

# URSA Major Minerals Incorporated

Press Release

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## URSA Major Minerals appoints Bruce Mackie as Vice President of Exploration and Corporate Development

URSA Major Minerals Incorporated (URSA Major) is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Bruce W. Mackie, P. Geo., as Vice President of Exploration and Corporate Development. Mr. Mackie is a professional geologist with more than 30 years of domestic and international experience in the mining industry. Before joining URSA Major, Mr. Mackie was VP Exploration and Corporate Development at North American Palladium Ltd. and prior to that held several senior exploration positions within Noranda and Hemlo Gold Mines.

Richard Sutcliffe, CEO of URSA Major stated “We are very pleased to have Bruce Mackie join our team. Bruce brings a vast amount of experience at managing and successfully advancing exploration programs and in the evaluation of new business opportunities. Bruce will drive forward our aggressive nickel-copper exploration programs in the Sudbury area and will also be seeking base metal acquisitions that meet our alliance mandate with Korea Resources Corporation (KORES)”

URSA Major also announces that a total of up to 600,000 options to acquire shares at a price of \$0.91 are being granted to officers including Mr. Mackie, directors and consultants. The option grants will have up to a five year term and are subject to approval by the TSX Venture Exchange. URSA Major has 26,721,561 shares outstanding.

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