want to invest in the Company's Buck Creek No.1 Mine located in the US as it approaches production, and the OTCQX Market quotation will provide the opportunity for these investors to trade conveniently during normal US trading hours."*

US investors can find current financial disclosure and Real-Time Level 2 quotes for the company on www.otcmarkets.com.

About OTCQX

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Forward Looking Statements

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