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Empire Resources commences drilling

Empire Resources Ltd (ASX: ERL) has begun drilling at Pennys Find, its gold-nickel prospect in Western Australia, after listing on the ASX earlier this month.

“As promised, we started drilling immediately after listing, and are now working to significantly expand the resource,” said Managing Director David Sargeant.

Pennys Find is in a favorable geological setting, 50 kilometres north-east of Kalgoorlie. The gold resource is open in all directions.

“We expect the first analytical results towards the end of the month,” said Sargeant.

Empire Resources is also scheduled to commence drilling at Troy Creek, its copper-platinum-gold prospect north-east of Wiluna, Western Australia, in early March.

The copper mineralisation lies in a gold-platinum geochemical zone, approximately 20 kilometres long. The drill rig will follow up on 2% copper drilled more than a decade ago.

“The mineralisation shows similarities to the very large Sukhoi Log gold-platinum deposit in Russia, the large Carlin Trend-style gold province in the United States, and the Coronation Hill deposit in the Northern Territory,” said Sargeant.

In addition to the two drilling projects, Empire Resources has commenced geophysical surveys at its Torrens and Yuinmery Projects, designed to define further drill targets. The Company will begin drilling on the existing targets from March onwards, as well as any new targets identified.

Empire Resources' Board is made up of experienced mining professionals. The Company successfully listed on the ASX on 1 February 2007, having raised \$5.5 million. The tenement package covers 1,723 km² in some of Australia's most prospective mineral provinces – both established and emerging. The focus is uranium, copper and gold, but the portfolio also contains nickel and platinum targets.

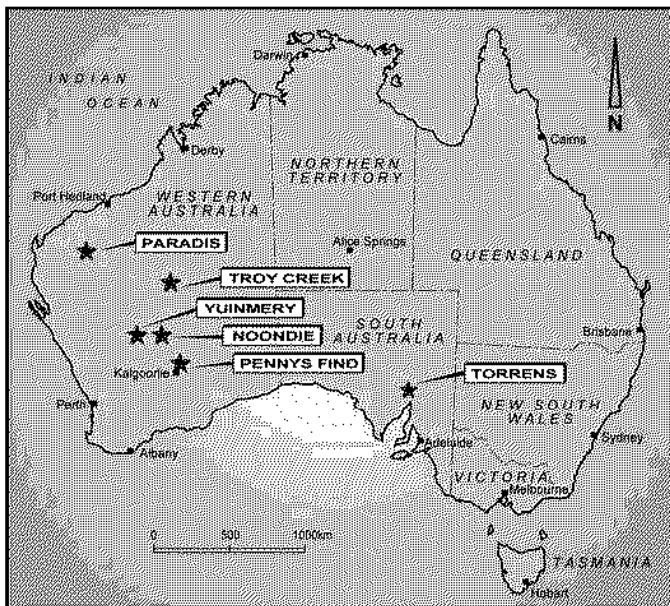
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Attachment: map and details of Empire Resources' sites

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Empire Resources – tenement sites



Troy Creek: copper-gold-platinum

Extensive gold, copper and platinum sediment-hosted targets north-east of Wiluna, Western Australia.

Torrens: copper-gold-uranium

An Olympic Dam-style copper-gold-uranium project that lies within the Torrens Hinge Zone on the margin of the Gawler Craton in South Australia.

Yuinmery: copper-gold

A volcanic-hosted copper-gold mineralisation which contains recently revealed new targets.

Noondie: uranium

Contains calcrete-hosted palaeochannel uranium targets.

Paradis: gold-platinum

In the Ashburton Structural Corridor near Paraburdoo, Western Australia, which contains anomalous gold and platinum.

Pennys Find: gold-nickel

Close to Kalgoorlie, Western Australia, and includes an open-ended gold resource and previously unexplored nickel targets.

