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**BARU GOLD COMMENCES DRILLING AT SANGIHE WHILE CONSTRUCTION  
ACTIVITIES CONTINUE**

Vancouver, BC - Baru Gold Corp (the "Company" or "Baru") is pleased to announce the arrival of the drill rig on Sangihe Island yesterday. The 25,000-metre drilling program announced in a news release dated September 14, 2021 will commence immediately.

The initial area targeted for this drilling program is covered in the Sangihe 2010 NI 43-101 report which identified 835,000 ounces of gold as an inferred resource between Binebase and Bawone villages over approximately 1.2 kilometres of strike length. An infill drilling program will be conducted in this area to upgrade some of the inferred resources into indicated and measured resource status. Over the past few months, the Company has prepared 27 drill pad sites which will be the focus of activity over the next two months.

Thereafter, exploration drilling will continue over an additional 1.45 kilometres from Bawone to South of Salurang village following the continuation of the known geochemical anomaly and with guidance from the ongoing structural study. Once that program has been completed, the identified resources will then be infill drilled to bring some of these resources into indicated and measured status. The rig will then be further deployed for regional target work.

**Construction Activities**

Construction is currently in progress. Preparation of the laydown area is now 90% complete and widening of the access bridge to the laydown has been completed. All mobilization requirements for construction are in place, including security, labour clearing crew, heavy equipment, fuel, electrical team, and facilities. Catering facilities at camp are operational and on-site laundry facilities will be running next week.

Land acquisition is on-going with minimal effect on construction. The heavy equipment on site will be utilized efficiently and concurrently as required between the drilling and construction activities. The Company currently employs 79 people on this project and 66 are locals from Sangihe Island.

## **ABOUT SANGIHE GOLD PROJECT**

The Sangihe Gold Project (“Sangihe”) is located on the Indonesian island of Sangihe, off the northern coast of Sulawesi. Sangihe has an existing National Instrument 43-101 inferred mineral resource of 114,700 indicated and 105,000 inferred ounces of gold, as reported in the Company's "Independent Technical Report on the Mineral Resource Estimates of the Binebase and Bawone Deposits, Sangihe Project, North Sulawesi, Indonesia" (May 30, 2017). Readers are cautioned that mineral resources that are not mineral reserves do not have demonstrated economic viability. The Company intends to proceed to production without the benefit of first establishing mineral reserves supported by a feasibility study.

The Company's 70-percent interest in the Sangihe-mineral-tenement Contract of Work ("CoW") is held through PT. Tambang Mas Sangihe (“TMS”). The remaining 30-percent interest in TMS is held by three Indonesian corporations. The term of the Sangihe CoW agreement is 30 years upon commencement of the production phase of the project.

Baru has met all the requirements of the Indonesian government and has been granted its environmental permit. The Company has received approval for the upgrade of its licence to advance the Sangihe project to production in early 2022.

***Note:** The Company cautions readers that the any production decision made by the Company will not be based on a NI 43-101 feasibility study of mineral reserves that demonstrates economic and technical viability and as such, there may be involved increased uncertainty and various technological and economic risks such as the interpretation of drill results; the geology, grade and continuity of mineral deposits; the possibility that future exploration, development or mining results will not be consistent with our expectations; commodity and currency price fluctuation; failure to obtain adequate financing; regulatory, recovery rates, refinery costs, and other relevant conversion factors, permitting and licensing risks; general market and mining exploration risks and production and economic risks related to design and engineering, manufacturing, technological processes and test procedures and the risk that the project's output will not be salable at a price that will cover the project's operating and maintenance costs.*

## **ABOUT BARU GOLD CORP.**

Baru Gold Corporation is a dynamic junior gold developer with NI 43-101 gold resources in Indonesia, one of the top ten gold producing countries in the world. Based in Indonesia and North America, Baru’s team of mining and finance professionals boasts extensive experience in starting and operating small-scale gold and coal assets. With sufficient funds and strong retail and institutional shareholder support, Baru is positioned to become Indonesia’s next gold producer.

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