

VANCOUVER, Aug. 5, 2015 /CNW/ - [Wealth Minerals Ltd.](#) ("Wealth") - (TSXV: WML; Frankfurt: EJZ), announces the appointment of Mr. Xiaohuan (Juan) Tang as a Director and Chief Operating Officer. Mr. Tang is an environmental engineer who most recently served as General Manager of Jinzhao Mining Peru ("Jinzhao") and was responsible for the successful permitting of the 2 billion tonnes Pampa de Pongo iron deposit, Arequipa, Peru.

"We are delighted to announce Mr. Tang's appointments for Wealth. As General Manager of Jinzhao Mining, he was responsible for all aspects of the Pampa de Pongo deposit from 2010 to receipt of the mine permits in early 2015" stated Henk van Alphen, Wealth's President & CEO, "Having secured permits for such a large-scale mining project in Peru, Mr. Tang has proven himself to be a very capable mining executive who understands how to work with communities and government authorities to secure mine permits under conditions acceptable to all stakeholders. His operating experience in Peru as well as his connections to investors in China will be critical to Wealth going forward."

ABOUT MR. TANG

As General Manager of Jinzhao, Mr. Tang was responsible for the development of the Pampa de Pongo project; one of the largest iron ore deposits in Latin America. Over a period of 4 years, Jinzhao completed extensive infill drilling programs, environmental impact assessment ("EIA") and a bankable feasibility study. Acceptance of the EIA by the Peruvian authorities in early 2015 is a reflection of his leadership in the company.

Prior to Jinzhao, Mr. Tang worked at Standard Bank London and Shanghai for structured mining project financing. Prior to Standard bank, he was a consultant for the British Foreign Office South American Group and Peruvian think-tank Macroconsult. He also completed research work at UN-ECLAC in Chile and has been involved in mineral exploration in Colombia and Honduras.

Mr. Tang's was originally educated as an Environmental Engineer with a Bachelor in Engineering (B.Eng.) from Tsinghua University in China. He subsequently received a Master of Engineering (M.Eng.) in Environmental Engineering from Imperial College London, a Master of Science (M.Sc.) in Environmental Politics from the University of Oxford, and most recently a Master of Philosophy (M.Phil.) in Environmental Economics from the University of Cambridge.

Mr. Tang is a member of the Chatham House, a British think tank created for the analysis of international affairs, and the Inter-American Dialogue, an organization which engages a network of global leaders to foster democratic governance, prosperity and social equity in Latin America. Mr. Tang's language skills include his native Chinese Mandarin, fluent English and fluent Spanish.

ABOUT WEALTH MINERALS LTD.

Wealth is an early stage mineral exploration company with listings on the TSX Venture and Frankfurt Stock Exchanges. The acquisition of the Yanamina Gold Property is consistent with Wealth's project acquisition policy requiring stable geopolitical project locations, low exploration risk, attractive grade, and potentially low capital requirements. While Wealth is not a development company, management insist on reasonable potential for near-term production. The Company intends to negotiate partnerships that will open up potential project developments routes.

For further details on the Company readers are referred to the Company's web site (www.wealthminerals.com) and its Canadian regulatory filings on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

On Behalf of the Board of Directors of
WEALTH MINERALS LTD.

"Hendrik Van Alphen" (signed)

Hendrik Van Alphen,
President & Chief Executive Officer

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