

# **Press release**

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# Bluelake Mineral announces outcome in the fully guaranteed rights issue and receives SEK 61.3 million

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Bluelake Mineral AB (publ) ("Bluelake Mineral" or the "Company") hereby announces the final outcome in the fully guaranteed rights issue of shares, which the Board of Directors resolved on September 17, 2025 (the "Rights Issue"). A total of 15,470,988 shares, corresponding to approximately 39 percent of the Rights Issue, were subscribed for with subscription rights, and 3,367,904 shares, corresponding to approximately 9 percent of the Rights Issue, were subscribed for without subscription rights. Furthermore, the top underwriting guarantors subscribed for 16,995,539 shares, corresponding to approximately 43 percent of the Rights Issue, and the bottom underwriting guarantors subscribed for 3,739,285 shares, corresponding to approximately 9 percent of the Rights Issue. Through the Rights Issue, the Company will receive approximately SEK 61.3 million before issue costs and set-offs.

## **Outcome in the Rights Issue**

The subscription period in the Rights Issue ended on October 13, 2025. The final outcome shows that 15,470,988 shares, corresponding to approximately 39 percent, have been subscribed for with subscription rights. In addition, applications have been received to subscribe for 3,367,904 shares, corresponding to 9 percent without subscription rights. Furthermore, 16,995,539 shares, corresponding to 43 percent of the Rights Issue, have been subscribed for by the top underwriting guarantors, and 3,739,285 shares, corresponding to approximately 9 of the Rights Issue by the bottom underwriting guarantors. Accordingly, the final outcome indicates that a total of 39,573,716 shares have been subscribed for in the Rights Issue, corresponding to a subscription rate of 100 percent. Thus, the Rights Issue is fully subscribed. The allotment of 882,202 shares ("FDI Shares") to Viko Eiendom AS, in its capacity as top underwriting guarantor, is conditional upon notification from the Swedish Inspectorate of Strategic Products ("ISP") that the application regarding the investment has been left without action or approved (the "FDI Decision") under the Act (2023:560) on the review of foreign direct investments ("FDI Act"). The Company will publish a separate press release when Viko Eiendom AS has received the FDI Decision from ISP. Through the Rights Issue, the Company will receive approximately SEK 61.3 million including the FDI Shares before issue costs and set-offs and approximately 60.0 million excluding the FDI Shares before issue costs and set-offs.

To enable further capital injections to the Company and allotment to participating investors in the top guarantee and investors who have made subscription commitments without the exercise of preferential rights in the Rights Issue, the Board of Directors resolved in connection with the Rights Issue to include an over-allotment option of up to approximately SEK 15.3 million (the "Over-allotment Option"). The Over-allotment Option has not been exercised and is not intended to be exercised in connection with the Rights Issue.

# Allocation of shares subscribed without subscription rights

Allotment of shares subscribed for without rights has been made in accordance with principles set out in the information document published by the Company on September 25, 2025, in connection with the Rights Issue. Notice of such allotment will be announced separately through a settlement note.



Nominee-registered shareholders will receive notification of allotment in accordance with instructions from the respective nominee.

# Trading in paid subscribed shares ("BTA")

The last day of trading in BTAs is expected to be October 30, 2025. Trading in the new shares subscribed for with and without subscription rights is expected to commence on Nordic SME Sweden on or around week 45, 2025.

## Shares and share capital

Including the FDI Shares, through the Rights Issue, the total number of shares in the Company will increase by 39,573,716 shares, from 108,827,721 shares to 148,401,437 shares, and the share capital will increase by SEK 3,957,371.60, from SEK 10,882,772.10 to SEK 14,840,143.70. This corresponds to a dilution effect of approximately 26.7 percent of the total number of shares and votes in the Company. Excluding the FDI Shares, through the Rights Issue, the total number of shares in the Company will increase by 38,691,514 shares, from 108,827,721 shares to 147,519,235 shares, and the share capital will increase by SEK 3,869,151.40, from SEK 10,882,772.10 to SEK 14,751,923.50. This corresponds to a dilution effect of approximately 26.2 percent of the total number of shares and votes in the Company.

#### **Advisors**

Mangold Fondkommission AB is acting as financial advisor and Sole Bookrunner in connection with the Rights Issue. Advokatfirman Schjødt is acting as legal advisor to the Company in connection with the Rights Issue.

#### **Publication of information**

This information is inside information which Bluelake Mineral AB (publ) is required to publish in accordance with the EU Market Abuse Regulation. The information was submitted, for publication on October 15, 2025, at 6.15 pm CEST, by the contact person below.

# **Additional information**

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### General information about the Company

Bluelake Mineral AB (public) is an independent Swedish company active in exploration and mine development of copper, zinc, nickel and gold resources.

The Company owns approximately 99% of the subsidiary Vilhelmina Mineral AB, which is focusing on development of copper and zinc deposits in the Nordic region. In Sweden, the Company owns Stekenjokk-Levi project, where a total of approximately 7 million tonnes of ore were mined between 1976 and 1988 with an average grade 1.5% Cu and 3.5% Zn. Stekenjokk-Levi is, according to a recent Mineral Resource Estimate by SRK Consulting, containing inferred mineral resources of approximately 6.7 million tonnes with 0.9 % Cu, 2.7 % Zn, 0.6 % Pb, 55 Ag g/t and 0.2 g/t Au for Stekenjokk and inferred mineral resources of 5.1 million tonnes with 1.0 % Cu, 1.5 % Zn, 0.1 % Pb, 22 Ag g/t and 0.2 g/t Au for Levi (at a NSR cut-off of 60 USD/t). In Norway, the Company is owner of Joma Gruver AS which holds exploitation rights for the Joma field, where approximately 11.5 million tonnes of ore were processed between 1972 and 1998 with an average grade of 1.5% Cu and 1.5% Zn. The Joma field (excluding Gjersvik) is, according to a recent mineral estimate by SRK Consulting, containing indicated mineral resources of approximately 6 million tonnes with grades amounting to 1.00 % Cu and 1.66 % Zn and inferred resources of 1.2 million tonnes with grades 1.2 % Cu and 0.7 % Zn (at cut-off of 50 USD/t).

In addition, the Company holds exploitation concessions for the nickel project Rönnbäcken (which is Europe's largest known undeveloped nickel resource) and an exploration permit for Orrbäcken, both which are located in Sweden. According to a recently updated mineral resource update in by the mining consulting company SRK, the



Rönnbäcken project contains a mineral resource of 600 million tonnes with an average grade of 0.18% Ni, 0.003% Co and 5.7% Fe ("measured and indicated"). The updated preliminary economic assessment that SRK completed predicts a production of 23,000 tonnes of nickel, 660 tonnes of cobalt and 1.5 million tonnes of iron per year for 20 years, which would be a significant share of Sweden's total annual use of nickel which thereby has a strategic value. Orrbäcken is considered to have potential as a nickel deposit.

Further, the Company holds an exploration permit for Kattisavan which is considered to have potential as a gold resource and is located within the so-called gold line, close to projects such as Svartliden, Fäboliden and Barsele.

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