

## ASX Announcement 10 December 2024

# Documentation completed for ~A\$100m Ioan facility with Trafigura

# Plus, refurbishment of Woodlawn copper-zinc processing plant is 50% complete

Develop Global Limited (ASX: DVP) is pleased to announce that the documentation of the commercial terms for the loan facility with Trafigura has been completed.

Develop and Trafigura have also executed the five-year offtake agreement for the production from the mine.

Develop also advises that the refurbishment of the processing plant at its Woodlawn Copper-Zinc Mine in NSW is 50 per cent complete.

The rapid progress with the refurbishment, which is being carried out by GR Engineering Services (GRES) and Develop staff, means Develop is on track for first concentrate production and cashflow at Woodlawn in the June quarter next year.

Ore production from underground is now scheduled to commence in the March quarter, with mining teams due to start mobilising to site this month.

Develop also advises that the Board has made a Final Investment Decision (FID) supporting the re-start plan for Woodlawn.

Develop Managing Director Bill Beament said: "Our production re-start plan for Woodlawn is on time and on budget.

"With funding documentation now finalised, the mine recommissioning and the transition to cashflow-positive status is fully funded.

"Our re-start study shows Woodlawn will generate pre-tax cashflow of A\$1.1 billion based on a 10-year mine plan.

"At recent spot prices for copper and zinc, the first three years of post-ramp up production yields ~A\$375m of free cashflow, providing substantial cash generation while repaying all the debt".

A summary of the material terms for the loan facility with Trafigura is set out below in Annexure A to this announcement.

A summary of the material terms for the offtake agreement with Trafigura is set out below in Annexure B to this announcement.

This announcement is authorised by the Board of Directors.

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#### The information in this announcement references the following announcements:

- ASX Announcement "Woodlawn Production Restart Study" dated 3 April 2024; and
- ASX Announcement "Develop agrees funding and offtake with Trafigura for Woodlawn copper-zinc mine" dated 2 August 2024.

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## Annexure A

Borrower	Tarago Operations Pty Ltd (a wholly owned subsidiary of Develop Global Limited) (Borrower)
Guarantor	Develop Global Limited, Tarago Exploration Pty Ltd and Woodlawn Mine Holdings Pty Ltd (each being wholly owned subsidiaries of Develop Global Limited)
	Develop Global's guarantee is subject to deferral in certain circumstances.
Lender	Trafigura Pte Ltd
Commitment	US\$65,000,000 converted into Australian dollars at the drawdown date
Use of proceeds	To restart the Woodlawn Copper-Zinc Mine
Conditions to utilisation	<ul> <li>Customary conditions precedent for facilities of this nature including:</li> <li>execution of finance documents;</li> <li>providing key project authorisations;</li> <li>insurance; and</li> <li>other key consents to the grant of security.</li> </ul>
Interest	Bank Bill Swap Rate (Bid) plus a margin of 2.00% per annum. Interest capitalises for the first 18 months of the loan.
Maturity	4.5 years after the first drawdown date.
Security	<ul> <li>Senior security customary for a facility of this nature including:</li> <li>security over all of the assets of the Borrower and Woodlawn Mine Holdings Pty Ltd (including the share capital of the Borrower owned by Woodlawn Mine Holdings Pty Ltd), subject to certain pre-conditions;</li> <li>specific security over certain project tenements and other assets related to the Woodlawn Project and owned by Tarago Explorations Pty Ltd; and</li> <li>security over all of the assets of Venturex Sulphur Springs Pty Ltd.</li> </ul>
Repayment	The loan will be repaid by <u>way of set off against payments against the offtake agreement or quarterly cash payments</u> . No repayments are required during the first 18 months of the loan.
Disposal Rights	Develop is permitted by the finance documents to dispose of up to 20% of the Woodlawn project subject to certain conditions.
Representations and undertakings	Customary representations, undertakings and restrictions for a debt facility of this nature.
Events of default and review event	Customary events of default for a facility of this nature.

# Develop Global Limited (Woodlawn Project) – Summary of Financing

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### Annexure B

## Develop Global (Woodlawn Project) – Summary of offtake agreement

Tarago Operations Pty Ltd, a wholly owned subsidiary of Develop Global Ltd (Seller)
Trafigura Pte Ltd and Trafigura Asia Trading Pte. Ltd (together, the <b>Buyer</b> )
The Seller agrees to sell, and the Buyer agrees to take delivery of and purchase, 100% of the copper, zinc and lead/precious metals concentrates produced from the Woodlawn Mine ( <b>Product</b> ).
The Offtake Agreement is conditional upon, and has no force or effect, until and unless the Buyer provides the "Advance" in accordance with the Loan Facility Agreement
The Seller must deliver to the Buyer the greater of:
<ul> <li>650,000 dry metric tons of Product across copper, zinc and lead concentrates; and</li> <li>the total quantity of Product that satisfies the repayment of the Advance (and any other amounts outstanding under the Loan Facility Agreement) in accordance with the terms of the Loan Facility Agreement.</li> </ul>
The Offtake Agreement will automatically terminate upon the quantity of Product delivered to the Buyer satisfying the greater of (a) or (b) (unless extended by mutual agreement).
90% of the provisional value of the Product shall be paid by the Buyer within 5 Business Days after Buyer's receipt of shipping documents.
Final invoice to be issued following final assays, weights and prices being known. Final payment shall be made within 5 business days of receipt of the final invoice.
The Buyer is entitled to set off payments due from it against repayments of the Advance to be made by Seller.
The Seller is permitted to dispose up to 20% of its interest in the Woodlawn Mine (a <b>Minority Disposal</b> ).
If the Seller undertakes a Minority Disposal, the annual shipment quantities will be reduced to reflect the Seller's remaining interest in the Woodlawn Mine.