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# MARKET ANNOUNCEMENT

## Daris Project Drilling Update

Alara Resources Limited is pleased to confirm that it has completed a 24 drill hole programme, comprising 203 metres of core drilling and 624 metres of percussion drilling on 2 of 14 mapped copper occurrences in the Daris Project (Oman).

The drill programme was aimed at testing shallow copper mineralisation underneath existing gossans, where limited drilling conducted in the 1970's appeared to have intersected oxide and sulphide mineralisation at shallow depths.

Drill samples have been shipped to Australia for analysis and analytical results are expected within four weeks.

Whilst the Company is not able to provide definitive results until the samples have been analysed, it is able to confirm the following:

### Core Holes

 Massive sulphides including chalcopyrite and chalcocite were intersected in all three core holes, varying in widths from 5 metres to 15 metres at depths ranging from 29 metres to 51 metres.

### **Percussion Holes**

- 12 of the 21 holes drilled intersected oxide copper mineralisation together with native copper, in thickness ranging from 2 metres to 24 metres at depths less than 30 metres.
- Sulphide mineralisation was also intersected in 2 drill holes at depths ranging from 30 to 50 metres.

The Company will provide a further update once the results of the drill sample analyses are available.

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