

## Vital Appoints Peter Cordin as a New Director

Vital Metals Ltd (ASX: VML) is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr Peter Cordin, BE, MIEAust, CPEng, FAusIMM (CP) as a non-executive director of the Company.

Mr Cordin is a civil engineer with 35 years experience in the evaluation and operation of resource projects within Australia and overseas.

Currently he is the Managing Director of Dragon Mining Limited an Australian listed company with gold mines in Sweden and Finland. The company will produce 80,000 ounces of gold in 2009 and has extensive exploration activities associated with the operations.

He was Project Manager responsible for the construction of an alluvial diamond facility and two carbon-in-leach gold treatment plants in Australia and Indonesia. He has direct experience in the management of diamond and gold operations. Mr Cordin was Managing Director of Grant's Patch Mining Limited (100,000 ounces gold per year production) and was Director - Operations of Forsayth NL responsible for all group operations in Australia involving the annual production of 320,000 ounces of gold from five mines. He has recently been involved in the development of resource projects in Kazakhstan and New Caledonia.

Mr Cordin is a non-executive director of Coal of Africa Limited.

The Chairman of Vital Metals, Mr Bill Ryan said today 'The addition of Peter Cordin to the Vital Board will be of great value to the Company and we are most pleased to gain the services of such an experienced director. This is another step in moving Vital forward in the future in conjunction with new major shareholder, Aragon Resources Limited; a part of the Metals X Group.'

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