

Brazil Minerals, Inc. Adds Cobalt, Nickel, and Copper Areas

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PASADENA, Calif., April 26, 2018 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Via OTC PR Wire -- Brazil Minerals, Inc. (OTC:BMIX) (the "Company" or "Brazil Minerals") announced today that it has added to its list of properties two separate areas, both for cobalt, copper, and nickel, with an aggregate total of 5,011 acres. These claims are in Montes Claros de Goiás and within the region reported to contain 27% of Brazil's nickel reserves. Cobalt and copper are often found associated with nickel, and usually are by-products of nickel processing.

Cobalt, nickel and copper are needed in the production of parts of electric vehicles. Cobalt shortage is forecasted, and thus Brazil Minerals decided to actively seek high quality properties for this strategic mineral. Brazil's cobalt production comes entirely from the state of Goiás, where its new mineral rights are located. Goiás is also a large producer of copper and nickel.

Brazil Minerals has been systematically adding to its mineral bank of promising properties ("BMIX Mineral Bank"). It regularly evaluates and prioritizes its research efforts and utilizes its own equipment for drilling. Recently, the Company has been approached by third parties, including larger mining companies, interested in certain claims in the BMIX Mineral Bank and is in preliminary discussions on these.

BMIX Mineral Bank:
Cobalt/Copper/Nickel: 5,011 acres
Iron/Titanium/Vanadium: 4,938 acres
Lithium: 288 acres
Manganese: 4,970 acres
Gold: 119,989 acres
Diamond (kimberlites): 92,961 acres
Diamond (alluvial): 27,612 acres
Aquamarine/Beryl/Tourmaline: 288 acres
Sand (construction industry): 4,995 acres

About Brazil Minerals, Inc.

Brazil Minerals, Inc. with its subsidiaries ("Brazil Minerals") has two components to its business model: 1) Growing a portfolio of promising mineral rights in a wide spectrum of strategic and sought-after minerals, from which equity holdings and/or royalty interests will develop, and 2) Mining certain specific areas for gold, diamonds, and sand. Our progress has been steady. In early 2013 we owned mineral rights for gold and diamonds. Since then we have grown several-fold our bank of high quality mineral properties (the "BMIX Mineral Bank") to currently include mineral rights for gold, diamonds, cobalt, copper, iron, lithium, manganese, nickel, precious gems (aquamarine, beryl, tourmaline), sand, titanium, and vanadium. Our first equity holding from our project generation strategy is in Jupiter Gold Corporation ("Jupiter Gold"); Brazil Minerals owns approximately 55.4% of Jupiter Gold's equity. More information on us is at www.brazil-minerals.com. Follow us on Twitter: @BMIXstock.

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