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## NEW MASSIVE SULPHIDE HITS EXTEND HIGH-GRADE NICKEL ZONE AT EMERGING “HARTLEY” PROSPECT

**Continuous high-grade nickel now intersected over a 200m strike length, opening up a significant new search space at the renamed Location 1 prospect north-west of Cassini**

Mincor Resources NL (ASX: MCR, “Mincor” or “the Company”) is pleased to report two significant new high-grade massive sulphide nickel intersections, significantly extending the recently discovered mineralisation at the emerging “Hartley” prospect (renamed from Location 1), 17km north-west of its Cassini mine.

Two new holes (MDD373W1 & MDD373W2) were drilled further south along strike from the high-grade intercepts announced on 25 August 2021, all within a 3km long untested zone. The holes returned the following assay results:

- **MDD373W1 - 1.4m @ 3.0 % Ni (on contact); and**
- **MDD373W2 - 4.5m @ 3.3 % Ni (including 0.6m @ 6.9% Ni, on contact)**

The two holes were designed to test a 100m section to the south of the intercept in MDD372 (1.2m @ 3.5% Ni) reported on 25 August 2021. MDD373W2 is the most significant intersection encountered to date at the Hartley prospect in terms of its width, high grade and tenor.

Importantly, this intersection (**4.5m @ 3.3% Ni**) sits in an open contact position, with a secondary hanging wall intersection of 2.2m @ 2.4% Ni approximately 6 metres above the mineralisation on the basalt contact. Interestingly, the contact was further to the east than modelled, suggesting a potentially more deeply embayed trough. These factors suggest that the mineralised channel could be stronger towards the south, although this will require further drilling to evaluate.

The next hole, MDD374, is currently underway testing a further 100 metres to the south along the plunge of the channel.

Mincor’s Managing Director, David Southam, said: *“These latest intercepts provide strong evidence that we have an exciting emerging exploration opportunity at the Hartley prospect, just 17km from our new Cassini mine. We have now intersected high-grade nickel sulphides, with width, over a 200-metre strike length and while, we are still at a relatively early stage in terms of our understanding of the primary architecture and geometry, the high-quality results bode extremely well for the future prospectivity of this area.*

*“We are also very pleased to recognise our General Manager of Exploration, Rob Hartley, by upgrading the naming convention for this emerging area.*

*“This particular exploration program was generated by Rob and his team and it’s fitting to be able to acknowledge his substantial contribution to Mincor over a period of more than two decades. Rob was also part of the team recognised with last year’s AMEC Prospector of the Year Award for the Cassini.”*

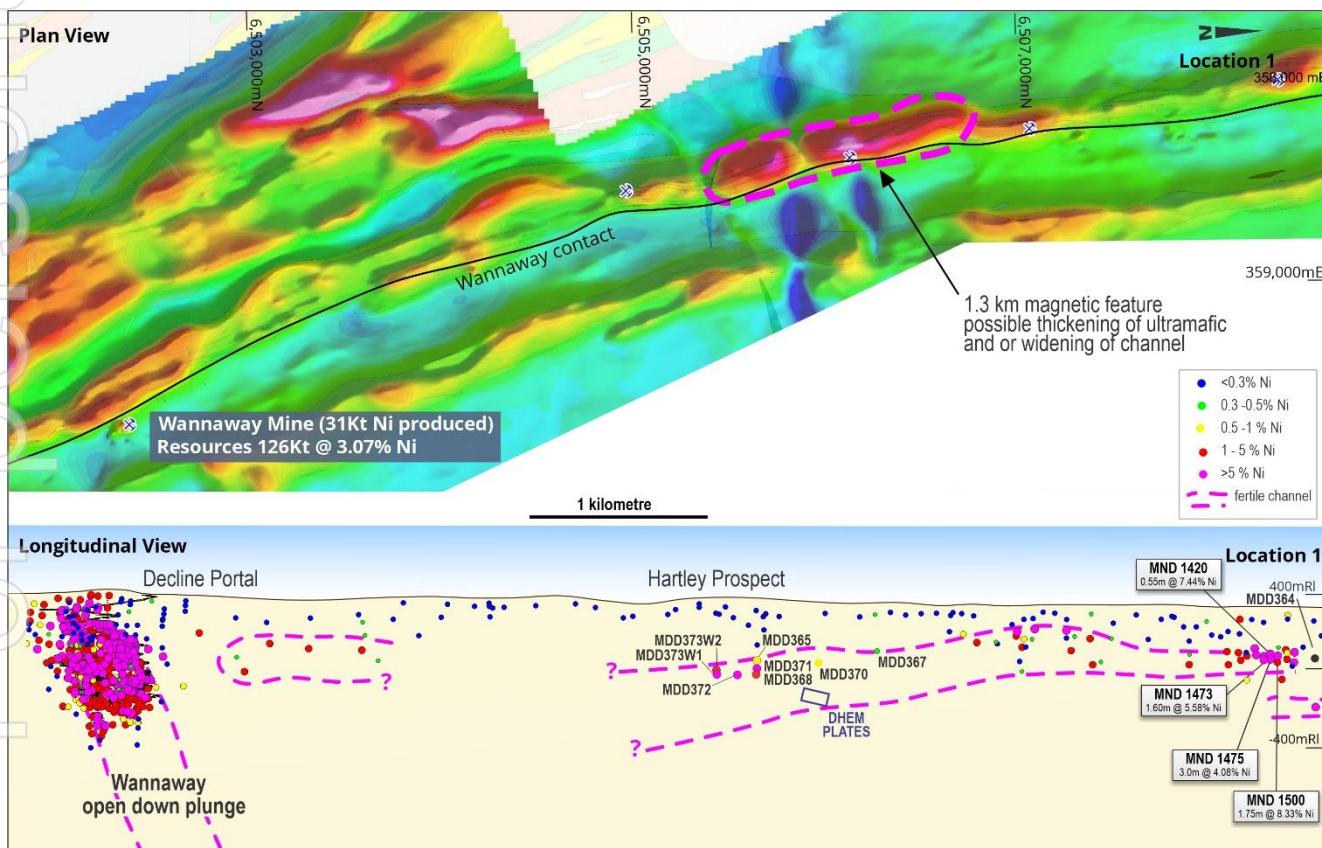
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MDD373W2 intersection (4.5m @ 3.3% Ni) – massive and matrix sulphides core, prior to assays



Hartley Prospect – Long Section and Plan

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## APPENDIX 1: Drill Hole Tabulations

Hole ID	Collar coordinates						From	To	Interval	Est. true width	% Nickel	% Copper	% Cobalt
	MGA easting	MGA northing	MGA RL	EOH depth	Dip	MGA azimuth							
<b>Location 1- Diamond Drilling</b>													
MDD373W1	358217	6505570	348	528.9	-60	90	481.94	483.35	1.4	1.1	3.0	0.2	0.1
MDD373W2	358217	5405570	348	529.0	-60	90	469.70	471.87	2.2	unk	2.4	0.1	0.1
							478.00	482.49	4.5	4.1	3.3	0.3	0.1
						incl	481.87	482.49	0.6	0.6	6.9	0.1	0.1

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## APPENDIX 2: JORC Code, 2012 Edition – Table 1

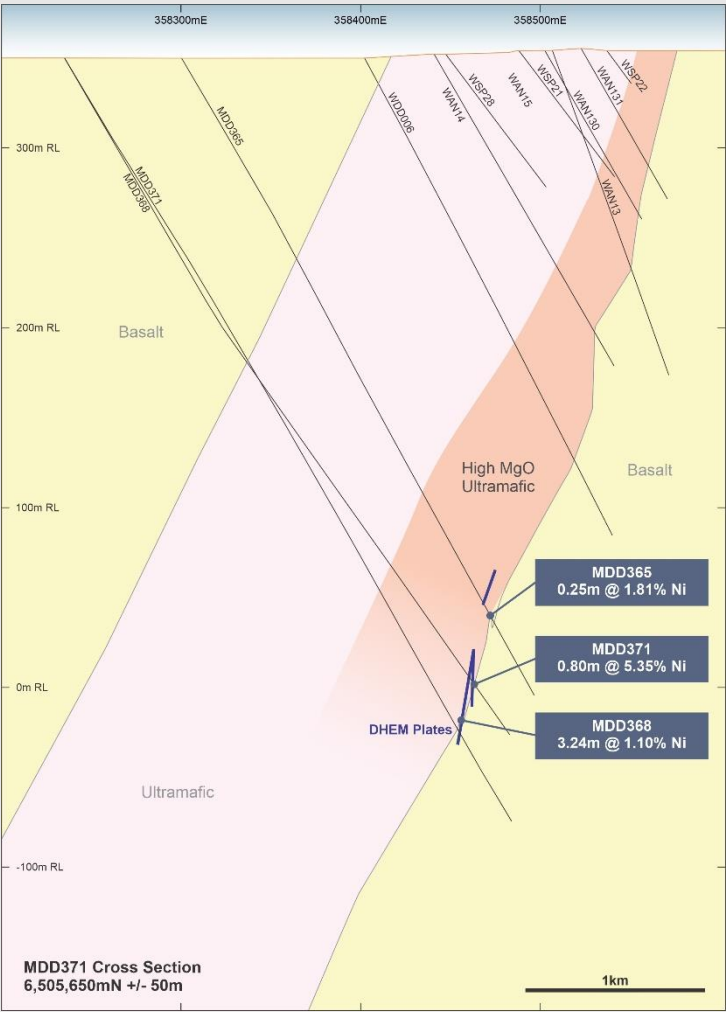
### Section 1: Sampling Techniques and Data (criteria in this section apply to all succeeding sections)

Criteria	JORC Code explanation	Commentary
<b>Sampling techniques</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nature and quality of sampling (e.g. cut channels, random chips, or specific specialised industry standard measurement tools appropriate to the minerals under investigation, such as downhole gamma sondes, or handheld XRF instruments, etc.). These examples should not be taken as limiting the broad meaning of sampling.</li> <li>Include reference to measures taken to ensure sample representivity and the appropriate calibration of any measurement tools or systems used.</li> <li>Aspects of the determination of mineralisation that are Material to the Public Report.</li> <li>In cases where 'industry standard' work has been done this would be relatively simple (e.g. 'reverse circulation drilling was used to obtain 1m samples from which 3kg was pulverised to produce a 30g charge for fire assay'). In other cases, more explanation may be required, such as where there is coarse gold that has inherent sampling problems. Unusual commodities or mineralisation types (e.g. submarine nodules) may warrant disclosure of detailed information.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mineralisation is visible so only a few metres before and after intersection are sampled.</li> <li>For diamond drill core, representivity is ensured by sampling to geological contacts. Diamond core samples are usually 1.5m or less.</li> <li>Diamond core is half sawn and the one consistent side is sampled.</li> </ul>
<b>Drilling techniques</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Drill type (e.g. core, reverse circulation, open-hole hammer, rotary air blast, auger, Bangka, sonic, etc.) and details (e.g. core diameter, triple or standard tube, depth of diamond tails, face-sampling bit or other type, whether core is oriented and if so, by what method, etc.).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diamond drill core is NQ or HQ sizes. All core is orientated.</li> </ul>
<b>Drill sample recovery</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Method of recording and assessing core and chip sample recoveries and results assessed.</li> <li>Measures taken to maximise sample recovery and ensure representative nature of the samples.</li> <li>Whether a relationship exists between sample recovery and grade and whether sample bias may have occurred due to preferential loss/gain of fine/coarse material.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For diamond core, recoveries are measured for each drill run. Recoveries generally 100%. Only in areas of core loss are recoveries recorded and adjustments made to metre marks.</li> <li>There is no relationship to grade and core loss as core loss is relatively rare.</li> </ul>
<b>Logging</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Whether core and chip samples have been geologically and geotechnically logged to a level of detail to support appropriate Mineral Resource estimation, mining studies and metallurgical studies.</li> <li>Whether logging is qualitative or quantitative in nature. Core (or costean, channel, etc.) photography.</li> <li>The total length and percentage of the relevant intersections logged.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All drilling is geologically logged and stored in database.</li> <li>For diamond core, basic geotechnical information is also recorded.</li> </ul>
<b>Subsampling techniques and sample preparation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If core, whether cut or sawn and whether quarter, half or all core taken.</li> <li>If non-core, whether riffled, tube sampled, rotary split, etc. and whether sampled wet or dry.</li> <li>For all sample types, the nature, quality and appropriateness of the sample preparation technique.</li> <li>Quality control procedures adopted for all subsampling stages to maximise representivity of samples.</li> <li>Measures taken to ensure that the sampling is representative of the in-situ material collected, including for instance results for field duplicate/second-half sampling.</li> <li>Whether sample sizes are appropriate to the grain size of the material being sampled.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Half cut diamond sawn core sampled, marked up by Mincor geologists while logging and cut by Mincor field assistants.</li> <li>Sample lengths to geological boundaries or no greater than 1.5m per individual sample.</li> <li>As nickel mineralisation is in the 1% to 15% volume range, the sample weights are not an issue vs grain size.</li> </ul>

Criteria	JORC Code explanation	Commentary
<b>Quality of assay data and laboratory tests</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The nature, quality and appropriateness of the assaying and laboratory procedures used and whether the technique is considered partial or total.</li> <li>For geophysical tools, spectrometers, handheld XRF instruments, etc., the parameters used in determining the analysis including instrument make and model, reading times, calibrations factors applied and their derivation, etc.</li> <li>Nature of quality control procedures adopted (e.g. standards, blanks, duplicates, external laboratory checks) and whether acceptable levels of accuracy (i.e. lack of bias) and precision have been established.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>samples assayed by four-acid digest with ICP finish and is considered a total digest.</li> <li>Reference standards and blanks are routinely added to every batch of samples. Total QAQC samples make up approx. 10% of all samples.</li> <li>Monthly QAQC reports are compiled by database consultant and distributed to Mincor personnel.</li> </ul>
<b>Verification of sampling and assaying</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The verification of significant intersections by either independent or alternative company personnel.</li> <li>The use of twinned holes.</li> <li>Documentation of primary data, data entry procedures, data verification, data storage (physical and electronic) protocols.</li> <li>Discuss any adjustment to assay data.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As nickel mineralisation is highly visible and can be relatively accurately estimated even as to grade, no other verification processes are in place or required.</li> <li>Holes are logged on Microsoft Excel templates and uploaded by consultant into Datashed format SQL databases; these have their own in-built libraries and validation routines.</li> </ul>
<b>Location of data points</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Accuracy and quality of surveys used to locate drill holes (collar and down-hole surveys), trenches, mine workings and other locations used in Mineral Resource estimation.</li> <li>Specification of the grid system used.</li> <li>Quality and adequacy of topographic control.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Drill holes are initially set out by GPS and picked up by registered surveyor at completion.</li> <li>Downhole surveys are routinely done using continuous reading gyro based instrument</li> </ul>
<b>Data spacing and distribution</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Data spacing for reporting of Exploration Results.</li> <li>Whether the data spacing and distribution is sufficient to establish the degree of geological and grade continuity appropriate for the Mineral Resource and Ore Reserve estimation procedure(s) and classifications applied.</li> <li>Whether sample compositing has been applied.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Current drill hole spacing is roughly 100 meters and up to 300m as it still an early stage exploration prospect.</li> <li>Further infill will be required depending on success.</li> </ul>
<b>Orientation of data in relation to geological structure</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Whether the orientation of sampling achieves unbiased sampling of possible structures and the extent to which this is known, considering the deposit type.</li> <li>If the relationship between the drilling orientation and the orientation of key mineralised structures is considered to have introduced a sampling bias, this should be assessed and reported if material.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mineralised bodies at this prospect are relatively planar and the contact is predictable thus holes drilled from west to east at moderate dip angles will intersect the contact at optimum angles.</li> </ul>
<b>Sample security</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The measures taken to ensure sample security.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Core is delivered to logging yard by drilling contractor but is in the custody of Mincor employees up until it is sampled. Samples are either couriered to a commercial lab or dropped off directly by Mincor staff.</li> </ul>
<b>Audits or reviews</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The results of any audits or reviews of sampling techniques and data.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In-house audits of data are undertaken on a periodic basis.</li> </ul>

## Section 2: Reporting of Exploration Results (criteria listed in the preceding section also apply to this section)

Criteria	JORC Code explanation	Commentary
<b>Mineral tenement and land tenure status</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Type, reference name/number, location and ownership including agreements or material issues with third parties such as joint ventures, partnerships, overriding royalties, native title interests, historical sites, wilderness or national park and environmental settings.</li> <li>The security of the tenure held at the time of reporting along with any known impediments to obtaining a licence to operate in the area.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All intersections lie within tenure owned 100% by Mincor.</li> <li>Hartley prospect is on M15/88</li> </ul>
<b>Exploration done by other parties</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Acknowledgment and appraisal of exploration by other parties.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WMC have previously explored the laterite nickel near surface at the Hartley Prospect</li> </ul>
<b>Geology</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Deposit type, geological setting and style of mineralisation.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Typical "Kambalda" style nickel sulphide deposits.</li> </ul>
<b>Drill-hole information</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A summary of all information material to the understanding of the exploration results including a tabulation of the following information for all Material drill-holes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>easting and northing of the drill hole collar</li> <li>elevation or RL (Reduced Level – elevation above sea level in metres) of the drill-hole collar</li> <li>dip and azimuth of the hole</li> <li>downhole length and interception depth</li> <li>hole length.</li> </ul> </li> <li>If the exclusion of this information is justified on the basis that the information is not Material and this exclusion does not detract from the understanding of the report, the Competent Person should clearly explain why this is the case.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>See attached tables in previous releases and Appendix 1 of this release.</li> </ul>
<b>Data aggregation methods</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In reporting Exploration Results, weighting averaging techniques, maximum and/or minimum grade truncations (e.g. cutting of high grades) and cut-off grades are usually Material and should be stated.</li> <li>Where aggregate intercepts incorporate short lengths of high grade results and longer lengths of low grade results, the procedure used for such aggregation should be stated and some typical examples of such aggregations should be shown in detail.</li> <li>The assumptions used for any reporting of metal equivalent values should be clearly stated.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Composites are calculated as the length and density weighted average to a 1% Ni cut-off. They may contain internal waste; however, the 1% composite must carry in both directions.</li> <li>The nature of nickel sulphides is that these composites include massive sulphides (7–18% Ni), matrix sulphides (4–7% Ni) and disseminated sulphides (1–4% Ni). The relative contributions can vary markedly within a single orebody.</li> </ul>

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<b>Relationship between mineralisation widths and intercept lengths</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• These relationships are particularly important in the reporting of Exploration Results.</li> <li>• If the geometry of the mineralisation with respect to the drill-hole angle is known, its nature should be reported.</li> <li>• If it is not known and only the down hole lengths are reported, there should be a clear statement to this effect (e.g. 'down hole length, true width not known').</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The general strike and dip of the basalt contact is well understood so estimating likely true widths is relatively simple, although low angle holes can be problematic.</li> </ul>
<b>Diagrams</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Appropriate maps and sections (with scales) and tabulations of intercepts should be included for any significant discovery being reported. These should include, but not be limited to a plan view of drill hole collar locations and appropriate sectional views.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• See body of text for diagrams. And cross section below from section 100 meters to the north.</li> </ul>  <p><b>MDD371 Cross Section</b> 6,505,650mN +/- 50m</p> <p>Scale: 1km</p> <p>Drill Hole Data:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MDD365: 0.25m @ 1.81% Ni</li> <li>MDD371: 0.80m @ 5.35% Ni</li> <li>MDD368: 3.24m @ 1.10% Ni</li> </ul>
<b>Balanced reporting</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Where comprehensive reporting of all Exploration Results is not practicable, representative reporting of both low and high grades and/or widths should be practiced to avoid misleading reporting of Exploration Results.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All holes are represented on the long section in body of report.</li> </ul>

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<b>Other substantive exploration data</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Other exploration data, if meaningful and material, should be reported including (but not limited to): geological observations; geophysical survey results; geochemical survey results; bulk samples – size and method of treatment; metallurgical test results; bulk density, groundwater, geotechnical and rock characteristics; potential deleterious or contaminating substances.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DHEM surveys have been used to predict location and extent of mineralisation</li> </ul>
<b>Further work</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The nature and scale of planned further work (e.g. tests for lateral extensions or depth extensions or large-scale step-out drilling).</li> <li>Diagrams clearly highlighting the areas of possible extensions, including the main geological interpretations and future drilling areas, provided this information is not commercially sensitive.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Intersections at the extremities are usually still open down plunge (see 3D image).</li> <li>Drilling is ongoing testing both the plunge and depth limits which are currently unknown.</li> </ul>

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## APPENDIX 3: Nickel Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves

### Nickel Mineral Resources as at 25 June 2020

RESOURCE	MEASURED		INDICATED		INFERRED		TOTAL		
	Tonnes	Ni (%)	Tonnes	Ni (%)	Tonnes	Ni (%)	Tonnes	Ni (%)	Ni tonnes
Cassini			1,282,000	4.0	194,000	4.1	1,476,000	4.0	58,700
Long			487,000	4.1	303,000	4.0	791,000	4.1	32,000
Redross	39,000	4.9	138,000	2.9	67,000	2.9	244,000	3.2	7,900
Burnett	-	-	241,000	4.0	-	-	241,000	4.0	9,700
Miitel	156,000	3.5	408,000	2.8	27,000	4.1	591,000	3.1	18,100
Wannaway	-	-	110,000	2.6	16,000	6.6	126,000	3.1	3,900
Carnilya*	33,000	3.6	40,000	2.2	-	-	73,000	2.8	2,100
Otter Juan	2,000	6.9	51,000	4.1	-	-	53,000	4.3	2,300
Ken/McMahon	25,000	2.7	183,000	3.9	54,000	3.2	262,000	3.7	9,600
Durkin North	-	-	417,000	5.3	10,000	3.8	427,000	5.2	22,400
Durkin Oxide			154,000	3.2	22,000	1.7	176,000	3.0	5,200
Gellatly	-	-	29,000	3.4	-	-	29,000	3.4	1,000
Voyce	-	-	50,000	5.3	14,000	5.0	64,000	5.2	3,400
Cameron	-	-	96,000	3.3	-	-	96,000	3.3	3,200
Stockwell	-	-	554,000	3.0	-	-	554,000	3.0	16,700
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>256,000</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>4,240,000</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>708,000</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>5,203,000</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>196,100</b>

Note:

- Figures have been rounded and hence may not add up exactly to the given totals.
- Note that nickel Mineral Resources are inclusive of nickel Ore Reserves.

\*Nickel Mineral Resource shown for Carnilya Hill were those attributable to Mincor – recent acquisition of 100% nickel rights will be reflected on June 30 update.

The information in this report that relates to nickel Mineral Resources is based on information compiled by Rob Hartley, who is a Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr Hartley is a full-time employee of Mincor Resources NL and has sufficient experience relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration, and to the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 edition of the 'Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves. Mr Hartley consents to the inclusion in this report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

### Nickel Ore Reserves as at 30 June 2020

RESERVE	PROVED		PROBABLE		TOTAL		
	Tonnes	Ni (%)	Tonnes	Ni (%)	Tonnes	Ni (%)	Ni tonnes
Cassini			1,212,000	3.3	1,212,000	3.3	40,100
Long			162,000	2.7	162,000	2.7	4,300
Burnett	-	-	271,000	2.6	271,000	2.6	6,900
Miitel	19,000	2.9	126,000	2.1	145,000	2.2	3,300
Durkin North	-	-	675,000	2.4	675,000	2.4	16,500
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>19,000</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2,445,000</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2,465,000</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>71,100</b>

Note:

- Figures have been rounded and hence may not add up exactly to the given totals.
- Note that nickel Mineral Resources are inclusive of nickel Ore Reserves.
- Durkin North Ore Reserves have had a minor reduction since the Ore Reserves were last reported as at 30 June 2019 as a result of a mine design access change removing the J and K ore zones from reserves.
- The Miitel Ore Reserve has a minor reduction since the Ore Reserve were last reported as at 30 June 2019 from removing two small stopes from Ore Reserves.

The information in this report that relates to nickel Ore Reserves at Cassini and Long is based on information compiled by Dean Will, who is a Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr Will is a full-time employee of Mincor Resources NL and has sufficient experience relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration, and to the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 edition of the "Australian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves". Mr Will consents to the inclusion in this report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

The information in this report that relates to nickel Ore Reserves at Burnett, Miitel and Durkin North is based on information compiled by Paul Darcey, who is a Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr Darcey is a full-time employee of Mincor Resources NL and has sufficient experience relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration, and to the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 edition of the "Australian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves". Mr Darcey consents to the inclusion in this report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

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