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New Appointments

PERTH – Anvil Mining Limited (TSX, ASX: AVM) is pleased to announce the following appointments.

Vice President Operations

Mr Malcolm Hillbeck has been appointed Vice President Operations. Malcolm is a mining engineer (University of Birmingham, UK) with more than forty years experience in the mining industry at operations, senior management and corporate levels. He has an extensive background in the management of underground and open-cut mining operations and has accumulated significant knowledge in the planning and development of mining activities. Malcolm has developed and operated mines in Europe, North America, Africa and Australia.

Resident Manager – Dikulushi Mine, DRC

Mr Denham Vickers has been appointed Resident Manager - Dikulushi Mine, DRC. Denham graduated with an Honours degree in mining engineering in 1980 (Royal School of Mines, UK) and thereafter worked in various operational and technical roles in South Africa and South America. Since 1990, he has held senior operational management and consultancy positions on various underground and surface mining operations in East Africa, South America and the South Pacific. Denham was closely involved with the initial construction and commissioning of the Dikulushi Mine in 2002 and its operation up to August 2004.

Resident Manager – Kulu Project, Kolwezi Region, DRC

Mr Peter Allen has been appointed as Resident Manager of the Kulu (Kulumaziba) Project which is expected to be in production before the end of 2005. Peter graduated from the University of Queensland in 1980 with a Bachelor of Metallurgical Engineering degree. Since graduating he has worked in operational and engineering roles in base and precious metals mining in Australia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands, Indonesia, and Guinea (West Africa).

Company Secretary

Mr Lui Evangelista has been appointed as Company Secretary following the resignation of Ms Tara Robson. Lui is a Certified Practicing Accountant (CPA) with over seventeen years experience in financial management in Australia and Europe, including four years as Company Secretary of an ASX listed company.

Tara Robson worked on a part-time basis, as Company Secretary for Anvil, for a period of eight years. The recent growth in the Company's activities, particularly the move to Canada, has created the need for a full-time Company Secretary.

During the last eight years, Tara has provided valuable guidance to the Company in making the transition from an exploration company to producer and was significantly involved in the Bogoso gold mine acquisition in 1999 and the redomiciling of Anvil Mining to Canada in 2004. The Board thanks Tara for her contribution and commitment to the Company and wishes her well in her future endeavours.

Bill Turner, President and CEO of Anvil Mining stated: “We are very pleased to announce these appointments which will allow us to manage the Company more efficiently given our growth profile and consolidate our presence in the DRC. The worldwide underground and open pit expertise of these appointees will certainly contribute to the transition of the Dikulushi open pit mine into an underground operation and to the development of the advanced Kulu coarse rejects/tailings deposit, which should be in production by the end of the year.”

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