

## Kibaran appoints new Non-Executive Director

**Kibaran Resources Limited (ASX: KNL) is pleased to announce that it has appointed Mr Grant Pierce OAM as a Non-Executive Director of the Company.**

Grant is a mining engineer with over 25 years of experience in both open-pit and underground mining operations. He brings to the Company, extensive management experience and knowledge of the Tanzanian mining industry, having, over the course of his career, worked several senior management roles with mining / exploration companies operating in Africa.

Most recently, Grant held the position of Country Manager for Montero Mining and Exploration Ltd.'s Tanzanian operations. Among other responsibilities, a key focus of this role was to develop the Environmental and Social Impact Assessment as a prerequisite for a Mining Licence application. The project with which he executed this for is located in the same Tanzanian region as the Kibaran Mahenge Graphite Project.

Other previous roles include:

- **Perseus Mining Ltd:** General Manager of Operations in Ghana – where he was responsible for bringing the new Edikan Gold mine to the first gold pour;
- **Resolute Mining Ltd:** Operations Manager for the Golden Pride Project – the first major gold mine in Tanzania;
- **Barrick Gold Corporation in Tanzania:** Executive General Manager;
- **Africo Resources Ltd:** Country Manager in the Democratic Republic of Congo;

Grant holds a Bachelor of Engineering (Mining) degree from the Ballarat College of Advanced Education and a Diploma of Engineering in Mining Engineering from the Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology. He was also awarded an Order of Australia Medal in 2003.

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## ABOUT KIBARAN RESOURCES LIMITED

Kibaran Resources Limited (ASX: KNL) is an ASX-listed exploration company with highly prospective graphite and nickel projects located in Tanzania.

The Company recently acquired the rights to the Mahenge and Merelani-Arusha Projects which are considered to be highly prospective for commercial graphite.

Graphite is regarded as a critical material for future global industrial growth, destined for industrial and technology applications including nuclear reactors, lithium-ion battery manufacturing and a source of graphene.

In addition, the Kagera Nickel Project remains underexplored and is located along strike of the Kabanga nickel deposit, owned by Xstrata, which is considered to be the largest undeveloped, high grade nickel sulphide deposit in the world.

