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Vancouver, British Columbia, V6C 3E8

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## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the annual general meeting (the “**Meeting**”) of the holders of common shares (“**Shareholders**”) of Kiplin Metals Inc. (the “**Company**”) will be held at Suite 2200, 885 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada on **February 23, 2026**, at 10:00 a.m. (Pacific Time) for the following purposes:

1. to receive the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company as at and for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2024, together with the reports of the auditor thereon;
2. to appoint Mao & Ying LLP, Chartered Professional Accountants, as auditor of the Company for the ensuing year and authorize the board of directors to fix the remuneration of the auditor;
3. to fix the number of the directors to hold office for the ensuing year at three (3);
4. to elect directors to hold office for the ensuing year;
5. to re-approve the Company’s omnibus incentive plan as more particularly described in the accompanying Management Information Circular; and
6. to transact such other business as may properly come before the Meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof.

The specific details of the foregoing matters to be put before the Meeting, as well as further information with respect to voting by proxy, are set forth in the Information Circular.

**A shareholder who is unable to attend the Meeting in person and who wishes to ensure that such shareholder’s shares will be voted at the Meeting is requested to complete, date and sign the enclosed form of proxy and deliver it in accordance with the instructions set out in the form of proxy and in the Information Circular.**

**We strongly encourage Shareholders to vote their common shares prior to the Meeting by proxy, prior to the proxy cut-off at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, February 19, 2026.**

As set out in the notes, the enclosed proxy is solicited by management but, you may amend it, if you so desire, by striking out then names listed therein and inserting in the space provided, the name of the person you wish to represent you at the Meeting.

**DATED** this 9<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2026

By order of the Board of Directors

**KIPLIN METALS INC.**

/s/ “*Gilbert Schneider*”

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Gilbert Schneider  
President, CEO and Director

**KIPLIN METALS INC.**  
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**MANAGEMENT INFORMATION CIRCULAR**

(containing information as at January 9, 2026 unless otherwise stated)

**For the Annual General and Special Meeting of Shareholders  
to be held on Monday, February 23, 2026**

**SOLICITATION OF PROXIES**

This Information Circular (this “**Circular**”) is furnished in connection with the solicitation of proxies by the Management of Kiplin Metals Inc. (the “**Company**”), for use at the annual general and special meeting (the “**Meeting**”) of the shareholders (“**Shareholders**”) of the Company to be held on **Monday, February 23, 2026**, at the time and place and for the purposes set forth in the accompanying Notice of Meeting and at any adjournment thereof.

The enclosed instrument of proxy (the “**Proxy**”) is solicited by the management of the Company. The solicitation will be primarily by mail, however, proxies may be solicited personally or by telephone by the regular officers and employees of the Company. The cost of solicitation will be borne by the Company.

**We strongly encourage Shareholders to vote their common shares prior to the Meeting by proxy, prior to the proxy cut-off at 10:00 a.m. (Pacific Time) on Thursday, February 19, 2026.**

**NOTICE AND ACCESS**

The Company has used notice and access (“**Notice and Access**”) to deliver the Notice, the Proxy and this Circular (collectively, the “**Meeting Materials**”) to Shareholders by posting the Meeting Materials on its website. The Meeting Materials will be available on the Company’s website on January 23, 2026, and will remain on the website for one full year thereafter. The Meeting Materials will also be available under the Company’s profile on SEDAR+ at <https://www.sedarplus.ca> or on the Company’s website at <https://www.kiplinmetals.com/investors>. Shareholders may request a paper copy of this Circular to be sent to them by contacting the Company’s transfer agent, Olympia Trust Company (“**Olympia Trust**”), by calling Toll-Free 1-866-668-8379 or by email at [proxy@olympiustrust.com](mailto:proxy@olympiustrust.com).

For shareholders who wish to receive paper copies of the Meeting Materials in advance of the voting deadline for the Meeting, requests must be received no later than February 5, 2026, in order to allow reasonable time to receive and review the applicable Meeting Materials in advance of the proxy deadline of 10:00 a.m. (Pacific Time) on February 19, 2026. Meeting Materials will be sent to such shareholders within three business days of their request if such requests are made prior to the date of the Meeting. Following the Meeting, the Circular (and any other related materials) will be sent to such Shareholders within ten (10) days of their request.

Under Notice and Access, Shareholders will receive a paper copy of notice and access notification (the “**Notice and Access Notification**”) via pre-paid mail containing: (i) a notification regarding the Company’s use of Notice and Access and how the Meeting Materials may be obtained, (ii) a form of Proxy (if you are a registered Shareholder) or a voting instruction form (if you are a Non-Registered Shareholder), and (iii) a supplemental mailing list return card to elect to receive paper copies of the Company’s financial statements and MD&A.

**APPOINTMENT OF PROXYHOLDERS**

The persons named in the Proxy are representatives of the Company.

**A Shareholder entitled to vote at the Meeting has the right to appoint a person (who need not be a Shareholder) to attend and act on the Shareholder’s behalf at the Meeting other than the persons named in the accompanying form of proxy. To exercise this right, a Shareholder shall strike out the names of the persons named in the accompanying form of proxy and insert the name of the Shareholder’s nominee in the blank space provided or complete another suitable form of proxy.**

A proxy will not be valid unless it is duly completed, signed and deposited with the Company's registrar and transfer agent, Olympia Trust by mail to the attention of the Proxy Department at PO Box 128, Stn M, Calgary, Alberta, T2P 2H6, or by fax to Olympia Trust at 1-403-668-8307, or via email to proxy@olympiatrust.com, not less than 48 hours (excluding Saturdays, Sundays and holidays) before the time of the Meeting or any adjournment thereof. A proxy must be signed by the Shareholder or by his attorney in writing, or, if the Shareholder is a corporation, it must either be under its common seal or signed by a duly authorized officer.

These security holder materials are being sent to both registered and non-registered owners of the securities. If you are a non-registered owner, and the issuer or its agent has sent these materials directly to you, your name and address and information about your holdings of securities have been obtained in accordance with applicable securities regulatory requirements from the intermediary holding on your behalf.

By choosing to send these materials to you directly, the Company (and not the intermediary holding on your behalf) has assumed responsibility for (i) delivering these materials to you, and (ii) executing your proper voting instructions. Please return your voting instructions as specified in the request for voting instructions.

## **VOTING BY PROXYHOLDER**

### **Manner of Voting**

The common shares represented by the Proxy will be voted or withheld from voting in accordance with the instructions of the Shareholder on any ballot that may be called for and, if the Shareholder specifies a choice on the Proxy with respect to any matter to be acted upon, the shares will be voted accordingly. On any poll, the persons named in the Proxy (the "**Proxyholders**") will vote the shares in respect of which they are appointed. Where directions are given by the Shareholder in respect of voting for or against any resolution, the Proxyholder will do so in accordance with such direction.

The Proxy, when properly signed, confers discretionary authority on the Proxyholder with respect to amendments or variations to the matters which may properly be brought before the Meeting. At the time of printing this Circular, Management is not aware that any such amendments, variations or other matters are to be presented for action at the Meeting. However, if any other matters which are not now known to Management should properly come before the Meeting, the proxies hereby solicited will be exercised on such matters in accordance with the best judgment of the Proxyholder.

**In the absence of instructions to the contrary, the Proxyholders intend to vote the common shares represented by each Proxy, properly executed, in favour of the motions proposed to be made at the Meeting as stated under the headings in this Circular.**

### **Revocation of Proxy**

A Shareholder who has given a Proxy may revoke it at any time before it is exercised. In addition to revocation in any other manner permitted by law, a Proxy may be revoked by instrument in writing executed by the Shareholder or by his or her attorney authorized in writing, or, if the Shareholder is a corporation, it must either be under its common seal or signed by a duly authorized officer and deposited with Olympia Trust by mail to the attention of the Proxy Department at PO Box 128, Stn M, Calgary, Alberta, T2P 2H6, or by fax to Olympia Trust at 1-403-668-8307, or via email to proxy@olympiatrust.com, at any time up to and including the last business day preceding the day of the Meeting, or any adjournment of it, at which the Proxy is to be used, or to the Chair of the Meeting on the day of the Meeting or any adjournment of it. A revocation of a Proxy does not affect any matter on which a vote has been taken prior to the revocation.

### **Voting Thresholds Required for Approval**

In order to approve a motion proposed at the Meeting, a majority of not less than one-half of the votes cast will be required (an "**Ordinary Resolution**") unless the motion requires a special resolution (a "**Special Resolution**"), in which case a majority of not less than two-thirds of the votes cast will be required. In the event a motion proposed at the Meeting requires disinterested Shareholder approval, common shares held by Shareholders of the Company who are also "insiders", as such term is defined under applicable securities laws, will be excluded from the count of votes cast on such motion.

## ADVICE TO REGISTERED SHAREHOLDERS

Shareholders whose names appear on the records of the Company as the registered holders of common shares in the capital of the Company (the “**Registered Shareholders**”) may choose to vote by proxy whether or not they are able to attend the Meeting in person.

Registered Shareholders who choose to submit a Proxy may do so by completing, signing, dating and depositing the Proxy with Olympia Trust using one of the following methods:

- (a) by completing, dating and signing the enclosed form of proxy and returning it by mail to Olympia Trust Company, PO Box 128 Stn M, Calgary, Alberta, Canada T2P 2H6, Attention: Proxy Dept.; or
- (b) by email to [proxy@olympiatrust.com](mailto:proxy@olympiatrust.com); or
- (c) by fax to +1-403-668-8307; or
- (d) by using the internet through the Olympia Trust Company website at:

<https://css.olympiatrust.com/pxlogin>. Registered Shareholders who choose this option must follow the instructions that appear on the screen and refer to the enclosed proxy form for the holder’s account number and the proxy access number.

### Returning your Proxy Form

To be effective, we must receive your completed proxy form or voting instruction no later than 10:00 a.m. (Pacific time) on **Thursday, February 19, 2026**.

If the Meeting is postponed or adjourned, we must receive your completed form of proxy by 5:00 p.m. (Pacific time), two full business days before any adjourned or postponed Meeting at which the proxy is to be used. Late proxies may be accepted or rejected by the Chairman of the Meeting at his discretion and he is under no obligation to accept or reject a late proxy. The Chairman of the Meeting may waive or extend the proxy cut-off without notice.

## ADVICE TO BENEFICIAL SHAREHOLDERS

**The information set forth in this section is of significant importance to many Shareholders as a substantial number of Shareholders do not hold shares in their own name.**

Shareholders who do not hold their shares in their own name (referred to in this information circular as “**Beneficial Shareholders**”) should note that only proxies deposited by Registered Shareholders whose names appear on the records of the Company as the registered holders of shares can be recognized and acted upon at the Meeting.

If shares are listed in an account statement provided to a Shareholder by an intermediary, such as a brokerage firm, then, in almost all cases, those shares will not be registered in the Shareholder’s name on the records of the Company. Such shares will more likely be registered under the name of the Shareholder’s intermediary or an agent of that intermediary, and consequently the Shareholder will be a Beneficial Shareholder. In Canada, the vast majority of such shares are registered under the name CDS & Co. (being the registration name for the Canadian Depository for Securities, which acts as nominee for many Canadian brokerage firms). The shares held by intermediaries or their agents or nominees can only be voted (for or against resolutions) upon the instructions of the Beneficial Shareholder. Without specific instructions, an intermediary and its agents are prohibited from voting shares for the intermediary’s clients. **Therefore, Beneficial Shareholders should ensure that instructions respecting the voting of their shares are communicated to the appropriate person.**

Applicable regulatory rules require intermediaries/brokers to seek voting instructions from Beneficial Shareholders in advance of Shareholders’ meetings. Every intermediary/broker has its own mailing procedures and provides its own return instructions to clients, which should be carefully followed by Beneficial Shareholders in order to ensure that their shares are voted at the Meeting. The purpose of the form of proxy or voting instruction form provided to a Beneficial Shareholder by its broker, agent or nominee is limited to instructing the registered holder of the shares on how to vote such shares on behalf of the Beneficial Shareholder.

The majority of brokers now delegate responsibility for obtaining instructions from clients to Broadridge Investor Communications (“**Broadridge**”). Broadridge typically supplies a voting instruction form (“**VIF**”), mails those forms to Beneficial Shareholders and asks those Beneficial Shareholders to return the forms to Broadridge or follow specific telephone or other voting procedures. Broadridge then tabulates the results of all instructions received by it and provides appropriate instructions respecting the voting of the shares to be represented at the Meeting.

There are two kinds of Beneficial Shareholders, those who object to their name being made known to the issuers of securities which they own (“**OBOs**” for Objecting Beneficial Owners) and those who do not object to the issuers of the securities they own knowing who they are (“**NOBOs**” for Non-Objecting Beneficial Owners). The Company does not intend to pay for intermediaries to deliver these security holder materials to OBOs and, as a result, OBOs will not be sent paper copies unless the intermediary assumes the cost.

These proxy-related materials are being sent to both Registered Shareholders and Beneficial Shareholders of the Company. If you are a Beneficial Shareholder and the Company or its agent has sent these materials directly to you, your name and address and information about your holdings of securities have been obtained in accordance with applicable securities regulatory requirements from the intermediary holding on your behalf. In this event, by choosing to send these materials to you directly, the Company (and not the intermediary holding on your behalf) has assumed responsibility for (i) delivering these materials to you; and (ii) executing your proper voting instructions. Please return your voting instructions as specified in the request for voting instructions.

Although Beneficial Shareholders may not be recognized directly at the Meeting for the purpose of voting shares registered in the name of their broker, agent or nominee, a Beneficial Shareholder may attend the Meeting as a Proxyholder for a Registered Shareholder and vote their shares in that capacity. Beneficial Shareholders who wish to attend the Meeting and indirectly vote their shares as Proxyholder for a Registered Shareholder should contact their broker, agent or nominee well in advance of the Meeting to determine the steps necessary to permit them to indirectly vote their shares as a Proxyholder.

### **Non-Objecting Beneficial Owners**

NOBOs can expect to receive a VIF from Broadridge. These VIFs are to be completed and returned to Broadridge in the envelope provided or by facsimile. In addition, Broadridge provides internet voting as described on the VIF itself which contains complete instructions. Broadridge will tabulate the results of the VIFs received from NOBOs and will provide appropriate instructions at the Meeting with respect to the shares represented by the VIFs they receive. **A Beneficial Shareholder receiving a voting instruction form from Broadridge cannot use that form to vote shares directly at the Meeting. Instead, the voting instruction form must be returned to Broadridge or the alternate voting procedures must be completed well in advance of the Meeting in order to ensure such shares are voted**

### **Objecting Beneficial Owners**

Beneficial Shareholders who are OBOs should follow the instructions of their intermediary carefully to ensure that their shares are voted at the Meeting.

Applicable regulatory rules require intermediaries to seek voting instructions from OBOs in advance of Shareholders’ meetings. Every intermediary has its own mailing procedures and provides its own return instructions to client, which should be carefully followed by OBOs in order to ensure that their shares are voted at the Meeting. The purpose of the form of proxy or voting instruction form provided to an OBO by its broker, agent or nominee is limited to instructing the registered holder of the shares on how to vote such shares on behalf of the OBO.

The form of proxy provided to OBOs by intermediaries will be similar to the Proxy provided to Registered Shareholders. However, its purpose is limited to instructing the intermediary on how to vote your shares on your behalf. The majority of intermediaries now delegate responsibility for obtaining instructions from OBOs to Broadridge Investor Communications (“**Broadridge**”). Broadridge typically supplies voting instruction forms, mails those forms to OBOs, and asks those OBOs to return the forms to Broadridge or follow specific telephonic or other voting procedures. Broadridge then tabulates the results of all instructions received by it and provides appropriate instructions respecting the voting of the shares to be represented at the meeting. **An OBO receiving a voting instruction form from Broadridge cannot use that form to vote shares directly at the Meeting. Instead, the voting instruction form must be returned to Broadridge or the alternate voting procedures must be completed well in advance of the Meeting in order to ensure that such shares are voted.**

## **United States Shareholders**

This solicitation of Proxies and VIFs involves securities of a company located in Canada and is being effected in accordance with the corporate and securities laws of the province of British Columbia, Canada. The proxy solicitation rules under the United States Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “**Exchange Act**”), are not applicable to the Company or this solicitation. Shareholders should be aware that disclosure and proxy solicitation requirements under the securities laws of British Columbia, Canada differ from the disclosure and proxy solicitation requirements under United States securities laws. The enforcement by Shareholders of civil liabilities under United States federal securities laws may be affected adversely by the fact that the Company is incorporated under the *Business Corporations Act* (British Columbia), some of its directors and its executive officers are residents of Canada and a substantial portion of its assets and the assets of such persons are located outside the United States. Shareholders may not be able to sue a foreign company or its officers or directors in a foreign court for violations of United States federal securities laws. It may be difficult to compel a foreign company and its officers and directors to subject themselves to a judgment by a United States court.

## **INTEREST OF CERTAIN PERSONS OR COMPANIES IN MATTERS TO BE ACTED UPON**

Except as otherwise disclosed herein, none of the directors (“**Directors**”) of officers (“**Officers**”) of the Company, at any time since the beginning of the Company’s last financial year, nor any proposed nominee for election as a Director, or any associate or affiliate of the foregoing persons, has any material interest, direct or indirect, by way of beneficial ownership of securities or otherwise, in any matters to be acted upon at the Meeting exclusive of the election of directors or the appointment of auditors. Directors and Officers may, however, be interested in the approval of the Compensation Plan as detailed in “*Approval of Compensation Plan*” below, as such persons are entitled to participate in the Compensation Plan.

## **RECORD DATE, VOTING SECURITIES AND PRINCIPAL HOLDERS THEREOF**

A Shareholder of record at the close of business on January 9, 2026 (the “**Record Date**”) who either personally attends the Meeting or who has completed and delivered a Proxy in the manner and subject to the provisions described above, shall be entitled to vote or to have such shareholder's shares voted at the Meeting, or any adjournment thereof.

The Company's authorized capital consists of an unlimited number of common shares (“**Common Shares**”) without par value, and an unlimited number of preferred shares (the “**Preferred Shares**”). As at the Record Date, the Company has 14,722,949 Common Shares issued and outstanding, each share carrying the right to one vote. There are no Preferred Shares outstanding.

### **Principal Holders of Voting Securities**

To the best of the knowledge of the directors and senior officers of the Company, as of the date of this Circular, no person beneficially owns, or controls or directs, directly or indirectly, 10% or more of the voting rights attached to all outstanding Common Shares of the Company.

## **EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION**

For the purposes of this Circular, a Named Executive Officer (“**NEO**”) of the Company means each of the chief executive officer (“**CEO**”) of the Company, the chief financial officer (“**CFO**”) of the Company, and each of the most highly compensated executive officers, other than the CEO or CFO, whose total compensation was more than \$150,000 for that financial year.

### **Statement of Executive Compensation**

The following information regarding executive compensation is presented in accordance with *National Instrument Form 51-102F6V – Statement of Executive Compensation* and sets forth compensation for each of the NEOs and Directors of the Company for each of the two most recently completed financial years. Unless otherwise noted, all dollar figures are expressed Canadian dollars.

### **Director and NEO Compensation, Excluding Compensation Securities**

The following table sets out all compensation paid, payable, awarded, granted, given, or otherwise provided, directly or

indirectly, by the Company to each NEO, in any capacity, and each director, in any capacity, during the two most recently completed financial years ending December 31, 2024 and 2023:

<b>Table of Compensation Excluding Compensation Securities</b>							
<b>Name and position</b>	<b>Year<sup>(1)</sup></b>	<b>Salary, consulting fee, retainer or commission (\$)</b>	<b>Bonus (\$)</b>	<b>Committee or meeting fees (\$)</b>	<b>Value of perquisites (\$)</b>	<b>Value of all other compensation (\$)</b>	<b>Total compensation (\$)</b>
<b>Gilbert Schneider</b> <i>President, CEO and Director</i>	2024	12,000	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	12,000
	2023	12,000	Nil	Nil	Nil	36,617	48,617
<b>Richard Ko</b> <i>CFO and Director</i>	2024	3,600	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	3,600
	2023	3,600	Nil	Nil	Nil	36,617	40,217
<b>Peter Born</b> <i>Director</i>	2024	12,000	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	12,000
	2023	22,000	5,000	Nil	Nil	36,617	63,617

(1) Financial year ended December 31.

### **Stock Options and other Compensation Securities**

The following table sets out all compensation securities granted or issued to each NEO and Director of the Company during the two most recently completed financial years ending December 31, 2024 and 2023:

<b>Compensation Securities</b>							
<b>Name and position</b>	<b>Type of compensation security</b>	<b>Number of compensation securities, number of underlying securities, and percentage of class</b>	<b>Date of issue or grant</b>	<b>Issue, conversion or exercise price (\$)</b>	<b>Closing price of security or underlying security on date of grant (\$)</b>	<b>Closing price of security or underlying security at year-end<sup>(1)</sup> (\$)</b>	<b>Expiry Date</b>
<b>Gilbert Schneider</b> <i>President, CEO and Director</i>	Stock Options	83,333 <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	2023-06-29	\$1.26 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$1.26 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$0.23	2024-06-29
<b>Richard Ko</b> <i>CFO &amp; Director</i>	Stock Options	83,333 <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	2023-06-29	\$1.26 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$1.26	\$0.23	2024-06-29
<b>Peter Born</b> <i>Director</i>	Stock Options	83,333 <sup>(3)(4)</sup>	2023-06-29	\$1.26 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$1.26	\$0.23	2024-06-29

(1) Financial year ended December 31, 2024.

(2) Stock options expired unexercised on June 29, 2024.

(3) Numbers reflect the 6:1 share consolidation dated effective on June 27, 2024.

(4) Exercised on August 14 & 15, 2023.

## Exercise of Compensation Securities by Directors and NEOs

Except for the following, no NEO or Director of the Company exercised compensation securities in the two most recently completed financial years.

<i>Exercise of Compensation Securities by Directors and NEOs</i>							
Name and position	Type of compensation security	Number of underlying securities exercised	Exercise price per security (\$)	Date of exercise	Closing price of security or underlying security on date of exercise (\$)	Difference between exercise price and closing price on date of exercise (\$)	Total value on exercise date (\$)
Peter Born <i>Director</i>	Stock Options	57,416 <sup>(1)</sup>	\$1.26 <sup>(1)</sup>	2023-08-14	\$1.32	\$0.06	\$3,444.96
		25,917 <sup>(1)</sup>	\$1.26 <sup>(1)</sup>	2023-08-15	\$1.32	\$0.06	\$1,555.02

(1) Numbers reflect the 6:1 share consolidation dated effective on June 27, 2024.

## Stock Option Plans and Other Compensation Plans

The Company has adopted a 10% rolling omnibus incentive plan (the “**Compensation Plan**”), pursuant to which the Board of Directors (the “**Board**”) may grant options (“**Options**”), restricted share units (“**RSUs**”) and deferred share units (“**DSUs**”) (together, the “**Compensation Securities**”) to purchase common shares of the Company to NEOs, directors, officers, management company employees of the Company or affiliated corporations and to consultants retained by the Company (collectively “**Eligible Persons**”), on terms acceptable to the exchange on which the Company is listed

The purpose of the Compensation Plan is to attract, retain, and motivate NEOs, directors, officers, employees and other service providers by providing them with the opportunity to acquire an interest in the Company and benefit from the Company’s growth.

Under the Compensation Plan, the maximum number of Common Shares reserved for issuance, including any other compensation Securities currently outstanding, is equal to 10% of the Common Shares outstanding from time to time (the “**10% Maximum**”) when combined with any other share-based compensation arrangements in place. The 10% Maximum is an “evergreen” provision, meaning that, following the exercise, termination, cancellation or expiration of any Compensation Securities, a number of Common Shares equivalent to the number of Compensation Securities so exercised, terminated, cancelled or expired would automatically become reserved for issuance in respect of future grant of Compensation Securities.

The following is a summary of certain provisions of the Compensation Plan and is subject to, and qualified in its entirety by, the full text of the Compensation Plan. Capitalized terms used herein which are not otherwise defined shall have the meaning ascribed to them under the Compensation Plan.

- (a) the maximum aggregate number of Common Shares that are issuable pursuant to all Security Based Compensation granted or issued to Insiders (as a group) must not exceed 10% of the issued Common Shares at any point in time;
- (b) the maximum aggregate number of Common Shares issuable pursuant to all Security Based Compensation granted or issued in any 12 month period to Insiders (as a group) must not exceed 10% of the issued Common Shares, calculated as at the date any Security Based Compensation is granted or issued to any Insider;
- (c) the maximum aggregate number of Common Shares issuable pursuant to all Security Based Compensation granted or issued in any 12 month period to any one Person (and where permitted under applicable securities exchange policies, any Companies that are wholly owned by that Person) must not exceed 5% of the issued Common Shares, calculated as at the date an any Security Based Compensation is granted or issued to the Person;
- (d) the maximum aggregate number of Common Shares that are issuable pursuant to all Security Based Compensation

granted or issued in any 12-month period to any one Consultant must not exceed 2% of the issued Common Shares, calculated as at the date any Security Based Compensation is granted or issued to the Consultant;

- (e) Investor Relations Service Providers may not receive any Security Based Compensation, other than Stock Options;
- (f) upon expiry of a Stock Option, or in the event an option is otherwise terminated for any reason, the number of shares in respect of the expired or terminated option shall again be available for the purposes of the Option Plan. All Options granted under the Option Plan may not have an expiry date exceeding ten (10) years from the date on which the Board grants and announces the granting of the Option;
- (g) if a provision is included that the Participant's heirs or administrators are entitled to any portion of the outstanding Security Based Compensation, the period in which they can make such claim must not exceed one year from the Participant's death; and
- (h) any Security Based Compensation granted or issued to any Participant who is a Director, Officer, Employee, Consultant or Management Company Employee must expire within a reasonable period, not exceeding 12 months, following the date the Participant ceases to be an eligible Participant under the Compensation Plan.

**For details of the Compensation Plan, see "Particulars of Matters to be Acted Upon – Approval of Compensation Plan" below.**

There are presently no Compensation Securities outstanding under the Compensation Plan.

#### **Employment, Consulting and Management Agreements**

Management functions of the Company are not, to any substantial degree, performed other than by directors or NEOs of the Company. There are no agreements or arrangements that provide for compensation to NEOs or directors of the Company, or that provide for payments to a NEO or director at, following or in connection with any termination (whether voluntary or constructive), resignation, retirement, severance, a change in control in the Company or a change in the NEO or director's responsibilities.

#### **Oversight and Description of Director and NEO Compensation**

##### ***Compensation of Directors***

The level of compensation for directors is determined after consideration of various relevant factors, including the expected nature and quantity of duties and responsibilities, past performance, comparison with compensation paid by other issuers of comparable size and nature, and the availability of financial resources.

In the Board's view, there is, and has been, no need for the Company to design or implement a formal compensation program for directors. While the Board considers Option grants to directors under the Option Plan from time to time, the Board does not employ a prescribed methodology when determining the grant or allocation of Options. Other than the Option Plan, as discussed above, the Company does not offer any long-term incentive plans, share compensation plans or any other such benefit programs for directors.

##### ***Compensation of NEOs***

Compensation of NEOs is reviewed annually and determined by the Board. The level of compensation for NEOs is determined after consideration of various relevant factors, including the expected nature and quantity of duties and responsibilities, past performance, comparison with compensation paid by other issuers of comparable size and nature, and the availability of financial resources. In the Board's view, there is, and has been, no need for the Company to design or implement a formal compensation program for NEOs

## **Pension Plan Benefits**

No pension, retirement or deferred compensation plans, including defined contribution plans, have been instituted by the Company and none are proposed at this time.

## **SECURITIES AUTHORIZED FOR ISSUANCE UNDER EQUITY COMPENSATION PLAN**

The following table sets forth information with respect to all compensation plans under which equity securities are authorized for issuance as of December 31, 2024:

<b><i>Equity Compensation Plan Information</i></b>			
<b>Plan Category</b>	<b>Number of securities to be issued upon exercise of outstanding options, warrants and rights (a)</b>	<b>Weighted-average exercise price of outstanding options, warrants and rights (b)</b>	<b>Number of securities remaining available for future issuance under equity compensation plans excluding securities reflected in column (a) (c)</b>
Equity compensation plans approved by securityholders <sup>(1)</sup>	Nil	N/A	1,342,295
Equity compensation plans not approved by securityholders	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>TOTAL</b>	Nil	N/A	1,342,295

(1) Represents the Compensation Plan of the Company, which reserves a number of common shares equal to 10% of the then outstanding common shares from time to time for issue pursuant to incentive securities. For further information on the Compensation Plan, refer to the headings "Approval of Compensation Plan".

## **INDEBTEDNESS OF DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE OFFICERS**

As of the date hereof, other than indebtedness that has been entirely repaid on or before the date of this information circular or "routine indebtedness" as defined in Form 51-102F5 of National Instrument 51-102, none of:

- (a) the individuals who are, or at any time since the beginning of the last financial year of the Company were, a director or executive officer of the Company;
- (b) the proposed nominees for election as a director of the Company; or
- (c) any associates of the foregoing persons,

is, or at any time since the beginning of the most recently completed financial year has been, indebted to the Company or any subsidiary of the Company, or is a person whose indebtedness to another entity is, or at any time since the beginning of the most recently completed financial year has been, the subject of a guarantee support agreement, letter of credit or other similar arrangement or understanding provided by the Company or any subsidiary of the Company.

## **INTEREST OF INFORMED PERSONS IN MATERIAL TRANSACTIONS**

For purposes of the following discussion, "Informed Person" means (a) a Director or executive officer of the Company; (b) a director or executive officer of a person or company that is itself an Informed Person or a subsidiary of the Company; (c) any person or company who beneficially owns, or controls or directs, directly or indirectly, voting securities of the Company or a combination of both carrying more than 10% of the voting rights attached to all outstanding voting securities of the Company, other than the voting securities held by the person or company as underwriter in the course of a distribution; and (d) the Company itself if it has purchased, redeemed or otherwise acquired any of its securities, for so long as it holds any of its securities.

Except as disclosed below, elsewhere herein or in the notes to the Company's financial statements for the financial years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023, none of

- (a) the Informed Persons of the Company;
- (b) the proposed nominees for election as a Director; or
- (c) any associate or affiliate of the foregoing persons,

has any material interest, direct or indirect, in any transaction since the commencement of the Company's most recently completed financial year or in a proposed transaction which has materially affected or would materially affect the Company or any subsidiary of the Company.

#### **APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR**

Mao & Ying LLP, Chartered Professional Accountants (“**Mao & Ying**”) is the Company’s Auditor. Management is recommending the re-appointment of Mao & Ying as Auditor for the Company, to hold office until the next annual general meeting of the shareholders at a remuneration to be fixed by the Board of Directors.

**Management recommends the appointment, and the persons named in the enclosed form of Proxy intend to vote in favour of such appointment.**

#### **MANAGEMENT CONTRACTS**

Except as disclosed herein, the Company is not a party to a Management Contract whereby management functions are to any substantial degree performed other than by the directors or executive officers of the Company.

#### **PARTICULARS OF MATTERS TO BE ACTED UPON**

##### **Presentation of Financial Statements**

The audited consolidated financial statements of the Company for the financial years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023 (the “**Financial Statements**”), together with the auditor’s reports (the “**Auditor’s Report**”) thereon will be presented to Shareholders at the Meeting, but no vote thereon is required. The Financial Statements, Auditor’s Report and management’s discussion and analysis (the “**MD&A**”) for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023 are available under the Company’s profile on SEDAR+ at [www.sedarplus.ca](http://www.sedarplus.ca).

##### **Appointment and Remuneration of Auditor**

Shareholders will be asked to approve the re-appointment of Mao & Ying as the auditor of the Company to hold office until the next Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders at remuneration to be fixed by the Board of Directors.

**In the absence of instructions to the contrary, the Proxyholders intend to vote the Common Shares represented by each Proxy, properly executed, FOR re-appointing Mao & Ying as the Company’s independent auditor for the ensuing year, and FOR authorizing the Board to fix the auditor’s pay.**

##### **Fixing the Number of Directors**

The Board of Directors presently consists of three directors and Management proposes, and the persons named in the accompanying form of proxy intend to vote in favour of fixing the number of directors for the ensuing year at three (3). Although Management is nominating three (3) individuals to stand for election, the names of further nominees for directors may come from the floor at the Meeting.

**In the absence of instructions to the contrary, the Proxyholders intend to vote the Common Shares represented by each Proxy, properly executed, FOR fixing the number of Directors at three (3) for the ensuing year.**

##### **Election of Directors**

Each Director of the Company is elected annually and holds office until the next annual general meeting of Shareholders or until his or her successor is duly elected, unless his or her office is earlier vacated in accordance with the Articles of the Company.

The persons named in the enclosed Instrument of Proxy intend to vote in favour of fixing the number of directors at three (3). Although Management is nominating three (3) individuals to stand for election, the names of further nominees for Directors may come from the floor at the Meeting.

**In the absence of instructions to the contrary, the Proxyholders intend to the vote the Common Shares represented by each Proxy, properly executed, FOR the nominees herein listed. Management does not contemplate that any of the nominees will be unable to serve as a director.**

***Information Concerning Nominees Submitted by Management***

The following table sets out the names of the persons proposed to be nominated by Management for election as a Director, the province or state and country in which s/he is ordinarily resident, the positions and offices which each presently holds with the Company, the period of time for which s/he has been a director of the Company, the respective principal occupations or employment during the past five years if such nominee is not presently an elected director and the number of shares of the Company which each beneficially owns, directly or indirectly, or over which control or direction is exercised as of the date of this Information Circular. Each of the nominees are currently directors of the Company.

Name, Province and Country of ordinary residence, and positions held with the Company <sup>(1)</sup>	Principal occupation and, IF NOT an elected Director, principal occupation during the past five years <sup>(1)</sup>	Date(s) serving as a Director <sup>(2)</sup>	No. of shares beneficially owned or controlled <sup>(1)</sup>
<b>Gilbert Schneider</b> <sup>(3)</sup> British Columbia, Canada <i>President, CEO and Director</i>	President and CEO of the Company	Since February 11, 2015	100,000 common shares
<b>Richard Ko</b> <sup>(3)</sup> British Columbia, Canada <i>CFO and Director</i>	CFO of the Company	Since November 5, 2014	Nil
<b>Peter Born</b> <sup>(3)</sup> Ontario, Canada <i>Director</i>	President and CEO of Bedford Metals Corp.; COO of Kingman Minerals Ltd.; P.Geol, PhD Geologist	Since July 4, 2014	Nil

(1) The information as to ordinary residence, principal occupation and number of common shares of the Company beneficially owned, or controlled or directed, directly or indirectly, by the nominee director and his or her associates and affiliates, not being within the knowledge of the Company, has been furnished by the respective nominees. Information provided as at the Record Date.

(2) The Company does not set expiry dates for the terms of office of Directors. Each Director holds office as long as he is elected annually by Shareholders at annual general meetings, unless his office is earlier vacated in accordance with the Articles of the Company.

(3) Member of Audit Committee.

The Company does not currently have an Executive Committee of its Board of Directors. Pursuant to National Instrument 52-110 – *Audit Committees* (“**NI 52-110**”), the Company is required to have an audit committee of its Board of Directors (the “**Audit Committee**”). As at the date of this Circular, the members of the Audit Committee are Peter Born (Chair), Richard Ko and Gilbert Schneider.

***Cease Trade Orders, Corporate and Personal Bankruptcies, Penalties and Sanctions***

For purposes of the disclosure in this section, an “order” means a cease trade order, an order similar to a cease trade order, or an order that denied the relevant company access to any exemption under securities legislation, in each case that was in effect for a period of more than 30 consecutive days; and for purposes of item (a)(i) below, specifically includes a management cease trade order which applies to directors or executive officers of a relevant company that was in effect for a period of more than 30 consecutive days whether or not the proposed director was named in the order.

(a) To the best of knowledge of the Company, none of the proposed directors, including any personal holding company of a proposed director:

- (i) is, as at the date of this Circular, or has been, within the 10 years before the date of this Circular, a director, chief executive officer or chief financial officer of any company (including the Company) that:
  - (ii) was subject to an order that was issued while the proposed director was acting in the capacity as a director, chief executive officer or chief financial officer of the company; or
  - (iii) was subject to an order that was issued after the proposed director ceased to be a director, chief executive officer or chief financial officer and which resulted from an event that occurred while that person was acting in the capacity as a director, chief executive officer or chief financial officer of the company;
- (b) is, as at the date of this Circular, or has been, within the 10 years before the date of this Circular, a director or executive officer of any company (including the Company) that, while that person was acting in that capacity, or within a year of that person ceasing to act in that capacity, became bankrupt, made a proposal under any legislation relating to bankruptcy or insolvency, or was subject to or instituted any proceedings, arrangement or compromise with creditors, or had a receiver, receiver manager or trustee appointed to hold its assets;
  - (c) has, within the 10 years before the date of this Circular, become bankrupt, made a proposal under any legislation relating to bankruptcy or insolvency, or become subject to or instituted any proceedings, arrangement or compromise with creditors, or had a receiver, receiver manager or trustee appointed to hold the assets of the proposed director;
  - (d) has been subject to any penalties or sanctions imposed by a court relating to securities legislation or by a securities regulatory authority or has entered into a settlement agreement with a securities regulatory authority since December 31, 2000, or before December 31, 2000 if the disclosure of which would likely be important to a reasonable security holder in deciding whether to vote for a proposed director, or
  - (e) has been subject to any other penalties or sanctions imposed by a court or regulatory body that would likely be considered important to a reasonable security holder in deciding whether to vote for a proposed director.

### **Approval of Compensation Plan**

At this year's meeting, the shareholders will be asked to re-approve the Company's Compensation Plan. In accordance with policies of the TSX Venture Exchange (the "**Exchange**"), a plan with a rolling 10% maximum must be approved by Shareholders at each annual general meeting. Accordingly, Shareholders will be asked to pass an ordinary resolution re-approving the Company's Compensation Plan to accommodate the Exchange's policies governing security-based compensation plans.

The Compensation Plan is a ten (10%) percent rolling plan, pursuant to which the Board may grant Options, RSUs and DSUs (together, the "**Compensation Securities**") to purchase common shares of the Company to NEOs, directors, officers, management company employees of the Company or affiliated corporations and to consultants retained by the Company (collectively "**Eligible Persons**"), on terms acceptable to the exchange on which the Company is listed.

### ***The Compensation Plan Resolution***

At the Meeting, Shareholders will be asked to pass the following Ordinary Resolution re-approving the Compensation Plan (the "**Compensation Plan Resolution**"), substantially in the following form:

***BE IT RESOLVED THAT as an ordinary resolution of the Company that the Company's Compensation Plan be and is hereby ratified, confirmed and approved with such additional provisions and amendments, provided that such are not inconsistent with the Policies of the Exchange, as the directors of the Company may deem necessary or advisable.***

**Management recommends that Shareholders approve the Compensation Plan Resolution.** If the Compensation Plan Resolution is approved by Shareholders, the Directors will have the authority, in their sole discretion, to implement or revoke the Compensation Plan Resolution and otherwise implement or abandon the Compensation Plan.

**In the absence of instructions to the contrary, the Proxyholders intend to vote the Common Shares represented by each Proxy, properly executed, FOR the Compensation Plan Resolution.**

### **OTHER MATTERS**

As of the date of this circular, management knows of no other matters to be acted upon at this Annual General and Special Meeting. However, should any other matters properly come before the Meeting, the shares represented by the proxy solicited hereby will be voted on such matters in accordance with the best judgment of the persons voting the shares represented by the proxy.

### **AUDIT COMMITTEE DISCLOSURE**

The Charter of the Company's audit committee and other information required to be disclosed by Form 52-110F2 is attached to the Information Circular as Schedule "A".

### **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE DISCLOSURE**

The information required to be disclosed by National Instrument 58-101 Disclosure of Corporate Governance Practices is attached to this Circular as Schedule "B".

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Additional information relating to the Company is available on SEDAR+ at [www.sedarplus.ca](http://www.sedarplus.ca). Copies of the Company's Financial Statements and Management Discussion and Analysis may be obtained without charge upon request from the Company's registered office located at Suite 2200, 885 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V6C 3E8.

### **DIRECTOR APPROVAL**

The contents of this Circular and the sending thereof to the Shareholders of the Company have been approved by the Board of Directors.

**DATED** this 9<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2026.

**BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**KIPLIN METALS INC.**

*/s/ "Gilbert Schneider"*

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**Gilbert Schneider**  
**President, CEO and Director**

**SCHEDULE "A"**

**FORM 52-110F2**

**AUDIT COMMITTEE DISCLOSURE (VENTURE ISSUERS)**

**Item 1: The Audit Committee Charter**

The Audit Committee (the "**Committee**") is a committee of the board of directors (the "**Board**") of the Company. The role of the Committee is to provide oversight of the Company's financial management and of the design and implementation of an effective system of internal financial controls as well as to review and report to the Board on the integrity of the financial statements of the Company, its subsidiaries and associated companies. This includes helping directors meet their responsibilities, facilitating better communication between directors and the external auditor, enhancing the independence of the external auditor, increasing the credibility and objectivity of financial reports and strengthening the role of the directors by facilitating in-depth discussions among directors, management and the external auditor. Management is responsible for establishing and maintaining those controls, procedures and processes and the Committee is appointed by the Board to review and monitor them. The Company's external auditor is ultimately accountable to the Board and the Committee as representatives of the Company's shareholders.

**Duties and Responsibilities**

*External Auditor*

- a. To recommend to the Board, for shareholder approval, an external auditor to examine the Company's accounts, controls and financial statements on the basis that the external auditor is accountable to the Board and the Committee as representatives of the shareholders of the Company.
- b. To oversee the work of the external auditor engaged for the purpose of preparing or issuing an auditor's report or performing other audit, review or attest services for the Company, including the resolution of disagreements between management and the external auditor regarding financial reporting.
- c. To evaluate the audit services provided by the external auditor, pre-approve all audit fees and recommend to the Board, if necessary, the replacement of the external auditor.
- d. To pre-approve any non-audit services to be provided to the Company by the external auditor and the fees for those services.
- e. To obtain and review, at least annually, a written report by the external auditor setting out the auditor's internal quality-control procedures, any material issues raised by the auditor's internal quality-control reviews and the steps taken to resolve those issues.
- f. To review and approve the Company's hiring policies regarding partners, employees and former partners and employees of the present and former external auditor of the Company. The Committee has adopted the following guidelines regarding the hiring of any partner, employee, reviewing tax professional or other person providing audit assurance to the external auditor of the Company on any aspect of its certification of the Company's financial statements:
  - (i) A member of the audit team that is auditing a business of the Company can be hired into that business or into a position to which that business reports following Committee review and approval;
  - (ii) A former partner or employee of the external auditor may be made an officer of the Company or any of its subsidiaries following Committee review and approval;
  - (iii) The Chief Financial Officer ("CFO") must approve all office hires from the external auditor; and

- (iv) The CFO must report annually to the Committee on any hires within these guidelines during the preceding year.
- g. To review, at least annually, the relationships between the Company and the external auditor in order to establish the independence of the external auditor.

#### *Financial Information and Reporting*

- (a) To review and approve the Company's annual audited financial statements and interim statements with the Chief Executive Officer ("CEO") and CFO and then recommend approval to the Board.
- (b) To review and discuss with management and the external auditor, as appropriate:
  - (i) The annual audited financial statements and the interim financial statements, including the accompanying management discussion and analysis; and
  - (ii) Earnings guidance and other releases containing information taken from the Company's financial statements prior to their release.
- (c) To review the quality and not just the acceptability of the Company's financial reporting and accounting standards and principles and any proposed material changes to them or their application.
- (d) To review with the CFO any earnings guidance to be issued by the Company and any news release containing financial information taken from the Company's financial statements prior to the release of the financial statements to the public. In addition, the CFO must review with the Committee the substance of any presentations to analysts or rating agencies that contain a change in strategy or outlook.

#### *Oversight*

- (a) To review the internal audit staff functions, including:
  - (i) The purpose, authority and organizational reporting lines;
  - (ii) The annual audit plan, budget and staffing; and
  - (iii) The appointment and compensation of the controller, if any.
- (b) To review, with the CFO and others, as appropriate, the Company's internal system of audit controls and the results of internal audits.
- (c) To review and monitor the Company's major financial risks and risk management policies and the steps taken by management to mitigate those risks.
- (d) To meet at least annually with management (including the CFO), the internal audit staff, and the external auditor in separate executive sessions and review issues and matters of concern respecting audits and financial reporting.
- (e) In connection with its review, approval, and Board approval recommendation of the annual audited financial statements and interim financial statements, the Committee will also review and approve the process for the CEO and CFO certifications (if required by law or regulation) with respect to the financial statements and the Company's disclosure and internal controls, including any material deficiencies or changes in those controls.

#### **Membership**

- (a) The Committee shall consist solely of three or more members of the Board, all of which the Board has

determined has no material relationship with the Company and is otherwise “unrelated” or “independent” as required under applicable securities rules or applicable stock exchange rules.

- (b) Any member may be removed from office or replaced at any time by the Board and shall cease to be a member upon ceasing to be a director. Each member of the Committee shall hold office until the close of the next annual meeting of shareholders of the Company or until the member ceases to be a director, resigns or is replaced, whichever first occurs.
- (c) The members of the Committee shall be entitled to receive such remuneration for acting as members of the Committee as the Board may from time to time determine.
- (d) All members of the Committee must be “financially literate” (i.e. have the ability to read and understand a set of financial statements such as a balance sheet, an income statement and a cash flow statement).

### **Procedures**

- (a) The Board shall appoint one of the directors elected to the Committee as the Chair of the Committee (the “**Chair**”). In the absence of the appointed Chair from any meeting of the Committee, the members shall elect a Chair from those in attendance to act as Chair of the meeting.
- (b) The Chair will appoint a secretary (the “**Secretary**”) who will keep minutes of all meetings. The Secretary does not have to be a member of the Committee or a director and can be changed by simple notice from the Chair.
- (c) No business may be transacted by the Committee except at a meeting of its members at which a quorum of the Committee is present or by resolution in writing signed by all the members of the Committee. A majority of the members of the Committee shall constitute a quorum, provided that if the number of members of the Committee is an even number, one-half of the number of members plus one shall constitute a quorum and provided that a majority of the members must be “independent” or “unrelated”.
- (d) The Committee will meet as many times as is necessary to carry out its responsibilities. Any member of the Committee or the external auditor may call meetings.
- (e) The time and place of the meetings of the Committee, the calling of meetings and the procedure in all respects of such meetings shall be determined by the Committee, unless otherwise provided for in the articles of the Company or otherwise determined by resolution of the Board.
- (f) The Committee shall have the resources and authority necessary to discharge its duties and responsibilities, including the authority to select, retain, terminate, and approve the fees and other retention terms (including termination) of special counsel, advisors or other experts or consultants, as it deems appropriate.
- (g) The Committee shall have access to any and all books and records of the Company necessary for the execution of the Committee's obligations and shall discuss with the CEO or the CFO such records and other matters considered appropriate.
- (h) The Committee has the authority to communicate directly with the internal and external auditors.

### **Reports**

The Committee shall produce the following reports and provide them to the Board:

- (a) An annual performance evaluation of the Committee, which evaluation must compare the performance of the Committee with the requirements of this Charter. The performance evaluation should also recommend to the Board any improvements to this Charter deemed necessary or desirable by the Committee. The performance evaluation by the Committee shall be conducted in such manner as the Committee deems

appropriate. The report to the Board may take the form of an oral report by the Chair or any other member of the Committee designated by the Committee to make this report.

- (b) A summary of the actions taken at each Committee meeting, which shall be presented to the Board at the next Board meeting.

#### **Item 2: Composition of the Audit Committee**

National Instrument 52-110 Audit Committees, (“NI 52-110”) provides that a member of an audit committee is “independent” if the member has no direct or indirect material relationship with the Company, which could, in the view of the Company's Board, reasonably interfere with the exercise of the member's independent judgment.

NI 52-110 provides that an individual is “financially literate” if he or she has the ability to read and understand a set of financial statements that present a breadth and level of complexity of accounting issues that are generally comparable to the breadth and complexity of the issues that can reasonably be expected to be raised by the Company's financial statements. The following sets out the members of the audit committee and their education and experience that is relevant to the performance of his responsibilities as an audit committee member.

The current members of the Audit Committee are Peter Born, Richard Ko and Gilbert Schneider, of which Peter Born is independent and all of whom are financially literate as defined by NI 52-110.

#### **Item 3: Relevant Education and Experience**

The Instrument provides that an individual is “financially literate” if he or she has the ability to read and understand a set of financial statements that present a breadth and level of complexity of accounting issues that are generally comparable to the breadth and complexity of the issues that can reasonably be expected to be raised by the Company’s financial statements.

All members of the Audit Committee are considered financially literate and have been involved in enterprises which publicly report financial results, each of which requires a working understanding of, and ability to analyze and assess, financial information (including financial statements).

#### **Item 4: Audit Committee Oversight**

At no time during the Company’s most recently completed financial year was a recommendation of the Audit Committee to nominate or compensate an external auditor (currently, Mao & Ying LLP, Chartered Professional Accountants) not adopted by the Board.

#### **Item 5: Reliance on Certain Exemptions**

During the most recently completed financial year, the Company has not relied on certain exemptions set out in NI 52-110, namely section 2.4 (De Minimis Non-audit Services), subsection 6.1.1(4) (Circumstance Affecting the Business or Operations of the Venture Issuer), subsection 6.1.1(5) (Events Outside Control of Member), subsection 6.1.1(6) (Death, Incapacity or Resignation), and any exemption, in whole or in part, in Part 8 (Exemptions).

#### **Item 6: Pre-Approval Policies and Procedures**

The Audit Committee has not adopted formal policies and procedures for the engagement of non-audit services. Subject to the requirements of the NI 52-110, the engagement of non-audit services is considered by, as applicable, the Board and the Audit Committee, on a case by case basis.

### **Item 7: External Auditor Service Fees (By Category)**

The following table sets out the aggregate fees charged to the Company by the external auditor in each of the last two financial years for the category of fees described:

	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>
Audit Fees <sup>(1)</sup>	\$15,000.00	\$15,000.00
Audit-Related Fees <sup>(2)</sup>	Nil	Nil
Tax Fees <sup>(3)</sup>	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
All Other Fees <sup>(4)</sup>	Nil	Nil
<b>Total Fees:</b>	<b>\$17,000.00</b>	<b>\$17,000.00</b>

1. “Audit fees” include aggregate fees billed by the Company’s external auditor in each of the last two fiscal years for audit fees.
2. “Audited related fees” include the aggregate fees billed in each of the last two fiscal years for assurance and related services by the Company’s external auditor that are reasonably related to the performance of the audit or review of the Company’s financial statements and are not reported under “Audit fees” above. The services provided include employee benefit audits, due diligence assistance, accounting consultations on proposed transactions, internal control reviews and audit or attest services not required by legislation or regulation.
3. “Tax fees” include the aggregate fees billed in each of the last three fiscal years for professional services rendered by the Company’s external auditor for tax compliance, tax advice and tax planning. The services provided include tax planning and tax advice includes assistance with tax audits and appeals, tax advice related to mergers and acquisitions, and requests for rulings or technical advice from tax authorities.
4. “All other fees” include the aggregate fees billed in each of the last three fiscal years for products and services provided by the Company’s external auditor, other than “Audit fees”, “Audit related fees” and “Tax fees” above.

### **Item 8: Exemption**

During the two most recently completed financial years, the Company relied on the exemption set out in section 6.1 of NI52-110 with respect to compliance with the requirements of Part 3 (Composition of the Audit Committee) and Part 5 (Reporting Obligations).

**SCHEDULE “B”**  
**FORM 58-101F2**  
**CORPORATE GOVERNANCE DISCLOSURE**  
**(VENTURE ISSUERS)**

The board of directors (the “**Board**”) of Kiplin Metals Inc. (the “**Corporation**”) believes that good corporate governance improves corporate performance and benefits all shareholders. Regulator authorities have implemented National Instrument 58-101 – *Disclosure of Corporate Governance Practices* (“**NI 58-101**”), which prescribes certain disclosure by the Corporation of its corporate governance practices.

The disclosure is presented below:

**Item 1: Board of Directors**

***Supervision Over Management***

There is no specific written mandate of the Board, other than the corporate standard of care set out in the governing corporate legislation of the Corporation, i.e., the Board has overall responsibility for the management, or supervision of the management, of the business and affairs of the Corporation. The Board’s primary tasks are to establish the policies, courses of action and goals of the Corporation and to monitor management’s strategies and performance for realizing them.

All major acquisitions, dispositions, and investments, as well as financing and significant matters outside the ordinary course of the Corporation’s business are subject to approval by the full Board. The Board of Directors does not currently have in place programs for succession planning and training of directors and management. As the growth of the Corporation continues, the Board will consider implementing such programs. In order to carry out the foregoing responsibilities the Board meets on a quarterly basis and as required by circumstances.

***Composition of the Board***

The Board is currently comprised of four directors. The board of directors of the Company (the “**Board**”) facilitates its exercise of independent supervision over the Company’s management through frequent meetings of the Board.

***Gilbert Schneider***, is the President and Chief Executive Officer of the Company and is therefore not “independent”.

***Richard Ko***, is the Chief Financial Officer of the Company and is therefore not “independent.

***Peter Born***, a director of the Company, is “independent” in that he is free from any direct or indirect material relationship with the Company.

A material relationship is a relationship which could, in the view of the Company’s board of directors, be reasonably expected to interfere with the exercise of a member’s independent judgment.

**Item 2: Directorships**

The current directors of the Company are currently directors of the following other reporting issuers:

<b>Name of Director</b>	<b>Name of Reporting Issuer</b>
Gilbert Schneider	Bedford Metals Corp.
Richard Ko	Bantam Capital Corp. Cullinan Metals Corp.

Name of Director	Name of Reporting Issuer
Peter Born	Arbor Metals Corp. Bedford Metals Corp. Bantam Capital Corp. Kingman Minerals Ltd. Zinc One Resources Inc. Marvel Discovery Corp.

**Item 3: Orientation and Continuing Education**

The Board does not have a formal process for the orientation of new Board members. Orientation is done on an informal basis. New Board members are provided with such information as is considered necessary to ensure that they are familiar with the Company’s business and understand the responsibilities of the Board.

The Board does not have a formal program for the continuing education of its directors. The Company expects its directors to pursue such continuing education opportunities as may be required to ensure that they maintain the skill and knowledge necessary to fulfill their duties as members of the Board. Directors can consult with the Company’s professional advisors regarding their duties and responsibilities, as well as recent developments relevant to the Company and the Board

**Item 4: Ethical Business Conduct**

The Board has not adopted a formal code of ethics. In the Board’s view, the fiduciary duties placed on individual directors by corporate legislation and the common law, and the restrictions placed by corporate legislation on an individual director's participation in decisions of the Board in which the director has an interest, have been sufficient to ensure that the Board operates independently of management and in the best interests of the Company.

Although the Company has not adopted a formal code of ethics, the Company promotes an ethical business culture. Directors and officers of the Company are encouraged to conduct themselves and the business of the Company with the utmost honesty and integrity. Directors are also encouraged to consult with the Company’s professional advisors with respect to any issues related to ethical business conduct.

**Item 5: Nomination of Directors**

The identification of potential candidates for nomination as directors of the Company is primarily done by the CEO, but all directors are encouraged to participate in the identification and recruitment of new directors. Potential candidates are primarily identified through referrals by business contacts

**Item 6: Compensation**

The compensation of directors and the CEO is determined by the Board as a whole. Such compensation is determined after consideration of various relevant factors, including the expected nature and quantity of duties and responsibilities, past performance, comparison with compensation paid by other issuers of comparable size and nature, and the availability of financial resources. See “Statement of Executive Compensation” for additional information

**Item 7: Other Board Committees**

The Company does not have any standing committees other than the Audit Committee.

**Item 8: Assessments**

The Board does not have any formal process for assessing the effectiveness of the Board, its committees, or individual directors. Such assessments are done on an informal basis by the CEO and the Board as a whole.