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ASX Announcement

ARUMA DRILLING APPROVALS RECEIVED

Highlights

- Two Programs of Work (PoW) for the Airborne EM target drilling at Slate
 Dam and Beowulf gold projects approved by Department of Mines,
 Industry Regulation and Safety (DMIRS)
- Program of 20 RC holes to 100m to commence this quarter
- Funded by the previously announced Drilling for Shares arrangement

Aruma Resources Limited (ASX: AAJ) (Aruma or **the Company)** is pleased to announce the commencement of the clearing for the RC drilling program at the Slate Dam and Beowulf gold projects (Figure 1) east of Kalgoorlie.

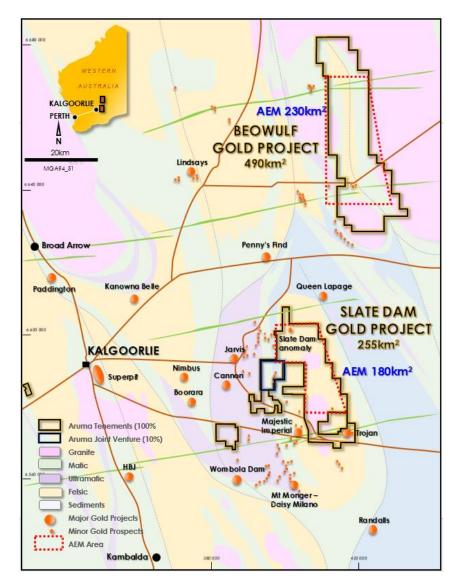


Figure 1 Regional Geological plan of the Aruma leases with the AEM survey areas shown in red

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Capital Structure 657M Shares on Issue 12M Options on issue

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BEOWULF PROJECT

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Outcomes

The drilling will investigate strong anomalies from the major Airborne EM-magnetic survey by Terra Resources geophysical consultants (refer announcement 27 March 2019). The recent Aruma soil geochemistry and historic data compilations were also used in targeting the programs.

The PoW required a flora and fauna survey at Beowulf and the site clearances will be done under the guidelines from the DMIRS.

The site preparation is being undertaken by the respective pastoralists and should be completed by mid-August with the drilling starting when the drilling rig becomes available.

It is expected that the assay results should be available in late Q3 or the start of Q4 2019.

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