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# Alara Appoints CFO and Corporate Affairs Manager

Alara Resources Limited (ASX: AUQ) (**Alara**) is pleased to announce two new management appointments to compliment the team, Mr Julian Tambyrajah as Chief Financial Officer and Ms Elle Macdonald as Corporate Affairs Manager to the Perth office.

#### Julian Tambyrajah Chief Financial Officer

Julian is a global mining executive, a qualified Accountant and Company Secretary with +22 years' experience in the resources (mining, oil & gas) and manufacturing industries, working in different environments such as operator, service contractor, explorer, construction, joint ventures and alliances. Julian's extensive experienced covers financial and techno-commercial areas such as treasury, financing, accounting, supply and logistics, business development/acquisitions, investor relations, project evaluation, feasibility studies, life of mine modelling and economics, construction and development, and operations management.



Julian has held the position of Chief Financial Officer, Director and Company Secretary at several Australian mining and petroleum companies, including Central Petroleum Limited, Crescent Gold Limited, Rusina Mining NL, DRDGold Limited, Dome Resources NL and held management and accounting roles for Hills Industries, Brown & Root, Woodside and Normandy Mining. Mr Tambyrajah has experience in raising equity and debt from national and international financial markets, some of which includes raising A\$122m whilst at Crescent Gold and A\$31m whilst at Central Petroleum.

# Elle Macdonald

Corporate Affairs Manager

Elle is a highly experienced corporate affairs administrator with +30 years' experience across a diverse range of organisations and industries including military, media, indigenous affairs, education, manufacturing, legal, finance and investment, as well as mining and resources, with a number of these being ASX listed entities.

Elle's comprehensive experience includes executive support at the Board and Executive Management level, Company Secretarial and ASX compliance, legal, marketing and investor relations, event management, human resources, policies and procedure implementation and staff development.





Welcoming Julian and Elle to the management team, Alara's Managing Director, Mr Philip Hopkins said:

"Alara is honoured to have two such highly qualified and successful executives join the Alara Management Team as we position the Company to move into a construction and then operations phase in Saudi Arabia.

Julian is a highly experienced and respected global mining CFO and will be pivotal to the Company and myself as we continue to establish Alara's core competencies for the next phase of project development and transition to a base metals producer in Saudi Arabia.

Elle brings excellent skills to the Company including corporate administration, investor relations management and human resources. We are simply delighted to have such a top level manager join and further strengthen our Team.

On behalf of the Board of Directors and the whole Company, I welcome Julian Tambyrajah and Elle Macdonald to Alara Resources and look forward to their leadership and support as we progress development of the Khnaiguiyah Project in the short term and the growth of the Company over time."

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## About Alara Resources

Alara Resources Limited (ASX: AUQ) is an Australian-based minerals exploration and mine development company with a diverse portfolio of projects in Saudi Arabia and Oman. Alara has recently completed a Definitive Feasibility Study (DFS) on its flagship Khnaiguiyah Zinc-Copper Project in Saudi Arabia and a Scoping Study (SS) on its Daris/Washihi Copper-Gold Projects in Oman. The Company is now transitioning towards establishing itself as an emerging base and precious metals mine development and production company.

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