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TSX, ASX: AVM
Common shares outstanding: 29.1 million

Resignation of Director

Anvil Mining Limited (TSX, ASX: AVM) announces the resignation of non executive director, Philip K.R. Pascall effective November 30, 2005. As previously announced on November 07, 2005, Mr. Pascall cited his increased workload as Chairman and CEO of First Quantum Minerals Limited (FM) and the sale of FM's equity ownership in Anvil Mining Limited to institutional investors in the first quarter of 2005, as the reasons for his resignation. The Board of Directors thank him for his vital contribution to the Company particularly during its formative years, and wish him every success in his future business endeavours.

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