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## **NORTH PORTIA COPPER –GOLD RESOURCE DRILLING**

Havilah Resources NL (Havilah – ASX:HAV) advises that it has recently completed a 3,200 metre air core drilling program, comprising 27 shallow holes at the North Portia copper-gold-molybdenum project. The drilling has returned several significant intersections, including :

### **52 metres of 1.44% copper and 0.89 g/t gold in NPAC 39.**

This supports previously reported Havilah (and Pasminco) drilling results, including :

38 metres of 3.01% Cu and 0.66 g/t Au in NPAC003

36 metres of 1.55% Cu and 1.0 g/t Au in NPAC015

Better drilling results from the current program for which assays have been received are as follows :

<b>Hole No</b>	<b>From</b>	<b>To (m)</b>	<b>Interval</b>	<b>Cu%</b>	<b>Au ppm</b>	<b>Mo ppm</b>
NPAC 37	93	119	26	0.79	0.61	196
NPAC 39	97	149	52	1.44	0.89	162
NPAC 43	92	107	15	2.00	1.27	934
NPAC 44	84	119	35	0.80	0.50	536
NPAC 49	82	89	7	1.80	0.28	666

The objective of the drilling program was to define a JORC resource for the previously incompletely drilled secondary copper sulphide mineralization at North Portia. Potential copper-gold ore from North Portia could provide supplementary feed to a mining operation at Kalkaroo in order to boost total copper and gold production. North Portia lies approximately 30 km north of Kalkaroo, within an acceptable trucking distance (see map).

The material drilled is typically completely weathered to saprolite clays, and as a consequence is very soft and would not require blasting to mine. The main copper sulphide minerals are chalcocite, bornite and chalcopyrite. The molybdenum levels at North Portia, are often quite significant (see results for drillholes NPAC 43 and NPAC 49 above) and could add appreciable value to the potential ore, depending on metallurgical recovery factors.

Havilah's drilling appears to have closed off the economic mineralization along strike, but not down plunge. Drilling information is now adequate to calculate a resource figure for the secondary copper-gold resource at North Portia, which will be published in due course.

Dr K R Johnson  
CHAIRMAN

The information in this report has been compiled by Dr Bob Johnson who is a member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and Dr Chris Giles who is a member of The Australian Institute of Geoscientists. Drs Johnson and Giles are employed by the Company on consulting contracts. They have sufficient experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration to qualify as Competent Persons as defined in the JORC Code 2004. Drs Johnson and Giles consent to the release of the information compiled in this report in the form and context in which it appears.

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