

# Mkango Resources Limited Closes Private Placement

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[Mkango Resources Ltd.](#) (AIM:MKA)(TSX-V:MKA) (the "Company" or "Mkango") announces that, further to the Company's announcement on 28 February 2025, it has closed its private placement through the issuance of 577,271 common shares of the Company (the "Placement Shares") at a price per Placement Share of 11 pence ("p") (approximately C\$0.205, using the Bank of Canada exchange rate as of closing on 12 March 2025 of £1:C\$1.8649 (The "Private Placement") to management.

Of the total, 236,363 shares have been issued to William Dawes, 236,363 shares to Alexander Lemon and 104,545 shares to Robert Sewell, structured for tax and regulatory reasons as a cash bonus and private placement of the after-tax amounts of the bonus. The value of the after-tax bonus invested in the shares of the Company is £26,000 (C\$48,487) for William Dawes and Alexander Lemon, and £11,500 (C\$21,446) for Robert Sewell.

In accordance with the Disclosure Guidance and Transparency Rules (DTR 5.6.1R) the Company hereby notifies the market that immediately following Admission, its issued and outstanding share capital will consist of 326,843,532 shares. The Company does not hold any shares in treasury. Shareholders may use this figure as the denominator for the calculations by which they will determine if they are required to notify their interest in, or a change to their interest in, the Company under the Financial Conduct Authority's Disclosure and Transparency Rules.

The Placement Shares have been admitted to trading on AIM on 12 March 2025 and will also be listed for trading on the TSX-V and will be subject to a statutory hold period in Canada expiring on 13 July 2025.

## About Mkango

Mkango is listed on the AIM and the TSX-V. Mkango's corporate strategy is to become a market leader in the production of recycled rare earth magnets, alloys and oxides, through its interest in Maginito Limited ("Maginito"), which is owned 79.4 per cent by Mkango and 20.6 per cent by CoTec, and to develop new sustainable sources of neodymium, praseodymium, dysprosium and terbium to supply accelerating demand from electric vehicles, wind turbines and other clean energy technologies.

Maginito holds a 100 per cent interest in HyProMag and a 90 per cent direct and indirect interest (assuming conversion of Maginito's convertible loan) in HyProMag GmbH, focused on short loop rare earth magnet recycling in the UK and Germany, respectively, and a 100 per cent interest in Mkango Rare Earths UK Ltd ("Mkango UK"), focused on long loop rare earth magnet recycling in the UK via a chemical route.

Maginito and CoTec are also rolling out HyProMag's recycling technology into the United States via the 50/50 owned HyProMag USA LLC joint venture company.

Mkango also owns the advanced stage Songwe Hill rare earths project and an extensive rare earths, uranium, tantalum, niobium, rutile, nickel and cobalt exploration portfolio in Malawi, and the Pulawy rare earths separation project in Poland.

Songwe Hill is one of the few rare earths projects to have progressed to the Definitive Feasibility Stage, with an expected life of mine of 18 years, producing a 55% mixed rare earth carbonate, yielding 1,953 tons per annum of NdPr and 56 tons per annum of DyTb.

Mkango's proposed Pulawy separation facility site, located in a Special Economic Zone in Poland, stands

adjacent to the EU's second largest manufacturer of nitrogen fertilisers, and features established infrastructure, access to reagents and utilities on site.

Mkango has signed a letter of Intent with Crown PropTech Acquisitions to list Mkango's Songwe Hill and Pulawy Rare Earths Projects on NASDAQ via a SPAC Merger.

For more information, please visit [www.mkango.ca](http://www.mkango.ca)

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MANAGERIAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND PERSONS CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH THEM:**

1 Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated

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|---------|--------------------|
|         | 1) William Dawes   |
| a) Name | 2) Alexander Lemon |
|         | 3) Robert Sewell   |

2 Reason for the notification

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|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|                                    | 1) Chief Executive Officer  |
| a) Position/status                 | 2) President and Co-Founder |
|                                    | 3) Chief Financial Officer  |
| b) Initial notification /Amendment | Initial Notification        |

3 Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor

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|---------|----------------------|
| a) Name | Mkango Resources Ltd |
| b) LEI  | 213800RPILRWUYNTS85  |

4 Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each place where transactions have been conducted

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| Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument | Common shares of nil par value each       |
| a) Identification code                                      | ISIN: CA60686A4090                        |
| b) Nature of the transaction                                | Issue of Common Shares in connection with |

	Price(s)	Volume(s)
c) Price(s) and volume(s)	1) 11p	236,363
	2) 11p	236,363
	3) 11p	104,545
Aggregated information		
d) - Aggregated volume	Price(s)	Volume(s)
- Price	1-3) 11p	577,271
e) Date of the transaction	28 February 2025	
f) Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue	

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