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# RARE EARTH ZONES IDENTIFIED FROM HISTORIC DRILL CORE AT KORSNÄS PROJECT, FINLAND

## Highlights

- Inspection of historic drill core at the Korsnäs Project in Finland has identified zones of potentially Rare Earth Element ('REE') mineralised carbonatite.
- Historical drill core from 60 holes stored at GTK government facility are available for inspection and sampling.
- Historical sampling of core focused on only visually ore grade lead mineralisation leaving significant zones of potentially REE mineralised carbonatite unsampled.
- Prospech's geologists collected 65 ½-core samples from previously unsampled and prospective carbonatite and these samples have been submitted for analysis to ALS Outokumpu Finland. Further sampling is planned.
- During inspection of the core, Prospech's geologists recognised that the potentially REE mineralised carbonatite host is much broader in extent than the historical sampling which focused on lead shoots.
- Historical data for the full rare earth element suite has been located for only one interval in one hole (KR-289) and this shows encouraging results:
  - o 6.2m @ 17,514 ppm (or 1.75%) Total Rare Earth Oxide ('TREO') from 64m
- The nearby Korsnäs lead mine (now closed) left behind a tailings storage facility ('TSF') which is considered an accessible target for REE exploration.
- Prospech's estimate from modern LIDAR analysis is that the TSF volume is approximate 0.57 million cubic metres which includes the TSF wall material of unknown volume.
- 81% of the TSF area falls within the Korsnäs Project current tenure.

Prospech Limited ('Prospech' or 'the Company') is pleased to report the completion of inspection and sampling of historic drill core from the Korsnäs Project in Finland, which has identified zones of potential REE mineralisation.

As detailed in the ASX announcement of 15 March 2023 the Company has reached an agreement for the earn-in acquisition of 100% of Bambra Oy ('Bambra'), a Finnish company with lithium and rare earth element exploration projects in Finland. These projects are the Jokikangas REE project, the Korsnäs REE project and Saarenkylä lithium project in Finland ('Finland Projects').

**Prospech Managing Director Jason Beckton commented:** "As historical data is combined with new information from the recent site visit, the possibility of a substantial REE occurrence at Korsnäs is becoming increasingly evident. The previous Korsnäs mine, which the Korsnäs Project tenure surrounds, primarily produced lead, with only a small amount of rare earth concentrate extracted in its final years.

Now, the focus is on exploring for REE, and observations from the recent core logging and sampling have revealed that potential zones of REE mineralisation were not sampled if there was no obvious association with visual lead (galena). The rocks that contain REE are more widely represented in the drilling than the lead bearing ores and both drilling and geophysics suggest that multiple parallel stacked zones of REE mineralisation should be targeted.

The old mine TSF provides a readily accessible REE target that can be relatively quickly explored."

The Korsnäs REE project consists of exploration licence applications and reservations surrounding the now closed Korsnäs lead mine, which operated between 1959 and 1972 (Figure 1). Total mine production was reported as 0.87 Mt of ore averaging 3.6% Pb. At the time it was recognised that the mineralisation contained allanite and several other REE containing minerals.

Within the Korsnäs Project tenure, core from 60 historic drillholes is stored in the Finnish government GTK core storage facility at Loppi. Prospech's geologists have examined the core and record data from several holes. During the examination, it was noted that the past core sampling activities had only targeted visibly high grade lead mineralisation, overlooking larger and potentially significant areas of REE mineralised carbonatite. The Company's geologists have gathered 65 ½-core samples from untested and promising carbonatite sections, which have now been sent to ALS Outokumpu Finland for analysis. Further sampling is planned.







Figure 1. Location map of the Korsnäs Project tenure (Yellow lines). Strongly anomalous (up to 7.3% La+Ce) La (lanthanum) and Ce (cerium) rock geochemistry are from glacial till. These samples are from transported material with a probable origin of nearby rare earth hosting carbonatite structures. Importantly, these structures are highlighted by gravity lows (elongated red shapes) and represent targets for exploration.

#### Drill Sample TREO Profile

From an academic paper in the *Journal of Geochemical Exploration*<sup>1</sup> assays were obtained for one sample interval in one diamond drillhole which reveals the full rare earth element oxide ('REO') profile, with a TREO of 1.75%: The collar coordinates for this hole can be found in JORC Table 1 and the REO concentrations below:

HOLE_ID	KR-289
DEPTH_FROM	64
DEPTH_TO	70
INTERVAL	6
La <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	3,566
Ce <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	7,459
Pr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	945
Nd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	3,883
Sm <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	575
Eu <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	167
Gd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	415
Tb <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	35
Dy <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	91
Ho <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	11
Er <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	37
Tm <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	2
Yb <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	15
Lu <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	2
Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> _ppm	311
TREO_ppm	17,514
TREO %	1.75

## **Tailing Storage Facility**

The Korsnäs mine operated from 1958 (with first ore production in 1959) to 1972, with the ore being processed on site and tailings being deposited in a dedicated TSF immediately to the north of the mine. (see Figure 2), The TSF is approximately quadrilateral and covers about 9 hectares, of which approximately 81% is covered by the Korsnäs Project tenement application (Figure 3). Satellite imagery shows dam walls constructed around the entire TSF periphery, as would be expected in flat topography. Based on Prospech's analysis of up to date LIDAR topographic data, the TSF's overall volume is estimated to be 0.57 million cubic metres, which takes into account the unknown dam walls volume.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Sarapää et al, 2013. Rare earth exploration potential in Finland: in 'Journal of Geochemical Exploration 133 (2013) 25–41.

The TSF provides a readily accessible target for exploration. Korsnäs ore processing involved flotation of a lead concentrate with the deslimed lead circuit tailings then being floated to produce a REE concentrate. GTK records indicate that whereas lead concentrate flotation commenced in 1959, rare-earth concentrates were not produced before 1967, implying that the first 366,000 tonnes of ore were most likely processed prior to the establishment of the REE flotation circuit. For the remainder of the mine life, REE production from about 504,000 tonnes of ore fluctuated at a recovered grade of about 0.75% REO. A separate published source states the life of mine ore grade as 0.91% La<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>. After mine closure, about 86,000 tonnes of nickeliferous ore from another mine site was also treated at the concentrator, most likely adding to the TSF volume.

The TSF therefore has two target populations. The principal one is the earlier processed lower layer of Korsnäs tailings which may contain grades similar to those recovered from later production. A secondary target will be the REE content in the tailings slimes produced throughout the entire Korsnäs mine life and which were never subjected to concentration.

Prospech's personnel have taken four grab samples of the tailings from the TSF (see Figure 4), which have been sent for assay.



Figure 2. Location of TSF (red) on current Korsnäs Project tenement (mauve)



Figure 3. Surface topography sub-decimetre government LIDAR topography was used by Prospech to estimate a total volume of the TSF of 0.57 million cubic metres (red). An estimated 81% of the TSF volume falls within the Korsnäs Project tenure.



Figure 4. Sampling Korsnäs TSF for remnant rare earth oxides. Samples are currently being analysed at ALS Outokumpu Finland.

## **Glacial Till Samples**

Analysis of historical paper plots has revealed highly anomalous REE concentrations from surface rock chip geochemistry located south of the Korsnäs mine. A total of 224 sets of results were digitised from paper maps, and their distribution is presented in Figure 1. Out of these, 53 rock chips had values of Lanthanum ('La') plus Cerium ('Ce') exceeding 0.5%, with peak values of 5.0% Ce and 3.0% La (Ce and La were only REEs plotted on the old maps).

The Korsnäs mine orebody was first identified in 1950 following the discovery of Pb sulphide bearing glacial boulders.

Prospech geologists visited one of the till sample sites and collected 6 samples, which were then sent for assay.

#### **Geophysical Signature (Gravity)**

The historical paper based gravity data was digitised and recontoured, revealing that the Korsnäs mineralisation was linked to a distinct gravity low attributed to a deeper weathering profile within the mineralised zone and the resulting decrease in density. The data also identified several other linear gravity lows, which are considered to be favorable targets for REE exploration (refer to Figure 5).



Figure 5: Korsnäs gravity map from data recovered from paper records. Gravity lows represent exploration targets.

#### KORSNÄS MINE BACKGROUND INFORMATION<sup>2</sup>

#### **Mine Geology**

In the early 1970's, the mine conducted pilot production of a REE concentrate. The mineralisation was found in a N-S trending fault zone filled with a vein that contained an average of 0.83% TREO. The vein consisted of coarse grained calcite, feldspar, diopside, and REE bearing apatite. Previous operators of the mine reported TREO content ranging from 0.7% to 2.2%, with LREE being dominant. The Eu content was high, ranging from 66 to 242 ppm, and the Th content ranged from 107 to 604 ppm.

In the 1950's, carbonatite rocks that were associated with lead were discovered and showed a negative gravity anomaly due to deeper erosion than the host rocks. Outukumpu sunk a shaft and built a concentrator (Figure 7) in 1959 after the GTK announced 700,000t @ 3.5 to 5.5% Pb. By 1972, a total of 860,000t @ 3.57% Pb and 0.91% Ln<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> had been extracted. The rare earth concentration was achieved using standard flotation processes. The deposit was found to occur within sub-horizontal magmatic gneisses, with several parallel fracture zones having a dip of 40 to 60 degrees to the east (Figure 6).

The minable part of the deposit was approximately 300 metres long, 5 to 30 metres wide, and about 160 metres deep. Diamond drill data suggested that the vein extended at least 400 metres north of the orebody onto the Korsnäs tenure and grades into a pegmatite. The southern continuation was traced for some 700 metres onto the Korsnäs tenure. The vein was known to fork into swarms of narrow veins at a depth of 350 metres, combined to form a coherent vein. The host rock of the vein at that depth was a diopside rock containing some tremolite, sphene, and allanite rich rare earths.

The most important sulfide was galena ('PbS'), which occurred as massive aggregates several metres in diameter, along with persistent bands around the limestone. Other accessories were sphalerite and molybdenite, pyrrhotite, pyrite, and rare chalcopyrite. Galena contained 60ppm Ag, according to historical reports. Apatite and monazite, which are REE hosting phosphates, were associated with galena. Monazite occurred in clayey weathering zones as small discrete crystals and as fine grained dust with apatite, augmenting the rare earth concentrations in the mineralisation.

At shallow levels, the weathered zone's 'limestone' could contain cavities including a dark mineral continuing an amorphous carbon, coffinite, and containing heavy rare earth minerals. Bastnasite, orthite, sphene, celestine, anhydrite, gypsum, uvarovite, fluorite, pitchblende, and uraninite occurred in variable concentrations.

#### Mine Production years

Production started in 1959 but ended temporarily in the autumn of 1962 due to low lead prices. The work resumed in 1964, and the mine was in production until 1972. Galena and lanthanides were the main processed minerals. A total of 862,700 tonnes of ore were produced with the total content of 45,000 tonnes of lead concentrate. The processing plant in Korsnäs began handling ore from the Petolahti mine in August 1972.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Paraphrased translation information from Outokumpu Oy reporting.



Figure 6. This cross section showing the attitude of the Korsnäs Lead REE mine was built by Outokumpu Oy in the 1960s. The REE mineralised zone, indicated by horizontal hatching, is believed to extend into the Korsnäs Project tenure and will be further investigated after assay results are received from the resampled core.



*Figure 7 Historic photo of Korsnäs Mine. Headframe for the underground mine centre frame.* 

#### About Finland and the Finland Projects

Finland has established itself as a desirable mining location within the European Union and has earned the 29<sup>th</sup> spot globally in the 2022 Fraser Institute Annual Survey of Mining Companies' Policy Perception Index, as well as the 13<sup>th</sup> position in the Investment Attractiveness Index, surpassing regions like Queensland, NSW, and Victoria.

The Korsnäs project's tenure is secured by Exploration Permit Application Number ML2021:0019 Hägg and Reservation Notification VA2023:0040 Hägg 2. Exploration permit application secures priority during its handling time and reservation notification priority for two years from its lodging date whilst applying for an exploration permit. Once an exploration permit is granted, it may be extended up to a maximum of 3 years at a time so that the permit is valid for a maximum of 15 years.



Figure 8. Location map of the Korsnäs tenure.



Figure 9. Location map of the Korsnäs, Jokikangas REE and Saarenkylä lithium projects.

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This announcement has been authorised for release to the market by the Board of Prospech Limited.

#### **Competent Person's Statement**

The information in this Report that relates to Exploration Results is based on information compiled by Mr Jason Beckton, who is a Member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists. Mr Beckton, who is Managing Director of the Company, has sufficient experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 edition of the 'Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves'. Mr Beckton consents to the inclusion in this Report of the matters based on the information in the form and context in which it appears.

#### **Section 1 Sampling Techniques and Data**

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Criteria	JORC Code explanation	Commentary							
Sampling techniques	Nature and quality of sampling (eg cut channels, random chips, or specific specialised industry standard measurement tools appropriate to the minorely under invostration, such as down hole	Boulder and rock chip samples of boulders in glacial till collected 1980s.Digitised from paper maps. Boulders ar transported unknown distances, not in situ.							
	ninerals under investigation, such as down note		Ce_pcnt	Pb_pcnt	La_pcnt Ce	plus La pct	EAST	NOR	
	etc) These examples should not be taken as	1	5.00	_	2.30	7.30	206562	69	
	limiting the broad meaning of sampling	2	3.50		2.50	6.00	206823	69	
	Include reference to measures taken to ensure	3	3.50		1.80	5.30	206266	69	
	sample representivity and the appropriate	4	1.10		3.00	4.10	207831	69	
	calibration of any measurement tools or systems	5	3.00			3.00	206500	69	
	used	6	2.00		0.80	2.80	206927	69	
	Aspects of the determination of mineralisation that	7	0.80		2.00	2.80	207217	69	
	are Material to the Public Report	8	1.50		1.10	2.60	206346	69	
	In cases where 'industry standard' work has been	9	1.80	1.80	0.60	2.40	205892	69	
	done this would be relatively simple (eq 'reverse	10	1.50	7.00	0.70	2.20	206276	69	
	circulation drilling was used to obtain 1 m samples	11	0.60	0.11	1.40	2.00	207273	69	
	from which 3 kg was pulverised to produce a 30 g	12	1.00		0.80	1.80	206284	69	
	charge for fire assay'). In other cases more	13	1.20		0.40	1.60	207049	69	
	explanation may be required, such as where there	14	0.90	3.00	0.60	1.50	206372	69	
	is coarse gold that has inherent sampling problems.	15	0.50	5.00	0.90	1.40	206448	69	
	Unusual commodities or mineralisation types (eg	16	0.45	0.15	0.90	1.35	206108	69	
	submarine nodules) may warrant disclosure of	17	0.50	0.10	0.80	1.30	207280	69	
	detailed information.	18	1.20			1.20	206288	69	
		19	0.90		0.30	1.20	207148	69	
		20	0.60		0.50	1.10	206243	69	
		21	0.70	0.30	0.40	1.10	206423	69	
		22	0.60	0.30	0.40	1.00	206207	69	
		23	0.70		0.30	1.00	207891	69	
		24	0.50	18.00	0.40	0.90	206427	69	
		25	0.40	0.20	0.50	0.90	206758	69	
		26	0.50	0.20	0.30	0.80	207004	69	
		27	0.20	0.15	0.60	0.80	206334	69	
		28	0.60	2.00	0.20	0.80	206275	69	
		29	0.80	1.50		0.80	207254	69	
		30	0.40		0.40	0.80	207868	69	
		31	0.20		0.50	0.70	206861	69	
		32	0.30		0.40	0.70	207239	69	
		33	0.40		0.30	0.70	206978	69	
		34	0.50	1.30	0.20	0.70	208138	69	
		35	0.30	5.00	0.30	0.60	206292	69	
		36	0.40	1.50	0.20	0.60	206226	69	
		37	0.40		0.20	0.60	206276	69	
		38	0.10		0.50	0.60	206270	69	

Commentary

NORTH

Criteria	JORC Code explanation				С	ommentary		
			Ce pcnt	Pb pcnt	La pcnt	Ce plus La pct	EAST	NORTH
		39	0.30	1.40	0.30	0.60	205894	6975287
		40	0.40	1.80	0.20	0.60	206258	6976593
		41	0.40	5.00	0.20	0.60	206302	6976539
		42	0.20		0.40	0.60	206274	6976593
		43	0.30	3.00	0.30	0.60	207207	6976935
		44	0.40		0.20	0.60	207333	6975984
		45	0.40		0.20	0.60	207377	6975918
		46	0.20	0.25	0.40	0.60	207660	6976977
		47	0.30	1.30	0.30	0.60	208058	6976467
		48	0.40	0.70	0.10	0.50	206255	6976778
		49	0.30		0.20	0.50	206248	6976632
		50	0.30	2.50	0.20	0.50	206257	6976590
		51	0.30		0.20	0.50	206903	6976334
		52	0.30		0.20	0.50	207046	6976264
		53	0.10		0.40	0.50	207956	6976466
		54	0.30	5.00	0.10	0.40	206254	6976590
		55	0.20	0.25	0.20	0.40	206273	6976596
		56	0.20	3.00	0.20	0.40	206336	6976508
		57	0.30		0.10	0.40	206441	6976299
		58	0.40	0.20		0.40	206639	6976060
		59	0.20		0.20	0.40	207171	6976433
		60	0.30		0.10	0.40	207800	6976411
		61	0.20		0.20	0.40	207991	6976329
		62	0.20		0.11	0.31	208117	6976580
		63	0.20	4.50	0.10	0.30	206253	6976778
		64		0.30	0.30	0.30	205923	6977161
		65	0.20		0.10	0.30	207045	6977120
		66	0.20	1.80	0.10	0.30	206282	6976773
		67	0.30	0.30		0.30	206093	6975613
		68	0.20		0.10	0.30	205865	6975488
		69	0.20		0.10	0.30	206283	6976548
		70	0.10		0.20	0.30	207243	6976360
		71	0.20		0.10	0.30	207350	6976428
		72	0.10		0.20	0.30	207532	6976400
		73	0.20		0.10	0.30	207053	6976293
		74	0.20		0.10	0.30	207094	6976149
		75	0.20		0.10	0.30	207421	6976093
		76	0.10		0.20	0.30	207752	6976389
L		77	0.20		0.10	0.30	207801	6976419

Criteria	JORC Code explanation				С	ommentary		
			Ce_pcnt I	Pb_pcnt	La_pcnt	Ce plus La pct	EAST	NORTH
		78	0.20	0.40	0.10	0.30	207873	6976461
		79	0.10	4.50	0.20	0.30	208012	6976363
		80	0.20	0.25	0.03	0.23	206273	6976776
		81	0.10		0.10	0.20	206237	6976677
		82		0.15	0.20	0.20	205920	6977192
		83		0.40	0.20	0.20	205922	6977175
		84		0.20	0.20	0.20	205909	6977122
		85	0.20			0.20	206982	6976936
		86	0.20	3.50		0.20	206263	6976769
		87	0.20			0.20	205845	6976076
		88	0.20			0.20	206198	6976063
		89		3.00	0.20	0.20	206316	6976090
		90	0.20	0.10		0.20	206449	6975959
		91	0.20			0.20	206261	6975800
		92	0.20			0.20	205892	6975273
		93	0.20	3.00		0.20	206097	6975217
		94	0.20	3.00		0.20	205873	6975330
		95	0.10		0.10	0.20	206356	6976489
		96	0.20			0.20	206358	6976504
		97	0.20			0.20	206362	6976500
		98	0.20	0.15		0.20	206354	6976476
		99	0.20			0.20	206403	6976440
		100	0.20			0.20	206404	6976432
		101	0.20			0.20	206411	6976418
		102			0.20	0.20	206420	6976343
		103	0.20			0.20	206864	6976327
		104	0.20	0.13		0.20	206873	6976293
		105	0.20			0.20	206884	6976291
		106	0.20			0.20	207090	6976335
		107	0.20			0.20	207092	6976442
		108	0.20			0.20	207076	6976489
		109	0.20			0.20	207205	6977059
		110	0.20			0.20	207243	6977049
		111	0.20			0.20	207254	6976892
		112	0.20	0.12		0.20	207266	6976842
		113	0.20	3.50		0.20	207278	6976826
		114	0.10	0.15	0.10	0.20	207339	6976699
		115			0.20	0.20	207252	6976597

Criteria	JORC Code explanation				C	ommentary		
			Ce_pcnt	Pb_pcnt	La_pcnt	Ce plus La pct	EAST	NORTH
		116	0.20			0.20	207126	6976174
		117	0.10		0.10	0.20	207122	6976145
		118	0.20			0.20	207272	6976016
		119	0.20			0.20	207337	6975987
		120	0.10		0.10	0.20	207668	6976978
		121	0.20			0.20	207705	6976360
		122	0.20			0.20	207741	6976389
		123	0.20			0.20	207777	6976396
		124	0.20			0.20	207752	6976385
		125	0.20			0.20	207790	6976387
		126	0.20	0.20		0.20	207795	6976390
		127	0.10		0.10	0.20	207795	6976402
		128	0.20			0.20	207804	6976407
		129	0.10		0.10	0.20	207804	6976416
		130	0.20	0.25		0.20	207827	6976461
		131	0.20	2.50		0.20	207822	6976461
		132	0.20	3.00		0.20	207828	6976466
		133	0.10	1.75		0.10	206292	6976791
		134	0.10			0.10	206292	6976794
		135	0.10	0.10		0.10	206297	6976851
		136	0.10			0.10	206191	6976740
		137	0.10	3.00		0.10	206214	6976691
		138			0.10	0.10	205927	6977186
		139		0.12	0.10	0.10	205876	6977108
		140	0.10			0.10	206690	6977037
		141	0.10			0.10	206697	6977023
		142	0.10			0.10	207106	6976827
		143		0.30	0.10	0.10	206278	6976774
		144	0.10	10.00		0.10	205995	6976201
		145			0.10	0.10	206397	6976041
		146	0.10	5.00		0.10	206292	6975705
		147	0.10			0.10	205836	6975321
		148	0.10			0.10	205891	6975300
		149	0.10			0.10	205899	6975257
		150	0.10			0.10	206358	6976486
		151	0.10			0.10	206404	6976436
		152	0.10			0.10	206407	6976408
		153	0.10			0.10	206404	6976405
		154	0.10			0.10	206432	6976356

			C	ommentary	/	
	Ce_pcnt	Pb_pcnt	La_pcnt	Ce plus La pct	EAST	NORTH
155	0.10			0.10	206449	6976345
156	0.10			0.10	206444	6976312
157	0.10			0.10	206586	6976047
158	0.10			0.10	206623	6976011
159	0.10	2.50		0.10	206627	6976007
160	0.10	2.50		0.10	206755	6976686
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163	0.10			0.10	200753	6976157
164	0.10			0.10	206902	6976260
165	0.10			0.10	206962	6976345
166	0.10			0.10	206994	6976318
167	0.10	0.20		0.10	207000	6976292
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175	0.10			0.10	207274	6976605
176	0.10			0.10	207418	6976328
177	0.10			0.10	207120	6976086
1/8	0.10			0.10	207293	6976151
1/9	0.10			0.10	207116	6976038
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186	0.10			0.10	207547	6975690
187	0.10	0.15		0.10	207549	6975696
188			0.10	0.10	207461	6977000
189	0.10			0.10	208094	6976858
190	0.10			0.10	207971	6976800
191	0.10			0.10	207717	6976373
192	0.10			0.10	207777	6976382
193	0.10	-		0.10	207867	6976451
104	Ce_pcnt	Pb_pcnt	La_pcnt	Ce plus La pct	EAST 207015	NORTH
194	0.10	1.50		0.10	207915	6976432
195	0.10	1.50	0 10	0.10	207935	6976469
197	0 10	2 00	0.10	0.10	207545	6976454
198	0.10	2.00		0.10	208048	6976394
199	0.10			0.10	208126	6976580
200	0.10			0.10	207844	6976105
201		0.13		0.00	206269	6976791
202		0.35		0.00	206254	6976780
203				0.00	206248	6976713
204		0.10		0.00	206277	6976780
205		0.14		0.00	206275	6976779
206		0.20		0.00	206276	6976773
207				0.00	206282	6976774
208		2.00		0.00	206343	6975875
209		2.00		0.00	206267	6976595
210		3.00		0.00	206797	6976409
211		3.00		0.00	200008	6976224
212		0.10		0.00	200733	6976737
214		0.10		0.00	207134	6976803
215		0.60		0.00	207174	6977109
216		0.10		0.00	207200	6976621
217		0.80		0.00	207162	6976566
218		İ		0.00	207244	6976536
219		0.10		0.00	207022	6976279
220		18.00		0.00	207510	6975752
221				0.00	208118	6976683
222		2.50		0.00	208025	6976460
		0.11		0.00	202021	6976422
223		0.11		0.00	200021	0370423

Criteria		JORC	Code ex	planation			Comm	nentary			
Drilling techniques	Drill type hammer, and deta tube, dep other typ what me	(eg core, rotary air ils (eg coro oth of diam e, whethei thod, etc).	reverse ci blast, aug e diamete nond tails, r core is o	irculation, ope ler, Bangka, s r, triple or sta face-samplin riented and if	en-hole sonic, etc) ndard ig bit or so, by	Small diameter diamond drilling – approximately AQ si					
Drill sample recovery	Method o sample r Measure ensure ro Whether recovery have occ fine/coar	of recordin ecoveries s taken to epresentat a relations and grade urred due se materia	g and ass and result maximise ive nature ship exists and whe to prefere l.	essing core a ts assessed. sample reco o f the sample s between san ther sample k ential loss/gai	and chip very and les. mple bias may n of	Historic Core preserved at government GTK facility in l					
Logging	Whether geologica detail to estimatic studies. Whether nature. C photogra The total intersect	core and d ally and ge support ap n, mining logging is Core (or co phy. length an ions logge	chip samp otechnica propriate studies ar qualitative stean, cha d percenta d.	les have bee ally logged to Mineral Resc ad metallurgic e or quantitati annel, etc) age of the rele	n a level of burce al ive in evant	The comple	ete core is to be relo	gged.			
Sub-sampling techniques and sample preparation	If core, w half or al If non-co split, etc For all sa appropria techniqu Quality c sampling samples. Measure represen including duplicate Whether size of th	hether cuit l core take re, whethe and wheth ample type ateness of e. ontrol proo stages to s taken to tative of th for instan /second-h sample si.	t or sawn n. er riffled, tu er sample s, the nat the samp cedures a maximise ensure th oe in situ r ce results alf sampli zes are aµ being sa	and whether of ube sampled, ed wet or dry. ure, quality and le preparation dopted for all e representivity at the samplion naterial collect for field ng. opropriate to the moled	quarter, rotary nd n sub- ty of ng is sted,	<sup>1</sup> ∕₂ core cut with a thin diamond blade (due to the small diameter of the core) At this early stage no QC samples have been collected					
Quality of assay data and laboratory tests	The natu assaying whether For geop XRF inst determin and mod applied a Nature o standard checks) a (ie lack c establish	re, quality and labor the technic hysical too ruments, e ing the an- el, reading nd their de f quality cc s, blanks, and wheth f bias) and ed.	and appri- atory proc que is con ols, spectr etc, the pa alysis incl times, ca erivation, ontrol proc duplicates er accepta d precision	opriateness o sedures used sidered partia cometers, han rameters use uding instrum librations fac etc. sedures adopt s, external lab able levels of n have been	f the and al or total. odheld d in pent make tors ted (eg poratory accuracy	Samples are stored in the Loppi relogging facility. Core good condition. Assays will be carried out by ALS, an internationally cer laboratory.					
Verification of sampling and assaying	The verif independ The use Documen procedur (physican Discuss	ication of s lent or alte of twinned ntation of p es, data v and elect any adjust	significant ernative co holes primary da erification ronic) pro ment to a	intersections ompany perso ata, data entry data storage tocols. ssay data.	: by either onnel. /	ner N/A.					
Location of data points Accuracy and quality of surveys used to locate drill UTM projection Zone 35N. holes (collar and down-hole surveys), trenches, mine workings and other locations used in Mineral Resource estimation. Specification of the grid system used. Quality and adequacy of topographic control.											
HOLE_ID	NORTH	EAST	RL	AZIMUTH	DIP	FINAL_DEPTH	COMMENTS	DATE	COMPANY		
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Data spacing and distribution	Data spa Whether	cing for re the data s to establi	porting of pacing an	Exploration I d distribution	Results. is pical and	Only visible targeting br	e lead mineralisation roader zones of REE	i was assa E mineralis	yed. Prospech is ation		

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	grade continuity appropriate for the Mineral Resource and Ore Reserve estimation procedure(s) and classifications applied. Whether sample compositing has been applied.	
Orientation of data in relation to geological structure	Whether the orientation of sampling achieves unbiased sampling of possible structures and the extent to which this is known, considering the deposit type. If the relationship between the drilling orientation and the orientation of key mineralised structures is considered to have introduced a sampling bias, this should be assessed and reported if material.	No bias is believed to be introduced by the sampling method.
Sample security	The measures taken to ensure sample security.	Samples were collected by Company personnel, bagged and immediately dispatched to the laboratory by independent courier
Audits or reviews	The results of any audits or reviews of sampling techniques and data.	No audits or reviews of the data management system have been carried out.

## Section 2 Reporting of Exploration Results

Criteria	JORC Code explanation	Commentary
Mineral tenement and land tenure status	Type, reference name/number, location and ownership including agreements or material issues with third parties such as joint ventures, partnerships, overriding royalties, native title interests, historical sites, wilderness or national park and environmental settings.	Prospech Limited has entered into an earn-in agreement with the shareholders of Bambra Oy ('Bambra'), a company incorporated in Finland, to earn up to a 100% interest in Bambra and therefore, acquire Bambra's 100% interest in the Jokikangas REE project, the Korsnäs REE project and Saarenkylä lithium project in Finland ('Finland Projects').
	The security of the tenure held at the time of reporting along with any known impediments to obtaining a license to operate in the area.	Prospech's exclusive right to acquire 100% of Bambra is staged over 2 years with consideration being an initial payment of \$25,000 ('Exclusivity Payment'), a series of exploration and evaluation expenditures and the issuance of Prospech consideration shares.
		For the first year option, Prospech can earn a 51% interest in Bambra by the expenditure of \$100,000, including the Exclusivity Payment, on the exploration and evaluation of the Finland Projects and, if exercised by Prospech, the issue of 3 million fully paid ordinary shares in Prospech to the shareholders of Bambra ('First Option').
		For the second year option, subject to the completion of the First Option, Prospech can earn the remaining interest in Bambra, so as to own 100% of Bambra, by the expenditure of \$200,000 on the exploration and evaluation of the Finland Projects and, if exercised by Prospech, the issue of a further 3 million shares to the shareholders of Bambra.
		The laws of Finland relating to exploration and mining have various requirements. As the exploration advances specific filings and environmental or other studies may be required. There are ongoing requirements under Finnish mining laws that will be required at each stage of advancement. Those filings and studies are maintained and updated as required by Prospech's environmental and permit advisors specifically engaged for such purposes. The Company is the manager of operations in accordance with generally accepted mining industry standards and practices. The Korsnäs project's tenure is secured by Exploration Permit Application Number ML2021:0019 Hägg and Reservation Notification VA2023:0040 Hägg 2
Exploration done by other parties	Acknowledgment and appraisal of exploration by other parties.	The area of Korsnäs has been mapped, boulder sampled and drilled by private companies including and Outokumpu Oy.
Geology	Deposit type, geological setting and style of mineralisation.	Steeply dipping Carbonatite veins within sub-horizontally foliated metamorphic terrain
Drill hole Information	A summary of all information material to the understanding of the exploration results including a tabulation of the following information for all Material drill holes: easting and northing of the drill hole collar elevation or RL (Reduced Level – elevation above sea level in metres) of the drill hole collar	Drill Hole Collar Information (All UTM Zone 35N) In text – refer to Figure 1 caption.

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	dip and azimuth of the hole down hole length and interception depth hole length. If the exclusion of this information is justified on the basis that the information is not Material and this exclusion does not detract from the understanding of the report, the Competent Person should clearly explain why this is the case.	
Data aggregation methods	In reporting Exploration Results, weighting averaging techniques, maximum and/or minimum grade truncations (eg cutting of high grades) and cut-off grades are usually Material and should be stated. Where aggregate intercepts incorporate short lengths of high grade results and longer lengths of low grade results, the procedure used for such aggregation should be stated and some typical examples of such aggregations should be shown in detail. The assumptions used for any reporting of metal equivalent values should be clearly stated.	A minimum sample length is 0.4m generally but can be as low as 0.15m is observed in historical sampling.
Relationship between mineralisation widths and intercept lengths	These relationships are particularly important in the reporting of Exploration Results. If the geometry of the mineralisation with respect to the drill hole angle is known, its nature should be reported. If it is not known and only the down hole lengths are reported, there should be a clear statement to this effect (eg 'down hole length, true width not known').	In general the holes have intersected the mineralised zone nearly normal to the host structure – any exceptions to this are noted individually
Diagrams	Appropriate maps and sections (with scales) and tabulations of intercepts should be included for any significant discovery being reported These should include, but not be limited to a plan view of drill hole collar locations and appropriate sectional views.	The location and results received for surface samples are displayed in the attached maps and/or tables. Coordinates are UTM Zone 35N.
Balanced reporting	Where comprehensive reporting of all Exploration Results is not practicable, representative reporting of both low and high grades and/or widths should be practiced to avoid misleading reporting of Exploration Results.	Results for all samples collected in the past are displayed on the attached maps and/or tables.
Other substantive exploration data	Other exploration data, if meaningful and material, should be reported including (but not limited to): geological observations; geophysical survey results; geochemical survey results; bulk samples – size and method of treatment; metallurgical test results; bulk density, groundwater, geotechnical and rock characteristics; potential deleterious or contaminating substances.	No metallurgical or bulk density tests were conducted at the project by Prospech.
Further work	The nature and scale of planned further work (eg tests for lateral extensions or depth extensions or large-scale step-out drilling). Diagrams clearly highlighting the areas of possible extensions, including the main geological interpretations and future drilling areas, provided this information is not commercially sensitive.	Prospech may carry out drilling subject to results of resampling of these intervals in late April 2023 Additional systematic sampling of the TSF is in planning

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