



**CENTREX**

**ASX ANNOUNCEMENT**

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## **MOUNT ISA TRANSITION FUND - \$2M GRANT APPROVAL RECEIVED**

Centrex Limited (ASX: CXM) ('Centrex' or 'the Company') provides the following update for the Ardmore Rock Phosphate Mine ('Ardmore'), 100% owned by its wholly owned subsidiary, Agriflex Pty Ltd ('Agriflex').

### **CONDITIONAL APPROVAL RECEIVED FOR \$2M GRANT FUNDING**

Centrex Limited (ASX:CXM) is pleased to announce that the Queensland Government's Department of State Development and Infrastructure has conditionally approved funding of up to \$2m (GST exclusive) for Ardmore. This approval follows the Company's successful application under Round 1 of the Mount Isa Transition Fund (MITF), which was awarded based on Ardmore's potential to deliver short-term economic and employment benefits to the Mount Isa region. The funding, if granted, is expected to contribute towards the capital expenditure requirements of the ongoing Stage 1.5 Expansion at Ardmore.

The final receipt of the funding and the binding contract from the State of Queensland is subject to Agriflex meeting several conditions precedent and providing the required supporting documentation, as is customary to grant funding of this nature. The Company anticipates being able to provide and execute the required documentation for this grant funding over the coming weeks.

Further details are available via the following link - <https://tinyurl.com/528ksv6v>

### **MANAGEMENT COMMENTARY**

Robert Mencil, CEO and Managing Director of Centrex Ltd, commented:

*"We are thrilled to receive this approval from the State of Queensland, which underscores the significant economic impact that Ardmore is poised to have on the Mount Isa region. This funding will contribute significantly to driving economic growth and creating employment opportunities in regional Australia, including for First Nations communities. We look forward to further contributing to the prosperity of the Mount Isa region as we continue to scale production at Ardmore."*

This ASX announcement has been approved and authorised for release by the Board of the Company.

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### **About Centrex Limited**

Centrex Limited is looking to secure Australasia's sustainable agriculture future through the exploration and development of its wholly owned Ardmore Phosphate Project and Oxley Potash Project. The products from both projects are necessary ingredients for global food production and human nutrition. The Centrex Limited fertiliser projects are located near to established energy and transport infrastructure that are necessary for access to established agricultural markets. The Company is also continuing its copper-gold-base metal exploration projects near Goulburn in the Lachlan Fold Belt in New South Wales.

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