

MAGNUM MINING & EXPLORATION SIGNS MOU WITH ANGLO AMERICAN TO ACCESS BUENA VISTA CONCENTRATE

Magnum Mining & Exploration (ASX: MGU, "Magnum" or "the Company") announces that it has entered into a nonbinding Memorandum of Understanding with Anglo American to progress negotiations towards a definitive and binding transaction for the offtake of 100% of production from its wholly owned Buena Vista Iron Project in Nevada, USA.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Up to 100% of iron ore production capacity from Magnum's Buena Vista Project will be negotiated through a Binding Transaction agreement
- The MOU contemplates including all iron ore products including DSO ore and magnetite concentrate of blast furnace or Direct Iron Reduction grade
- Any potential binding agreement will be subject to the usual Due Diligence processes
- The MOU is nonbinding on both parties and may be terminated on a no cause, without prejudicial basis

The MOU covers all commercial iron ore products from the project including Direct Shipping Ore (DSO) and iron concentrate of both blast furnace and Direct Reduction Iron grades.

The MOU forms the basis for discussion to progress to a Binding Transaction. While it is open ended, either party may terminate the MOU on a no cause and without prejudice basis. As such, the MOU is nonbinding on both parties. The MOU does not include any details about possible terms of any future agreements and all terms are subject to negotiations between the parties.

Anglo American is a leading, global mining company with a portfolio of competitive, world class operations and a broad range of future development options. For more information about Anglo American refer www.angloamerican.com.

Magnum is currently pursuing options that seek to bring Buena Vista on line in the shortest and most economical way.

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NEXT STEPS

No Binding Agreement has been entered into at this time, other than the industry-normal Nondisclosure Agreement. Magnum will support Anglo American's full Due Diligence of the Buena Vista Iron Project and will work diligently to finalising the Binding Transaction Agreement.

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