

## **News Release**

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## Kinross joins Corem as a member

**Québec City, April 14, 2021** – Mr. Francis Fournier, President and CEO of Corem, and Mr. Mike Papadakis, Director of Metallurgy and Processing at Kinross Gold Corporation, are pleased to announce that Kinross' Paracatu Mine, located in Brazil, is joining Corem as a member of its Pre-competitive Mineral Processing Research Program.

"We are very pleased to welcome Kinross as a member. This partnership will be of great value for our research program. It will accelerate the development and the deployment of technological innovations for a sustainable mining industry," said Mr. Fournier.

Corem is a center of expertise and innovation in mineral processing with the largest concentration of resources dedicated to R&D in this field in Canada. Corem is a not-profit organization that works closely with its members, its clients and its partners to improve competitiveness and to reduce environmental impact through the industrialization of innovative solutions. Corem has extensive equipment and infrastructure, including a pilot plant and laboratories for mineralurgy, mineralogy and hydrometallurgy, that allow for innovation. For more information, please visit: <u>corem.qc.ca</u>.

Founded in 1993, Kinross Gold is a leading gold mining company with a diverse portfolio of mines and projects in the United States, Brazil, Chile, Ghana, Mauritania and Russia. Kinross, whose head office is located in Toronto, Canada, has approximately 9,000 employees worldwide. The Company is focused on delivering value through operational excellence, balance sheet strength, disciplined growth and responsible mining. For more info, please visit kinross.com.

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