



## ACQUISITION OF 85% INTEREST IN RED BORE PROJECT

Sandfire Resources Ltd (ASX: SFR; **Sandfire** or **the Company**) advises that it has entered into agreements that will see it acquire an 85% joint venture interest in the Red Bore Copper Project (**Red Bore**) (ML52/597), located adjacent to its DeGrussa Copper-Gold Mine in Western Australia.

The Red Bore Project comprises a 2km<sup>2</sup> granted Mining Licence, ML52/597, located approximately 1km east of the DeGrussa Copper-Gold Mine (Figure 1). The tenement was previously subject to a joint venture between Ora Gold Ltd (ASX: OAU) (90% interest) and Mr William Richmond (10% interest).

Sandfire will make a cash payment of \$1.25 million to Mr Richmond and grant him a 1.25% net smelter royalty over minerals produced from Red Bore.

Upon Sandfire reaching a decision to mine, Ora Gold has a put option to sell its retained 15% interest. If Ora Gold does not exercise its put option, Sandfire must continue to cover Ora Gold's share of any cash call by way of interest-free loans repayable from 75% of Ora Gold's free cash-flow from its share of any minerals produced from Red Bore.

Sandfire's Managing Director, Mr Karl Simich, said the agreements entered into with Ora Gold and Mr Richmond consolidate ownership of this strategically located tenement adjacent to the DeGrussa Copper-Gold Mine.

"The Red Bore Project will be incorporated within our near-mine exploration programs at DeGrussa and explored using our leading geochemical and geophysical exploration methodologies" he said.

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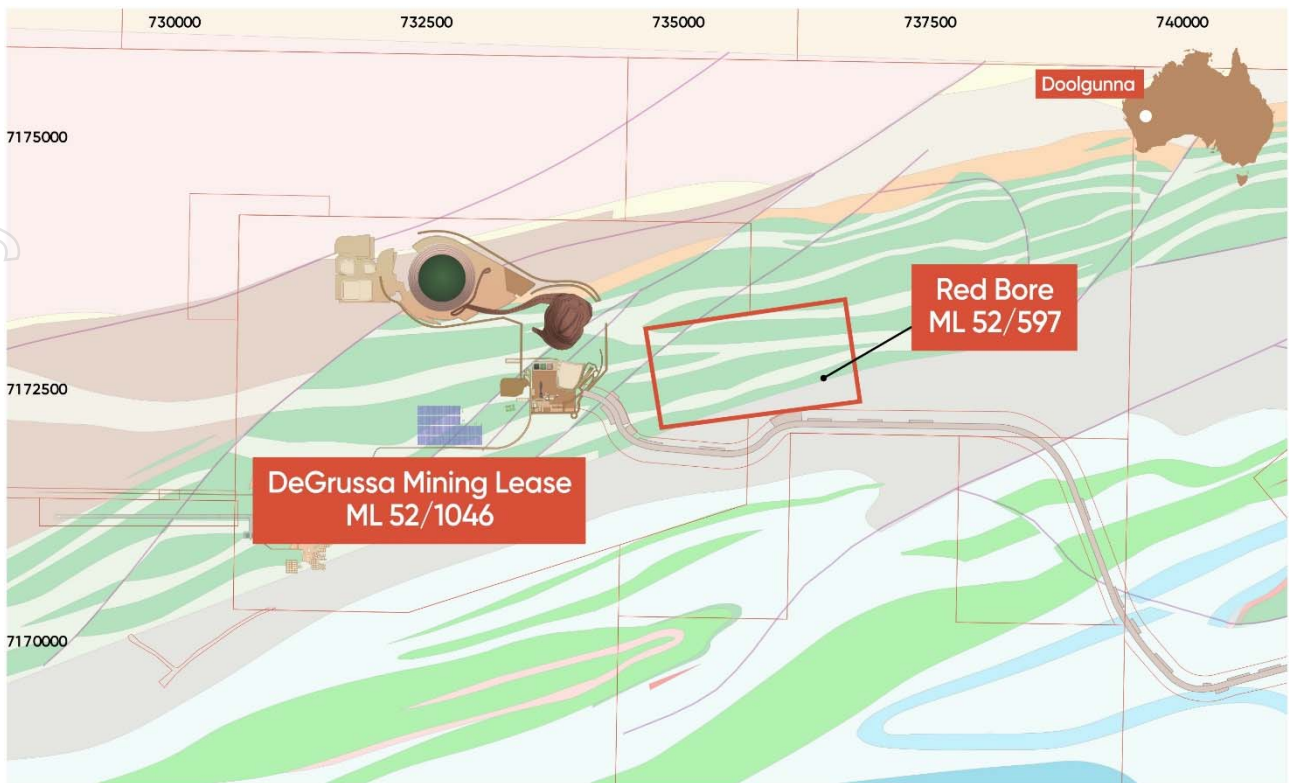


Figure 1: Location of ML52/597 relative to the DeGrussa Mining Lease.