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## KGP CONTINUES TO DELIVER OUTSTANDING CASH GENERATION AS MT GIBSON DEVELOPMENT EXPENDITURE COMMENCES

Capricorn Metals Limited (**Capricorn** or the **Company**) is pleased to provide a preliminary update on quarterly production at the Karlawinda Gold Project (**KGP**).

KGP delivered another excellent quarter of operations, producing 30,399 ounces of gold.

|                 | Unit     | Dec23Q | Sep23Q | Jun23Q | Mar23Q |
|-----------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Ore milled      | t ('000) | 1,057  | 997    | 1,023  | 1,022  |
| Head Grade      | g/t      | 1.00   | 1.03   | 0.96   | 1.02   |
| Recovery        | %        | 89.4   | 90.1   | 91.7   | 91.6   |
| Gold production | Oz       | 30,399 | 29,700 | 28,859 | 30,841 |

This takes production for the half year to 60,099 ounces and puts Capricorn on track to achieve the mid-point of FY24 guidance of 115,000 – 125,000 ounces with AISC's expected to be within the FY24 cost guidance range of \$1,270 - \$1,370 per ounce.

The Company's cash and gold on hand at the end of December 2023 was \$160.1 million, an increase of \$26.5 million from the prior quarter (Q1: \$23.3m). The cash build of \$26.5 million was achieved after the payment of \$1.7 million for accommodation units at the Mt Gibson Gold Project. As previously announced, the Company has committed to the purchase of 400 accommodation units for the project after obtaining regulatory approval to construct a new camp for the proposed mining operations. The first units have arrived on site with installation expected to commence in February 2024.



Full operational and cost details for the KGP will be provided in the Quarterly Report later in January 2024.

This announcement has been authorised for release by the Capricorn Metals board.

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