

Governor Broome Drilling Update

- Second drill rig commissioned at the Governor Broome mineral sands deposits
- Exploration program making good progress on extension and infill drilling
- Total of approximately 5,000metres drilled and 1.5 tonnes of samples submitted for laboratory analysis
- Current program aims to identify new resources and upgrade JORC classification

Astro Resources NL (**Astro** or the **Company**) (ASX:ARO) is pleased to provide the following progress report on drilling at the Governor Broome mineral sands deposits in the south-west region of Western Australia.

Drill Progress:

A second rig has commenced drilling on the project area to accelerate the definition and development of a commercial resource. Exploration, to date, has progressed on schedule and on budget.

Approximately 5,000metres have been drilled on the Governor Broome deposit.

The work will contribute to increased confidence in the resource with a higher JORC "Indicated" classification.

Drilling is nearing completion on the southern and eastern extensions of the Governor Broome deposit area.

One of the rigs will then be relocated for bulk sampling at the Governor Broome North deposit.

Commencement of Laboratory Analysis:

880 samples, representing 1.5tonnes of material, have now been submitted for laboratory analysis, and an additional 2,000 samples have been prepared awaiting laboratory capacity.

Initial test work will provide HM (heavy mineral) content and allow selection of those samples for additional metallurgical analysis designed to identify the characteristics, assemblage and quality of the minerals present.

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