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**Minera IRL Announces Engagement of Financial Advisor**

**LIMA, PERU** – (January 5, 2021) – Minera IRL Limited (“**Minera**” or the “**Company**”) (BVL:MIRL) (CSE:MIRL) is pleased to announce that it has engaged Haywood Securities Inc. to act as financial advisor to Minera in support of the Company’s plans to finance the development of its Ollachea project and the repayment of balances owed to Corporacion Financiera de Desarrollo (COFIDE) as further described in the news release dated November 12, 2020.

Diego Benavides, the Company’s Chief Executive Officer, said “we are pleased to have engaged the leading resources focused independent Canadian investment bank as the next step in our plan to advance Ollachea. We look forward to working with Haywood to evaluate, develop and execute on financing alternatives.”

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