



MT KARE HEAD TRUSTEE CO. LTD

Landowner Company for Mt Kare Gold Project

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Friday, 21 June 2024

Mr Jerry Garry
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Mineral Resources Authority
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Dear Mr Garry

Subject: Status of Mt Kare Gold Project

We write to you on behalf of the 19 clans within the Mt Kare licence area in Hela Province and Enga Province.

We the undersigned wish to make known to you our views as follows:

1. We are emphatically opposed to the Minister for Mining granting the application (ELA 2429) made by GMG Global Mining Group Limited (**GMG**) for a licence to explore and develop Mt Kare.

GMG is a shelf company with no substance, assets or staff. We do not believe GMG has the necessary financial resources, experience or technical expertise to explore and develop Mt Kare.

The geology at Mt Kare is complex and the landowner relationships are challenging and difficult.

As far as we can tell, GMG has not made any meaningful effort to understand the geology or to develop meaningful relationships with us, the landowners.

Finally, we are concerned that if GMG is awarded the new licence, there will be further litigation as a result of GMG's application having been accepted by MRA during the black out period prescribed by Section 30 of the Mining Act. This in turn will mean more delays with the development of Mt Kare.

2. We fully and wholeheartedly support the licence applications by Tribune Mt Kare Gold Limited (**Tribune**) (ELA 2445) and Summit Development Limited (**Summit**) (ELA 2447).

As the previous licence holder, Summit in particular has a very good knowledge of the Mt Kare geology and a history of working closely and effectively with the landowners.

Summit's team have a proven track record of successful exploration and development projects at Mt Kare and elsewhere.

Both Tribune and Summit have access to the expertise and financial resources which GMG lacks.

3. We request that the Mineral Resources Authority (MRA) do everything in its power to expedite the licence application review process and consider as quickly as possible the applications for the new licence lodged by Tribune and Summit.

Following the then Minister's decision not to renew Summit's original licence (EL 1093) in 2015, the people of Mt Kare have suffered terribly from the cessation of all exploration and development work in the area.

Lack of development has resulted in a break down in law and order and enormous frustration on the part of the landowners.

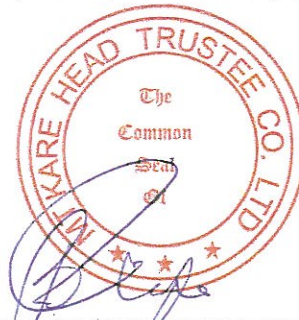
Many landowner leaders have died while waiting for Mt Kare to be developed.

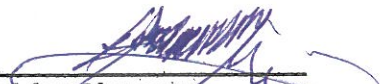
Please help us to bring this terrible situation to an end by having the new licence granted to Tribune or Summit as quickly as possible.


We thank you for your time and consideration of these matters.


Yours faithfully


Landowners/Representatives of Clans in Enga Province






Andrias Aiyange
Landopa Komai/Aiyalu Clan
Chairman of the Mt Kare
Head Trustee Co. Limited
Date: 21/06/24



Andy Komai
Leyapi Clan
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Ben Ewape
Leyapi Clan
Chairman of
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Association
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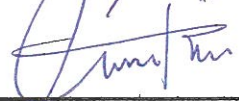

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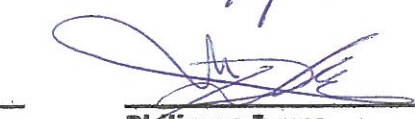

Kombara Nane
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Yolo Clan
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Date: 11/06/24



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Chief Ihuwa Waiyape
Leyapi Clan
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Tekapo Epo
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Luke Torami
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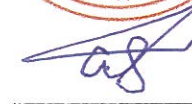

Jimmy Lembopa
Pakya Clan
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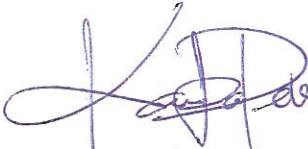


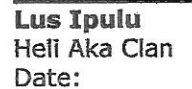

Dr Michael Mai
Heli Lahu Clan
Coordinator of 7 Clans
In Tar, Hela.
Date: 19/06/24


Amos Angai
Pujaro Luni Clan
Date: 14/06/24



Andy Tumbiako
Pujaro Luni Clan
Date: 16/06/24



Kapale Yakwari
Puluma Clan
Date: 17/06/24



Kambara Pele
Luni Clan
Date: 18/06/24



Lus Ipolu
Heli Aka Clan
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Pore Malangi
Heli Aka Clan
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Engili Akoi
Toma Clan
Date: 16/06/24


Mama Tondoli
Heli Aka Clan
Date: 14/06/24


Kow Temindi
Heli Aiya Clan
Date: 16/06/24


Chris Andane
Heli Aiya Clan
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Francis Kati
Toma Iparia Clan
Date: 17/06/2024

*Cc: Hon. James Marape
Prime Minister
& Minister for Mining*

*Hon. Sir Peter Ipatas
Governor for Enga Province*

*Hon. Philip Undialu
Governor for Hela Province*

*Managing Director
Kumul Mineral Holdings*

