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ASX Announcement

DRILLING COMPLETED AT AVON PLAINS GOLD PROJECT

Highlights

- Bubalus has completed its planned Reverse Circulation (RC) drilling program at the Avon Plains Historic Gold Mine.
- 15 holes have been completed for a total of 1,234 metres.
- Samples have been dispatched to the laboratory, with assays expected in early February 2026.

Bubalus Resources Limited (ASX: BUS) (**Bubalus** or the **Company**) is pleased to announce the completion of its maiden drilling program at the Avon Plains Gold Project, located approximately 30 km west of St. Arnaud, in Central Victoria. (Figure 1)

Drilling Program

The maiden Reverse Circulation (RC) drilling program comprised 1,234 metres, targeting historically mined gold bearing reefs, and a silver/antimony in soil anomaly.

All samples have been dispatched to ALS laboratories in Adelaide, with assays expected in early February 2026.

This announcement has been authorised by the Board of Directors of Bubalus Resources Limited.

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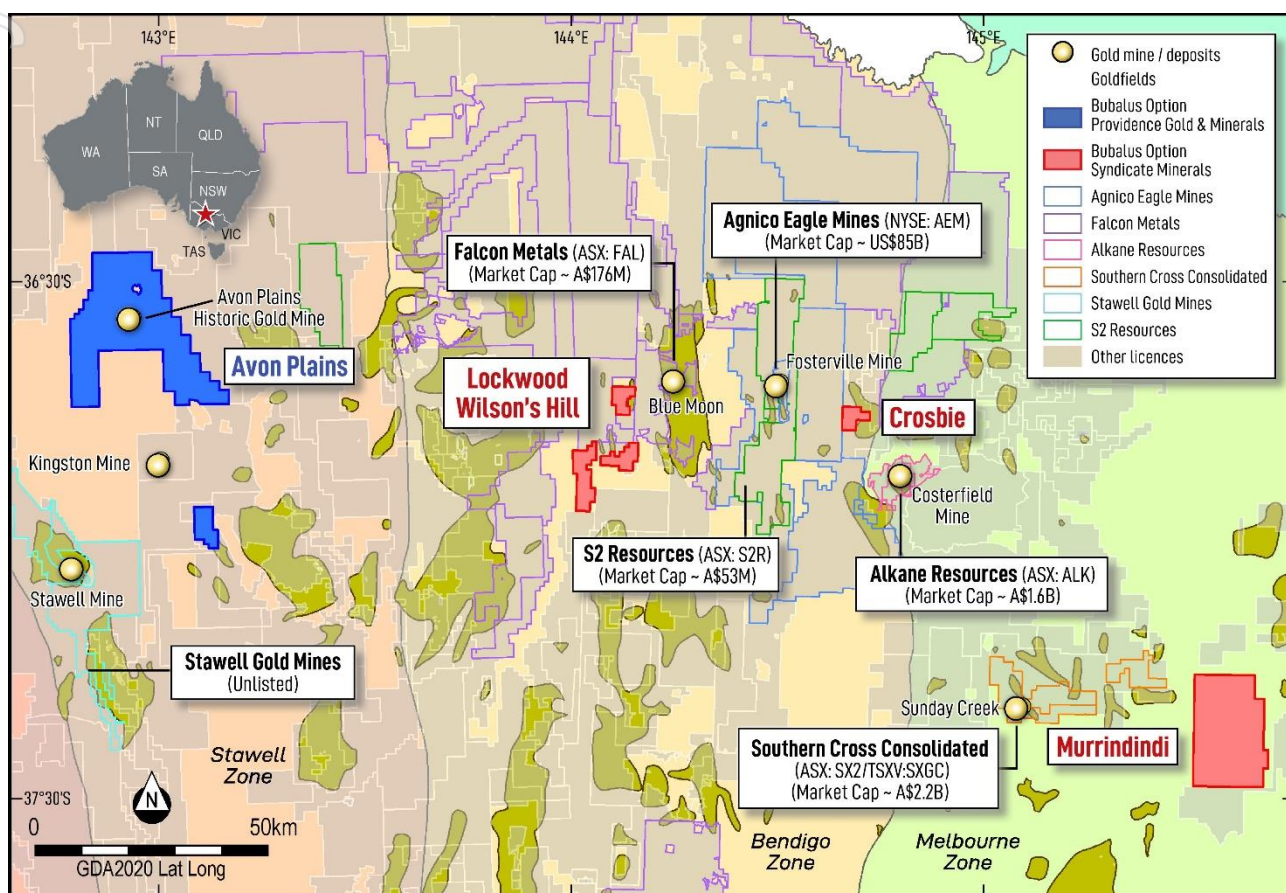


Figure 1: Location of Avon Plains licences and other Victorian licences optioned by BUS

COMPETENT PERSON'S STATEMENT

Information in this report relating to Exploration Results, consisting of commentary on the historical mining activities, is based on information compiled, reviewed and assessed by Mr. Brendan Borg, who is a Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr. Borg is a Director of Bubalus Resources and has sufficient experience which is 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 by the 2012 Edition of the Australasian Code for reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves (**JORC Code**). Mr. Borg consents to the inclusion of the information in the form and context in which it appears.

The Company confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in the original market announcement. The Company confirms that the form and context in which the Competent Person's findings are presented have not been materially modified from the original market announcement.

ABOUT BUBALUS RESOURCES

Bubalus has six projects, the Victorian Gold Projects, the Yinnietharra Lithium Project (prospective for lithium), Amadeus Project (prospective for Manganese), the Coomarie Project (prospective for Heavy Rare Earths), the Nolans East Project (prospective for Light Rare Earths) and the Pargee Project (prospective for Heavy Rare Earths), which are located in the Northern Territory and Western Australia:

Victorian Gold Projects (Au/Sb) – A portfolio of 8 granted licences in the heart of the Victorian Goldfields. Headlined by the Crosbie Project, which has drill ready targets supported by high grade surface gold and antimony, geophysical anomalies, and geological characteristics.

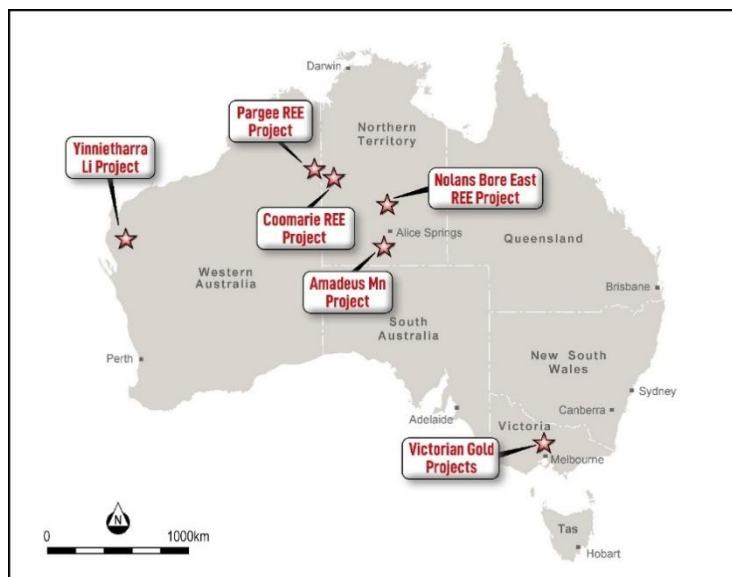
Nolans East Project (Light REEs) - The project covers 380 km² of the Arunta Province, analogous to Nolan's Bore light rare earth deposit and is prospective for light rare earths, located only 15 kms east of Arafura's (ASX:ARU) 56Mt NPV \$1.011Bn light rare earth deposit.

Yinnietharra Project (Li) - Yinnietharra Project with the boundary of E09/2724 lying only 2 km east of the Malinda Prospect owned by Delta Lithium Limited (ASX:DLI) (**Delta**). Drilling at Malinda by Delta has identified spodumene-hosted lithium mineralisation over a distance of 1.6 km and to a depth of 350 m¹.

Amadeus Project (Mn) - Significant land package with 150 kms of strike containing outcropping high-grade manganese covering 5,436 km², located 125 km south of Alice Springs, where historical exploration has identified 11 manganese occurrences, along with cobalt, gallium and Ni-Zn-Cu also identified.

Coomarie Project (Heavy REEs) - The project covers 1,315 km² and presents as a geological analogue to Browns Dome, host to Northern Mineral's (ASX:NTU) Browns Range heavy rare earths deposit where mineralisation is hosted on margins of granite dome intrusive where the unconformity between Gardiner Sandstone and Browns Range Metamorphics exist and located in the Tanami Region.

Pargee Project (Heavy REEs) - The project is prospective for heavy rare earths and located 30 kms from PWV Resource's (ASX:PVW) Watts Rise heavy rare earths discovery.



¹ Refer to Delta Lithium Limited's ASX Announcement on 21st August 2023 "Excellent Yinnetharra Initial Metallurgical Results and Drilling Update".