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Appointment of Exploration Manager Mr. Robert Meade

Ord River Resources Limited (ASX: ORD) is pleased to announce that Mr. Robert Meade has joined ORD as its Exploration Manager. Rob has 24 years of experience including working at senior levels within the Mineral Exploration and Mining Industry in Australia and Asia. He has extensive experience in the development and management of small to large exploration and mine projects. Rob excels in project evaluation and project generation. Rob has considerable experience in liaising with Aboriginal communities in Australia.

Rob has significant experience in the field of Proterozoic gold and copper exploration in the Northern Territory, Western Australia and Queensland, and Palaeozoic intrusive-related copper-gold mineralization exploration within eastern Australia. Rob, from his tenure at Geopeko Ltd and later North Limited has gained intimate knowledge of the Tanami region where ORD has a gold exploration project named Suplejack.

Robert has held senior exploration and geologist positions in the following companies:

- Head of Exploration, Hindustan Zinc Limited;
- Exploration Consultant, Pacific Rim Resources;
- Chief Geologist, Dalton Pacific Resources (Oxiana Limited);
- Project Manager, Barramundi Gold Ltd;
- Senior Project Geologist, North Limited; and
- Exploration and Underground Mine Geologist, Geopeko Ltd.

Rob holds an Honours Degree in Applied Geology from Monash University in Melbourne, and a Masters Degree in GIS and Remote Sensing from RMIT University, Melbourne.

Managing Director, Peter Shou said, “Rob is a fantastic geologist and mining strategist. Rob’s experience and connections will add tremendous value to ORD’s current exploration projects and future operations. Rob’s skills and experiences will help ORD better execute its exploration programs and create value.”

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