

COMINGS AND GOINGS



Niall Lenahan

Riversdale Mining Ltd has made board changes in the wake of Rio Tinto Ltd's takeover. Niall Lenahan has resigned as company secretary and chief financial officer. Audrey Ferguson has been appointed company secretary and Michael Jolley will move into the role of chief financial officer.



Audrey Ferguson

Brazilian Metals Group Ltd changed its top roles with the appointment of Peter O'Connor as non-executive chairman and Bruce McCracken as chief executive. Malcolm Castle also has been appointed to the board, as executive technical director. Tom Kelly and Craig Bromley have resigned as directors after several years.

Atlas Iron Ltd chairman Geoff Clifford will resign this month to spend more time with his family. Clifford spent the past four years at Atlas, first as a non-executive director before moving on to chairman. David Hannon

has been appointed interim chairman as the board undergoes a restructure.

Mark McConnell has been appointed an executive of Mungana Goldmines Ltd. McConnell, a senior fellow of the Chartered Directors Association of Australia, is a representative of largest shareholder Guangdong Guangxin Holdings Group Ltd.



Mark Strizek

Vital Metals Ltd has appointed Mark Strizek as chief executive. A member of AusIMM, Strizek comes from Iron Ore Holdings Ltd, where he was exploration general manager, and replaces Howard Carr. Doug Stewart has also been appointed to the board as a non-executive, and brings with him more than 40 years' technical and commercial experience in the resources sector.



Doug Stewart

Richard Bradey has been appointed exploration manager for Thor Mining plc to replace act-

ing exploration manager Stuart Till. Bradey has worked at a senior level for Hillgrove Resources Ltd, Xstrata Zinc plc and Aditya Birla Minerals Ltd.

Emergent Resources Ltd has further strengthened its board with the appointment of Geoff Cowie and Stuart Hall both as non-executives. Cowie and Hall both have more 35 years' experience in infrastructure and project management. Robert Boylan, the company's largest shareholder, has left his non-executive position.



Stuart Hall

Steven Chadwick has resigned as director of BC Iron Ltd due to relocation to Canada.

Recently listed Red October Resources Ltd has appointed Eugene Lambert as joint company secretary and Nick Bishop as chief financial officer. Lambert is a member of Chartered Secretaries Australia, whereas Bishop has 11 years' experience in financial reporting and is a member of the Tax Institute of Australia.

Cortona Resources Ltd has made changes, with Mark Milazzo being appointed to the board as a non-executive and Lorne Harvey as chief financial officer. Milazzo is a mining engineer with 30 years' experience and comes from HWE Mining, whereas Harvey has 15 years' commercial knowledge, and comes from Mineral Resources Ltd.

Bernard Aylward has been appointed as non-executive director of Glory Resources Ltd, as Richard Repsevicius resigned due to increased work commitments. With 20 years of geology and exploration experience behind him, Aylward recently served as a consultant to the company and was the chief operating officer of International Goldfields Ltd.



Brent Hendrickson

Azure Minerals Ltd has appointed Brent Hendrickson as vice president – exploration, and will be based near site in Hermosillo, Mexico. Hendrickson is a geologist with 25 years' experience, fluent in Spanish and has worked in South and Central America for AngloGold Ashanti Ltd, Western Mining Corporation Ltd and Homestake Mining Company Ltd.

Resource Star Limited has appointed Baker Khudeira as exploration manager. Experienced as an exploration geologist across Asia, Africa, Australia and the Middle East, Khudeira will focus on growing the Livingstonia uranium resource in Malawi.

Sumatra Copper and Gold plc has appointed Julian Ford as chief executive, following the retirement of founder and managing director Jocelyn Waller, who will move to a non-executive role on the board. Ford has 25 years' experience in the mining industry in senior management positions.

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