

# Lundin Gold Announces Retirement Of Chairman

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VANCOUVER, Feb. 17, 2022 - [Lundin Gold Inc.](#) (TSX: LUG) (Nasdaq Stockholm: LUG) ("Lundin Gold" or the "Company") announces that Mr. Lukas Lundin has informed the Company that he intends to retire as both Chairman and Non-Executive Director of the Board upon the completion of his term at the Company's upcoming 2022 annual meeting of shareholders.

Ron Hochstein, Lundin Gold's President and CEO, commented, "On behalf of the Board and management team of Lundin Gold, we want to thank Lukas for his dedication and invaluable contribution to the Company over the past eight years. Under his leadership, Lundin Gold acquired the Fruta del Norte deposit in Ecuador and then developed it quickly into one of the highest-grade gold mines in the world today. As Chairman, his vision, strategic leadership and guidance have been a great benefit to the Company."

Lukas Lundin, Chairman of the Board, added, "The acquisition of Fruta del Norte and the fast-paced execution of the project, from study, engineering, government agreements, financing and construction show the expertise of the Lundin Group in working in areas many others would shy away from. I am very proud of what the team has accomplished, all while showing the significant benefits achievable from responsible resource development."

Lundin Gold's Board of Directors has developed a succession plan to ensure a smooth transition and expects to name a new Chair of the Board following the annual meeting.

## About Lundin Gold

Lundin Gold, headquartered in Vancouver, Canada, owns the Fruta del Norte gold mine in southeast Ecuador and a large exploration land package that hosts the Fruta del Norte deposit at its northern edge. Fruta del Norte is among the highest-grade operating gold mines in the world.

The Company's board and management team have extensive expertise in mine operations and are dedicated to operating the Fruta del Norte responsibly. The Company operates with transparency and in accordance with international best practices. Lundin Gold is committed to delivering value to its shareholders, while simultaneously providing economic and social benefits to impacted communities, fostering a healthy and safe workplace and minimizing the environmental impact. The Company believes the value created through the development of Fruta del Norte will benefit its shareholders, the Government and the citizens of Ecuador.

## Additional Information

The information in this release is subject to the disclosure requirements of Lundin Gold under the EU Market Abuse Regulation. This information was publicly communicated on February 17, 2022 at 12:00 p.m. Pacific Time through the contact persons listed below.

## Caution Regarding Forward-Looking Information and Statements

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This press release contains forward-looking information relating to succession matters on Lundin Gold's board of directors. There can be no assurance that such statements will prove to be accurate, as Lundin Gold's actual results and future events could differ materially from those anticipated in this forward-looking information as a result of the factors discussed in the "Risk Factors" section in Lundin Gold's Annual Information Form dated March 2, 2021, which is available at [www.lundingold.com](http://www.lundingold.com) or on the Company's website.

Lundin Gold's actual results could differ materially from those anticipated. Factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from any forward-looking statement or that could have a material impact on the Company or the trading price of its shares include: risks relating to the impacts of a pandemic virus outbreak, political and economic instability in Ecuador, fluctuations in gold prices, estimates, mining operations, the Company's community relationships, ability to maintain obligations or comply with debt financing requirements, volatility in the price of gold, shortages of critical supplies, compliance with environmental laws and regulations for environmental contamination, lack of availability of infrastructure, the Company's reliance on one mine, deficient or unclear title to concessions, easements and surface rights, uncertainty with the tax regime in Ecuador, the Company's workforce, labour relations, inherent safety hazards and risks to the health and safety of the Company's employees and contractors, the Company's ability to obtain, maintain or renew regulatory approvals, permits and licenses, the imprecision of mineral resource estimates, key talent recruitment and retention of key personnel, volatility in the market price of the shares, the influence of the Company's largest shareholders, measures to protect endangered species and critical habitats, the Company's reliance on its information systems and the risk of cyber-attacks on those systems, the cost of non-compliance and other operational costs, exploration and development risks, risks related to illegal mining, the adequacy of the Company's insurance, uncertainty to reclamation and decommissioning, the ability of Lundin Gold to ensure compliance with anti-bribery and anti-corruption laws, the uncertainty regarding risks posed by climate change, the potential for litigation, limits of disclosure and internal controls, security risks to the Company, its assets and its personnel, conflicts of interest, risks that the Company will not declare its interests and social media and reputation.

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