

# **Piuquenes Cu-Au-Ag Project**

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\* %CuEq values are calculated based on copper and gold metal prices: Cu = US\$3.20/lb and Au = US\$1,700/oz. The formula utilized to calculate %CuEq is: Cu Eq Grade (%) = Cu Head Grade (%) + [(Au Head Grade (g/t) / 31.104) \* (Au Price (US\$/oz) / Cu Price (US\$/lb) / 22.04)]

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# **Piuquenes Copper-Gold-Silver Project**

Caserones 2022 Production: 110K ton Cu and 3K ton Mo

Los Helados - NGEx Minerals Resources (Indicated): 2,099Mton @ 0.38%Cu - 0.15g/t Au - 1.37g/t Ag

El Encierro - Antofagasta Minerals- Barrick Gold Corp. Resources (Inferred): 522.3 Mton @ 0.65% Cu - 0.22g/t Au - 74ppm Mo

Valeriano - Atex Resources Resources (Inferred): 1,413Mton @ 0.5%Cu - 0.2g/t Au - 0.96g/t Ag

Chita Valley - Minsud Resources Corp Resources (Indicated): 33Mton @ 0.43%Cu - 0.018Mo -2.28g/t Ag 0.07g/t Au

Los Azules - McEwen Copper Resources (Indicated): 1.235Mton @ 0.4%Cu

Rincoes de Araya -Fortescue Metals Group Advanced Exploration

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El Altar - Aldebaran Resources Resources (M+I): 1,198Mton @ 0.43%Cu -0.09g/t Au - 1.0g/t Ag

Los Pelambres -ANTOFAGASTA PLC 2022 Production: 275k ton Cu, 43.1k oz and 7.2 ton Mo

> El Pachón - Glencore Resources (M+I): 1,592Mton @ 0.55%Cu - 0.012% Mo - 2.1g/t Ag

Barreal

CHILE, ARGENTINA

Jose Maria - Lundin Mining Resources (M+I): 1,159Mton @ 0.29%Cu - 0.21g/t Au -0.9g/t Ag or 0.41% CuEq

Filo del Sol - Filo Corp. Resources (Indicated): 432 Mt @ 0.33% Cu, 0.33 g/t Au and 11.5 g/t AG

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Map Area SAN JUAN

Buenos •

Aires

6,600,000mN

6.450.000mN

SAN JUAN

AMPA

Porphyry Advanced Project

Cu-Au (Mo-Ag) (San Juan)

San Juan

Major Copper Projects

Town Centres

Legend

Operating Mines Cu (Chile) Porphyry Advanced Project Cu-Au (Mo-Ag) (Chile)

UTM WGS84 Zone 195

#### Tier 1 Location

- San Juan Miocene Belt, Argentina
- Belt is host to numerous world class deposits
- Proximal to large scale copper projects at El Pachon (Glencore) and Altar (Aldebaran Resources)
- Project area ~1,880 hectares
- Moderate altitude (~3,700m) and excellent access

#### **Discovery History**

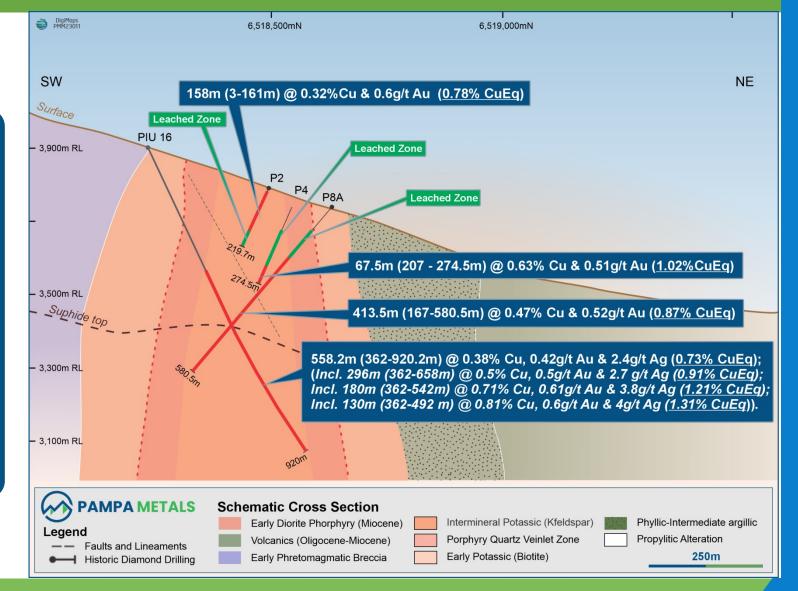
- Late 90's, Inmet Mining Corporation (acquired by First Quantum 2013) completed an 8 hole, 1,900m diamond drill program.
- Cu-Au mineralization was intersected in three separate holes:
  - ◆ 413.5m from 167m @ 0.47% Cu & 0.52 g/t Au (0.87% CuEq\*)
  - ✤ 158m from 3m @ 0.32% Cu & 0.60 g/t Au (0.78% CuEq\*)
  - ♦ 67.5m from 207m @ 0.63% & 0.51 g/t Au (1.02% CuEq\*)

### **Piuquenes Copper-Gold-Silver Project**

#### **Discovery History (Continued)**

- In 2016 Anglo American completed an exploration program which included a single, previously unassayed 920 metre diamond drill hole (PIU-16).
  - On 5 December 2023, Pampa Metals reported at PIU-16:

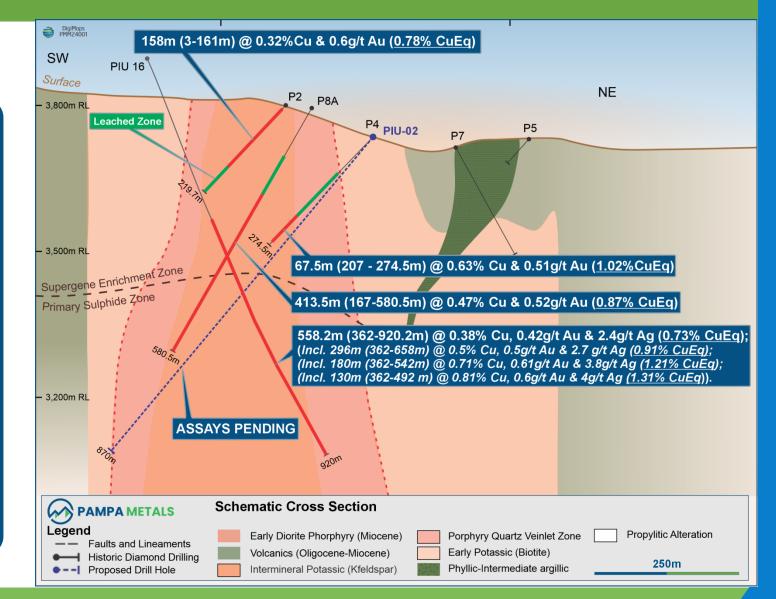
558.2 m (362-920.2 m EOH) @ 0.38% Cu, 0.42 g/t Au and 2.4 g/t Ag (0.73% CuEq)\*; <u>including 130m</u> (362-492 m) @ 0.81% Cu, 0.6 g/t Au and 4 g/t Ag (1.31 % CuEq\*)



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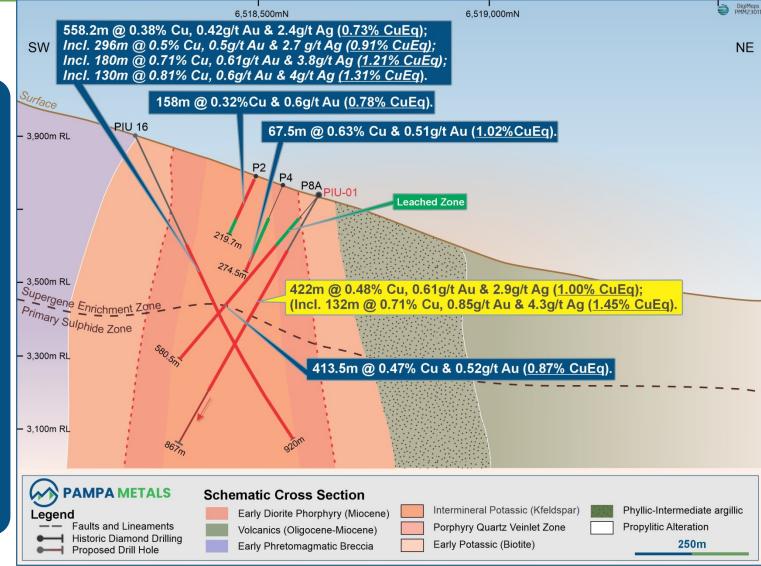
- Follow-up drill program of up to 4 diamond holes *in progress*.
- Program includes two high priority drillholes of ~850 900 m depth.
- Primary objectives are:
  - To extend open high-grade mineralization to the NE and SE of Piuquenes Central;
  - Define the southwest and west deposit boundaries; and
  - Validate a potential mineral column of 1,000 m depth and 300 – 500m diameter.



# Follow up Drilling – Piuquenes Central

#### **Piuquenes Central**

- The first hole (PIU-01) was drilled to a depth of 867m, assay results include<sup>1</sup>:
- 422m @ 0.48% Cu, 0.61 g/t Au, 2.9 g/t Ag (1.00% CuEq)\* (from 198m);
  - Including 132m @ 0.71% Cu, 0.85 g/t Au, 4.3 g/t Ag (1.45% CuEq)\* (from 220m);
  - Including 80m @ 0.60% Cu, 0.77 g/t Au, 3.2 g/t Ag (1.30% CuEq)\* (from 468m)
- Second hole (PIU-02) completed to a depth of 870m<sup>2</sup>.



1. Pampa Metals News Release 18 Mar 2024: https://www.pampametals.com/news/2024.html

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2. Pampa Metals News Release 26 Mar 2024: https://www.pampametals.com/news/2024.html

### Significant Upside Potential Identified



Pampa Metals has completed a comprehensive review of the project's technical data base which includes:

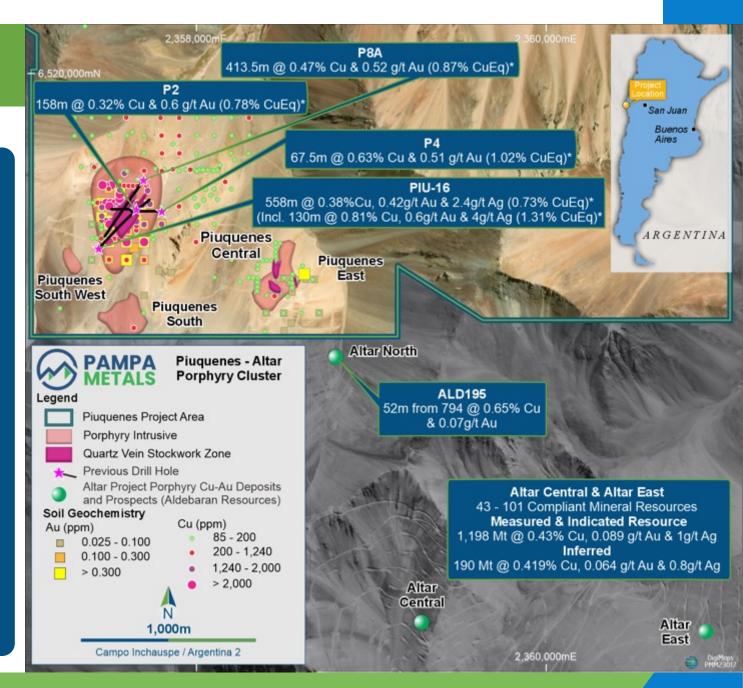
- Detailed Surface Geology and Geochemistry (1:2500);
- Geophysics Deep 3D PDIP & NSMT (17.8km gDAS24);
- Airborne magnetic/radiometric survey; and
- 2,800m of well-preserved historical drill core.

This review, complemented by Pampa Metals' recent drillcore re-logging, field validation and preparatory works for follow-up drilling, has led to the identification of three additional areas of undrilled porphyry intrusives at the Piuquenes Project.

### Piuquenes East

#### **Piuquenes East – Drill-Ready**

- Piuquenes East is characterized by:
  - Outcrops of sinuous and banded dark gray porphyry style quartz veinlets hosted within an altered intermineral porphyry; and
  - Mapped stockwork zone associated with a 400 x 300 m Cu-Au soil-rock geochemical anomaly co-incident with intermediate chargeability and intermediate-high resistivity anomalies in Electrical (IP) Geophysics.
- Two additional areas (Piuquenes South and Piuquenes Southwest) of outcropping porphyry intrusives, with evidence of porphyry-type quartz veinlets, also identified.
- Follow-up surface mapping and geochemistry on these 2 additional areas to commence, with a view to defining drill targets for future programs.





#### **Near Term Milestones**

**Piuquenes Copper-Gold-Silver Project** 





### **Board & Management**



#### Joseph van den Elsen President & CEO



Mario Orrego Technical Consultant, QP



Adrian Manger, CPA Non-Executive Chairman



Julian Bavin, M.Sc. Non-Executive Director



Bill Tsang, CPA, CA CFO

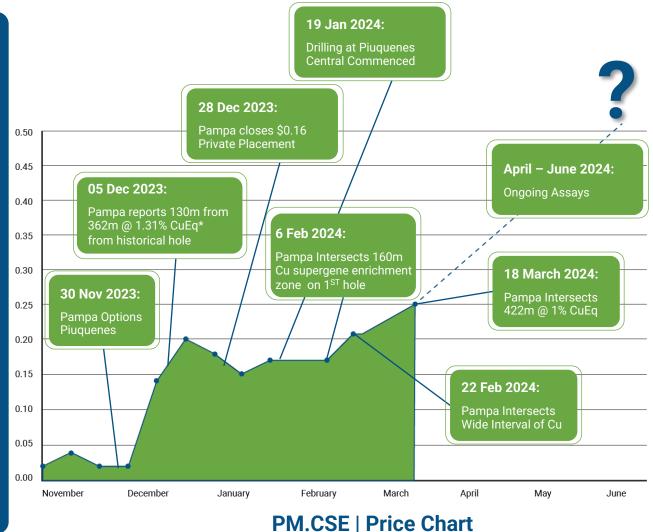
#### Pampa Metals' Directors and Management bring:

- Decades of experience in Latin America
- Proven track record of discovery in South America
- Intimate, working knowledge of South American Copper Porphyry deposits
- Major mining company experience incl. BHP, Barrick & Rio Tinto
- Extensive capital markets and fund-raising experience

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# Why target porphyry copper-gold discoveries?

- World's most important source of Cu supplying ~60% of global market.
- Large scale 100mt to +5Bt
- Deposits frequently occur in clusters.
- Discovery can drive *significant value creation*.
- Cascabel discovery (1,138m from 394 @ 0.49% Cu & 0.36 g/t Au) lifted TSXV:SolG marketcap ~15x<sup>[1]</sup>
- Valeriano discovery (1,160m from 802 @ 0.53% Cu & 0.28g/t Au) lifted Atex Resources' (TSXV:ATX) market cap ~\$60m <sup>[2]</sup>
- Boda discovery (502m @ 0.20% Cu & 0.48 g/t Au) lifted Alkane's (ASX:ALK) market cap ~\$200m <sup>[3]</sup>
- Follow-up drilling at Piuquenes Central in progress
- Assay results from PIU-02 pending



1. SolGold News Release 30 June 2016: https://polaris.brighterir.com/public/solgold/news/rns/story/r7lg4jx

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2. Atex Resources News Release 13 June 2022: <u>https://www.atexresources.com/\_resources/news/nr-20220613.pdf</u> 3. ASX Media Release 9 September 2019: <u>https://announcements.asx.com.au/asxpdf/20190909/pdf/448bwdsfv8lc38.pdf</u>



# **Capital Structure**

Pampa Metals	Shares	Market Cap (\$0.25)
Pampa Metals - Issued & Outstanding	59,127,120	~\$15m
Warrants – <u>average exercise price \$0.231</u> including - 12,778,200 @ \$0.075 Sept 2026 Expiry 5,236,250 @ \$0.30 Dec 2026 Expiry	20,870,016	
Stock Options – <u>average exercise price \$0.173</u>	2,185,000	
Restricted Share Units - <u>average vesting price \$0.35</u>	1,467,138	
Fully Diluted	83,835,940	
Major Shareholders	Shares	%
Tony Manini & associated entities	6,358,568	10.7%
Joseph van den Elsen	2,746,282	4.7%



### Peer Comparison at 22 March 2024

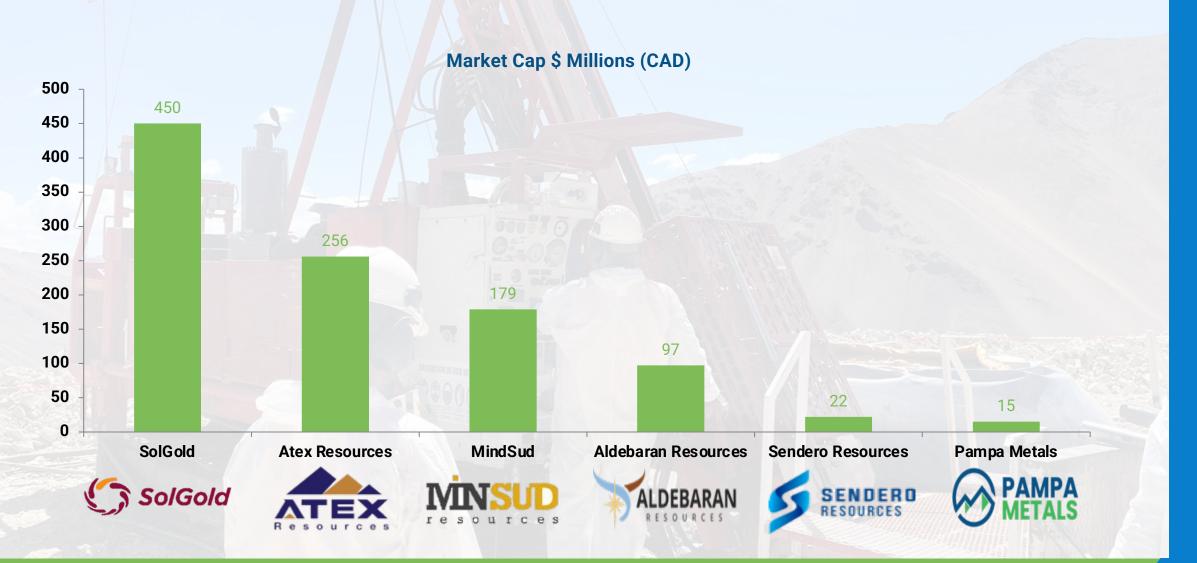
Significant Re-Rating Potential

Company	Principal Project	Jurisdiction	Development Stage	Project Ownership	Inaugural Interval ( <i>Current Project Owner)</i>	Resource	Market Capitalization \$ Millions ( <i>CAD</i> )
R e s o u r c e s	Valeriano	Chile	Resource (Inferred)	Option & Earn-In	1,160m from 802 @ 0.52% Cu and 0.28 g/t Au	1.4Bt Inf. @ 0.50% Cu, 0.20 g/t Au, 0.96 g/t Ag	\$256 @ \$1.46
SolGold	Cascabel	Ecuador	PFS	100%	1,338m from 394 @ 0.49% Cu & 0.36 g/t Au	558mt @ 0.58% Cu, 0.52 g/t Au, 1.65 g/t Ag ( <b>Reserve</b> )	\$450 @ \$0.15
PAMPA METALS	Piuquenes	Argentina	Discovery	Option & Earn-In	422m from 198 @ 0.48% Cu, 0.61 g/t Au, 2.9 g/t Ag. <u>Incl. 132m @ 0.71% Cu,</u> <u>0.85 g/t Au, 4.3 g/t Ag</u>	N/A	\$15 @ \$0.25
	Altar	Argentina	Resource (M&I)	Option & Earn-In	584m from 917 @ 0.446% Cu and 0.013 Au g/t.	M&I 1.2bt @ 0.43% Cu, 0.09 g/t Au, 1g/t Ag	\$97 @ \$0.81
SENDERD RESOURCES	Peñas Negras	Argentina	Pre-Discovery	100%	N/A	N/A	\$22 @ \$0.335
resources	Chita Valley	Argentina	Indicated Resource	49.9%	60m from 20 @ 0.59% Cu, 6.9 g/t Ag & .07 g/t Au	33Mt (Ind.) @ 0.43% Cu, 2.28g/t Ag, 0.07g/t Au	\$179 @ \$1.09



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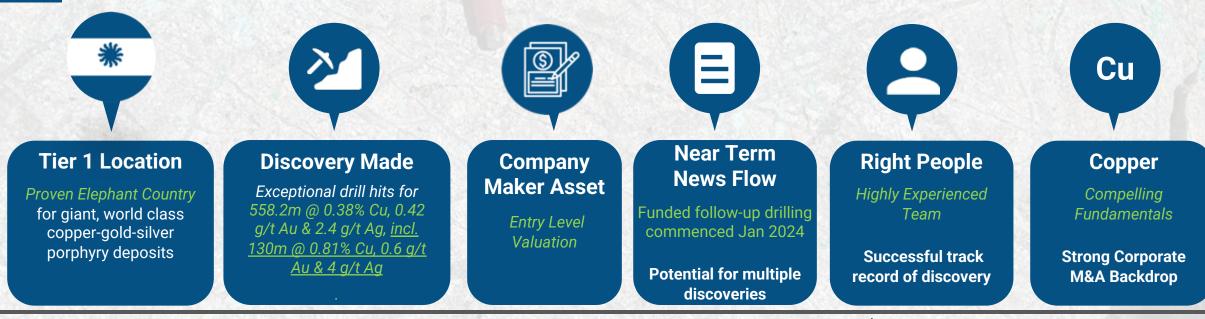


# **Recent Corporate Activity - Argentine & Chilean Copper Sector**

Acquirer	Target	Deal Value	Completion
lundin mining	51% interest in Caserones Copper Mine (Chile) (2022 Production: 110k Ton Cu and 3k Ton Mo)	C\$ 950m	2023
SOUTH 32	15% equity interest in Aldebaran Resources (Altar Project, San Juan Argentina) (1,200 Mt (M&I) @ 0.43% Cu, 0.09 g/t Au and 1 g/t Ag)	~C\$ 21.4m	2022 - 23
BHP	Strategic investment in Filo Corp (Filo del So Project, Chile) (432 Mt (Ind) @ 0.33% Cu, 0.33 g/t Au and 11.5 g/t Ag)	US\$ 100m	2022
STELLANTIS RioTinto	Combined 35% investment in Los Azules Project. (San Juan, Argentina) (1,235 Mt @ 0.4% Cu)	US\$ 200m	2022 - 23
	50.1% interest in Chita Valley (San Juan, Argentina) (33Mt (Ind.) @ 0.43% Cu, 2.28g/t Ag, 0.07g/t Au)	Staged Earn-In	2023



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# APPENDICES



# Acquisition Terms – Piuquenes Project

	Option Payments (US\$1.25m Total)	Option Terms	Work Commitments
Pampa Metals has the right to earn an 80% interest in the Project, through a combination of option payments, project expenditure and asset payments.	<ol> <li>US\$50,000 upon signing (paid);</li> <li>US\$200,000 upon drilling (paid);</li> <li>US\$250,000 6 months following commencement of drilling;</li> <li>US\$250,000 on 1<sup>st</sup> anniversary of signing;</li> <li>US\$250,000 on 2<sup>nd</sup> anniversary of signing;</li> <li>US\$250,000 on 3<sup>rd</sup> anniversary of signing.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Four (4) year option.</li> <li>Exercisable through payment of US\$14.75m and granting a 1.25% NSR.</li> <li>Up to US\$2.5m USD can be scrip settled, at Pampa's election.</li> <li>Condition Precedent - satisfaction of the work commitment and option payments.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>6,000 meters of drilling; and</li> <li>US\$6m additional project expenditure</li> </ul>



### San Juan, Argentina – Right Place, Right Time

#### Argentina

Javier Milei assumed Argentine Presidency December 10, 2023, beginning "radical experiment in libertarian rule".<sup>[1]</sup>

President Milei is aggressively pushing reforms and fiscal incentives for major mining projects. Key incentives proposed include:

- a reduction in the tax rate from 35% to 25%;
- elimination of dividend repatriation tax;
- elimination of VAT;
- ✤ Tax free imports; and
- 30-year exchange rate stability guarantee.

#### San Juan Province

Juan Pablo Perea appointed Mines Minister for the San Juan Province December 10, 2023, promising "swift application of a pro-mining policy".<sup>[2]</sup>

Encouraged by the positive social contribution of Barrick's Veladero mine, San Juan is actively promoting investment in mineral exploration and development, primarily in copper.

Explicit acknowledgement of importance of a stable and certain regulatory framework, capable of attracting long-term foreign investment.

#### Glencore

Own the Mara and El Pachon (San Juan) Projects in Argentina.

Reiterated their commitment to Argentina in a 21 February 2024 earnings call.

CEO Gary Nagle described the 'very business-friendly administration in place in Argentina.'

Also noted that Argentina is "looking for investment, they want to give certainty to investors, and they want to see investors come and spend their money in country and be able to take the money out."

2. www.clubminero.com/contenido/6374/san-juan-ministro-perea-promete-criterio-y-celeridad-el-nuevo-team