

Drilling Permit Approved for the Wingina Prospect at the Great Northern Gold Project, Australia

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VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA--(Marketwired - Sep 22, 2014) - [Rugby Mining Ltd.](#) ("**Rugby**" or the "**Company**") (**TSX VENTURE:RUG**) is pleased to announce that a permit has been received for the initial drilling program at the Wingina prospect within the **Great Northern Gold Project** in the Pilbara region of Western Australia ("[Figure 1](#)").

Rugby's CEO, Paul Joyce stated "Wingina is the top priority prospect at our Great Northern Gold Project. We can now move quickly to drill test a potential depth extension to a high-grade gold zone ("[Figure 2](#)"). Both the structural setting and the host rocks are considered favourable for such an extension to significant depth. The initial drilling program will comprise four pre-collared diamond drill holes.

"In addition to testing the continuity of the high grade footwall gold zone, this program will assist in upgrading the historical mineral resource at Wingina to NI 43-101 requirements. The program is expected to commence in early October, 2014 with results anticipated in November and December."

Cobrasco Update

Rugby has secured the water permits and the communities' social and access agreements necessary to initiate an exploration program at Cobrasco. One final permit is awaited and remains with the Ministry of Environment for approval. Drilling on the project is expected to follow once this permit is obtained.

Cisco Montes, the Company's Chief Geologist and a "qualified person" within the definition of that term in NI 43-101, has supervised the preparation of the technical information contained in this news release.

About Rugby

Rugby is an emerging mineral resource company focussed on a portfolio of projects with considerable potential for significant discoveries. Rugby benefits from the experience of its directors and management, individuals that have been directly responsible for world-class mineral discoveries or have led teams responsible for such discoveries.

Cobrasco and Comita Projects, Colombia: Rugby owns 100% of the Cobrasco project, subject to a 1% NSR and has an option to earn up to 60% of the adjacent Comita project in western Colombia. Both projects host undrilled large scale porphyry copper-molybdenum targets which were recognised during a joint German-Colombian government sponsored exploration program over 20 years ago. No systematic exploration has been conducted since that time. Rugby is now in discussions with local drilling contractors with the goal to initiate its inaugural drill program at Cobrasco once the outstanding permit is obtained. The Company recently filed a NI 43-101 Technical Report titled, "*Cobrasco-Comita Porphyry Copper Project, Department of Chocó, Republic of Colombia*" (the "Technical Report"), with an effective date of June 25, 2014, authored by Dr. Stewart D. Redwood, an independent Qualified Person. The Technical Report is available under the Company's profile at www.sedar.com.

The Great Northern Gold Project, Australia: Rugby has an option to earn an 80% interest in a 714 square kilometre ("km") tenement package (the "Tenements") and an additional option to purchase an 80% interest in a near surface historical resource at Wingina (together with the Tenements, the "**Great Northern Gold Project**").

Mabuhay Project, Philippines: The Company holds an option to acquire up to 80% of the Mabuhay project in Surigao Province. The Company considers the project to have excellent potential for the discovery of both epithermal gold deposits and gold-copper porphyry systems. An application for an Exploration Permit ("EP") is currently being processed, however grant of all titles in the Philippines remains very slow. To minimise expenditures, the project will remain under care and maintenance until the EP is granted.

For additional information you are invited to visit the [Rugby Mining Ltd.](http://www.rugbymining.com) website at www.rugbymining.com

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