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### **Strike Minerals Inc. (STK-V) Board Changes**

**London, Ontario - Strike Minerals Inc. (“Strike”)** is pleased to announce that Michael Newbury, P.Eng. is joining Strike as its new President and CEO and as a director. To facilitate Mr. Newbury’s appointment, Ms. Wendy Kimmel has resigned as Chairman of the company but will remain on the board as a director. Denis Crane is resigning as President and CEO and is being appointed Chairman of the Company.

Mike Newbury is a professional engineer, banker and project finance specialist with 40 years experience in the operation, financing and evaluation of mining projects. Previously, Mr. Newbury managed Barclays Bank's world mining group and the Credit Suisse Corporate Banking Group. He was one of the initial partners in Endeavour Financial and provided his technical expertise to that group for over 10 years. He has extensive experience in the evaluation and financial structuring of natural resource projects in emerging market countries including Russia, Uzbekistan, Kazakhstan, South Africa, China, Mongolia and Venezuela. Currently he is involved as president and CEO as well as on the Boards of a number of junior mining companies. He has a B.Sc. from Queen’s and a M.Sc. from McGill

Mr. Denis Crane, Chairman of Strike commented: “We are extremely pleased to have Mr. Newbury join the company as President & CEO. His extensive experience in the geological, operational and financial aspects of mineral project development significantly strengthens Strike’s management team and our ability to aggressively move our projects forward and build strategically on our current asset base.”

### **ABOUT STRIKE MINERALS**

Strike Minerals is a TSX-V listed company that is engaged in the exploration and development of precious metal properties in Canada. Its primary property is the former producing Edwards Gold Mine property in the Goudreau – Lochalsh Gold Camp near Wawa Ont. Historic production in the camp between 1930 and 2001 is estimated at 500,000 ounces. Between 1996 and 2001 underground development was completed through a decline to a depth of approximately 290 m resulting in 144,000 oz being mined from the Edwards property. More recent exploration of the property has delineated an additional number of mineralized zones that require follow-up.

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