

# Wildcat Silver Announces Professor Poonam Puri to Join its Board of Directors

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VANCOUVER, May 27, 2015 /CNW/ - [Wildcat Silver Corp.](#) (TSX: WS) ("Wildcat" or the "Company") announces the appointment of Professor Poonam Puri to its Board of Directors.

Poonam Puri, Professor of Law at Osgoode Hall Law School and affiliated scholar to Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg LLP, is one of Canada's most respected scholars and commentators on issues of corporate governance, corporate law, securities law and financial regulation. She was Associate Dean, Research, Graduate Studies and Institutional Relations at Osgoode Hall Law School from July 2011 to September 2013 before taking on the role of Associate Dean until July 2014. She was also Co-Director of the Hennick Centre for Business and Law, a joint initiative of Osgoode Hall Law School and the Schulich School of Business at York University, from July 2008 to June 2013. In 2008, Professor Puri was appointed as one of two research directors of the Canadian Ministry of Finance's Expert Panel on Securities Regulation, which led to the proposed common securities regulator. In 2005, she was co-research director of the Task Force to Modernize Securities Legislation and also served as a member of the Ontario Securities Commission's Investor Advisory Committee from 2005 to 2007. In 2011, Professor Puri was named one of the 100 Most Powerful Women in Canada by the Women's Executive Network.

Professor Puri is a member of the Board of Directors of the Greater Toronto Airports Authority and chaired its Corporate Governance and Nominating Committee for four years. She also sits on the Board of Directors of Toronto's Women's College Hospital and is currently chair of its Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee. Professor Puri has a Bachelor of Laws (LLB) degree from the University of Toronto and a Master of Laws (LLM) degree from Harvard Law School.

Richard Warke, Wildcat's Chairman and CEO commented, "We are very pleased to have Ms. Puri join our Board as an independent director at this exciting time in the Company's development. We look forward to her corporate governance expertise and business insight as we build on the recent exploration success at our Hermosa North West project."

## About Wildcat

Wildcat is a Canadian mineral exploration company focused on the development of its 80% owned Hermosa property located in Santa Cruz County, Arizona. The Hermosa property currently has two distinct projects: Hermosa NW, a zinc-lead-silver carbonate replacement zone sulfide mineral exploration project; and Hermosa Central, a silver-manganese manto oxide development project. Hermosa NW has a resource calculated in accordance with NI 43-101 and is currently being drilled to test the limits of that resource. The Company released the results of the first five holes of the current drill program on Hermosa NW in May, 2015 that showed high grade zinc, lead and silver intercepts over significant thicknesses. Hermosa Central's December 2013 prefeasibility study indicates it is expected to be one of the largest primary silver producers as well as the only electrolytic manganese metal producer in the USA at industry low cash costs. The pre-feasibility study estimates annual production of 5.7 million ounces of silver and 110 million pounds of electrolytic manganese metal (EMM) at average cash costs of \$4.41 per silver ounce and \$0.74 per EMM pound over an 18 year mine life.

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