Centamin PLC Announces 2022 Final Dividend

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PERTH, March 16, 2023 - Centamin Plc ("Centamin" or "the Company") (LSE:CEY)(TSX:CEE) Centamin is pleased to announce the Board of Directors recommend the payment of a final dividend of 2.5 US cents per share, for the six months ended 31 December 2022.

2022 FINAL DIVIDEND

Consistent with the Company's stated commitment to shareholders, the Board proposes a final dividend of 2.5 US cents per share (US\$29 million). This will bring the total dividend attributed to full year 2022 to 5 US cents per share (US\$58 million). The final dividend will be subject to shareholder approval at the 2022 Annual General Meeting on 23 May 2023, which will be hosted in London.

Centamin maintains a robust financial position, with cash and liquid assets of US\$157 million as at 31 December 2022, and excluding the US\$150 million sustainability-linked revolving credit facility available as of 13 March 2023. The Company's disciplined approach to capital allocation, provides the flexibility to allocate capital to shareholders returns, business investment and growth, environmental and social opportunities.

2022 FINAL DIVIDEND TIMETABLE[1]

Below is the final dividend timetable for the London Stock Exchange and Toronto Stock Exchange:

• 2022 AGM Date: 23 May 2023

• Ex-Dividend Date: 1 June 2023

• Record Date: 2 June 2023

• Last Date for Currency Elections: 5 June 2023

Payment Date: 23 June 2023

Dividend Currency Elections

The dividend will be paid on 23 June 2023, in US Dollars ("USD") with an option for shareholders to elect to receive the dividend in Pounds Sterling ("GBP"). Currency elections should be made no later than 5 June 2023 as per the instructions detailed on the Company website (www.centamin.com). Payments in GBP will be based on the USD/GBP exchange rate on 6 June 2023 and the rate applied will be published on the website thereafter.

As a Jersey incorporated company, there is no requirement for <u>Centamin Plc</u> to make any withholding or deduction on account of Jersey tax in respect of the dividend.

ABOUT CENTAMIN

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Centamin is an established gold producer, with premium listings on the London Stock Exchange and Toronto Stock Exchange. Following a period of 'reset' including a significant refresh of the Board and management team, the Company is now entering a growth phase, balanced with stakeholder returns. The Company's flagship asset is the Sukari Gold Mine ("Sukari"), Egypt's largest and first modern gold mine, as well as one of the world's largest producing mines. Since production began in 2009 Sukari has produced over 5 million ounces of gold, and today has 6.0Moz in gold Mineral Reserves. Through its large portfolio of exploration assets in Egypt and Côte d'Ivoire, Centamin is advancing an active pipeline of future growth prospects, including the Doropo project in Côte d'Ivoire, and has over 3,000km² of highly prospective exploration ground in Egypt's Nubian Shield.

Centamin practices responsible mining activities, recognising its responsibility to deliver operational and financial performance and create lasting mutual benefit for all stakeholders through good corporate citizenship, including but not limited to in 2022, achieving new safety records (8 million hours LTI-free), commissioning of the largest hybrid solar farm for a gold mine (Sukari 36MW_{DC} solar plant), sustaining a 96% Egyptian workforce and a 68% Egyptian supply chain at Sukari.

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[1] The dates set out above are based on the Directors' current expectations and may be subject to change. If any of the dates should change, the revised dates will be announced by a regulatory news announcement and will be available at www.centamin.com.

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