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Exploration Progress Report

Canterbury Resources Limited (ASX: CBY) is pleased to provide an update on its current exploration programs and plans, including ongoing drilling at the Ekoato copper-gold prospect in Papua New Guinea and the imminent commencement of drilling at the Briggs copper project in SE Queensland.

Highlights

- * Assay results received from EK001 & EK002 at the Ekoato copper-gold prospect, indicating the presence of spotty gold and weak copper mineralization.
- * The third Ekoato drill hole (EK003) has been completed:
 - visual observations of the core indicate significant copper mineralisation within an 80 metre down-hole zone associated with brecciated metasediments.
 - the core is visually more intensely altered and brecciated than EK001 & EK002 and contains substantially more sulphides.
 - assays will become available during June.
- * Drilling of EK004 has commenced, testing NW-SE trending mineralized structures beneath the Tobias artisanal gold workings.
- * A ~2,700m drilling program, designed to systematically test the Central Zone of the Briggs copper porphyry system, is about to commence.
- Discussions are continuing with Rio Tinto Limited, with potential for Canterbury to assume operatorship of the next phase of drilling at the Bismarck copper-gold project on Manus Island, Papua New Guinea.
- * Planning is well advanced for a surface mapping and sampling program at the Tafuse gold prospect on Espiritu Santo, Vanuatu, commencing in the September quarter.

Canterbury's Managing Director, Grant Craighead, said:

"Our exploration programs are gathering momentum. We are encouraged that the initial assay results from Ekoato are confirming the presence of porphyry style copper-gold mineralisation and our ongoing drilling is adding substantially to our understanding of the mineralisation system.

In parallel we are ramping up exploration activity on our broader portfolio. This includes the imminent commencement of drilling at the Briggs project in SE Queensland where a ~2,700m diamond drilling program will systematically test potential depth extensions of the Central Porphyry mineralisation, with the aim of locating a higher-grade core associated with a causative intrusion."

Current Exploration Activity

Ekoato Drilling Program, PNG (CBY 100%)

Canterbury continues to make good progress in its initial drilling program at the Ekoato Prospect within its 100% owned Ekuti Range Project, PNG. The first three holes have been completed and the fourth is in progress.

The four-hole program is testing a kilometre-wide zone of copper-gold mineralisation associated with brecciated metasediments and coeval diorite intrusions along the southern margin of the Morobe Granodiorite batholith.



The location of the holes is outlined on the following plan:

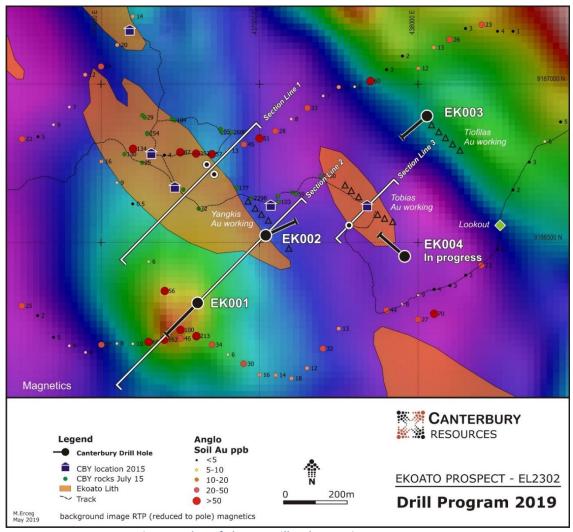


Figure 1 Plan of Ekoato Drill Hole Locations – May 2019

Assay results have been received for drill holes EK001 and EK002 and indicate the presence of spotty gold and weak copper mineralisation. Significant results are outlined in Table 1.

Table 1 EK001 & EK002 Significant Drill Hole Assays

Hole No.	Depth From	Depth To	Length	Au	Ag	Cu	Мо	Cut-off
	(m)	(m)	(m)	(ppm)	(ppm)	(%)	(ppm)	(ppm Au)
EK001	209.0	221.0	12.0	0.18	<0.5	0.01	2.6	0.1
EK002	2.7	7.7	5.0	0.11	1.0	0.01	0.6	0.1
and	36.0	38.0	2.0	1.03	0.3	0.00	2.8	0.1
including	37.0	38.0	1.0	1.93	0.4	0.00	3.5	0.5
and	51.0	53.0	2.0	1.77	0.3	0.03	1.4	0.1
and	90.0	94.3	4.3	0.14	0.2	0.02	1.0	0.1
and	220.0	227.0	7.0	0.70	0.6	0.01	0.3	0.1
including	221.0	222.0	1.0	3.48	2.1	0.01	0.3	0.5
and	235.8	239.5	3.7	0.37	0.7	0.01	0.3	0.1

Notes:

- 1. Weighted average grades
- 2. Significant results reported at 0.1ppm Au and 0.5ppm Au cut-off grades
- 3. Significant intervals >2m at a cut-off of 0.1ppm Au
- 4. Maximum internal dilution 1m



Table 2 Ekoato Project Drill Hole Collar Details

Hole ID	East WGS84	North WGS84	Elevation	Azimuth	Dip	Status
	(m)	(m)	(m ASL)	(°T)	(°)	
EK001	437296	9186298	1955	225	60	300.1m EOH
EK002	437522	9186529	1831	084	60	256.0m EOH
EK003	438060	9186757	2104	235	60	310.8m EOH
EK004*	437938	9186447	2020	300	60	58.0m current

^{*} Drill hole EK004 still in progress

The third hole in the program, EK003, was recently completed with encouraging visual indicators. The hole was designed to test a major north west-south east mineralised structure and intersected visually observed copper mineralisation within an 80 metre down-hole zone associated with brecciated metasediments. The hole was drilled proximal to the contact with the Morobe Granodiorite and is visually more intensely altered and brecciated than EK001 and EK002, and contains substantially more sulphides.

Table 3 EK003 Summary Geological Log

Downhole Interval	Observations
0.0m to 48.8m	Weathered Granodiorite and Diorite
48.8 to 216.0m	Hornfelsed silica-chlorite-biotite altered Metasediment, brecciated in places
	with minor sulphides, mostly pyrite with some chalcopyrite
216.0 to 222.0m	Silica-biotite crackle brecciated Metasediment, with fracture fill sulphides
222.0 to 302.85m	Brecciated Metasediment. Quartz-sericite-biotite altered with open-space
	sulphides up to 5% sulphides, dominated by pyrrhotite and lesser pyrite,
	chalcopyrite and arsenopyrite
302.85 to 310.8m	Unaltered hornblende Diorite

The drill core is being cut and sampled at Canterbury's Bulolo base camp, before shipping to Intertek's Lae facility for sample preparation and assay. Assay results are expected to become available during June.

Figure 2 Selection of Core Photographs from EK003 Illustrating the Mineralised Interval of Brecciated Metasediment from 222.0m to 302.85m - May 2019



Overall, drilling has confirmed the Company's pre-drilling interpretation that the Ekoato prospect represents the exposed tops of potentially large-scale copper-gold porphyry systems. Each of the holes completed has provided encouraging indications of proximity to a porphyry centre, and EK003 has exhibited the strongest level of visually observed copper mineralisation to date.



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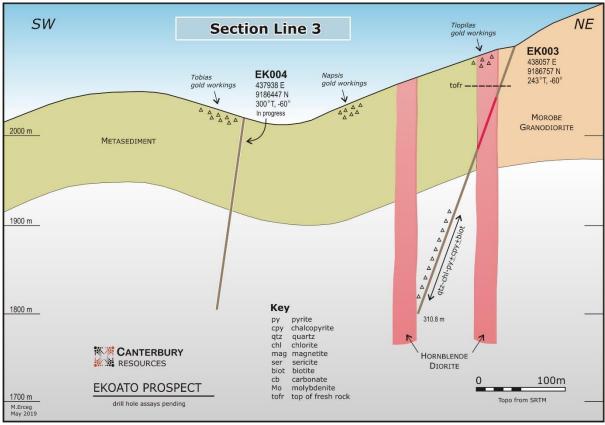


Figure 3 Schematic Section Line 3 of Ekoato Drilling - May 2019

Bismarck Drilling Program, Manus Island, PNG (CBY 40%, Rio Tinto Exploration (PNG) Limited 60%)

At the Bismarck Project located on central Manus Island, 60% Joint Venture ("JV") partner, Rio Tinto Exploration (PNG) Limited ("Rio Tinto PNG"), has been managing the Stage-2 Exploration phase which includes drill testing buried porphyry copper-gold targets identified by Rio Tinto PNG during 2017 exploration.

As noted in Canterbury's March quarterly activities report, Rio Tinto PNG paused the program in early 2019 and initiated a review of the drilling approach and associated support logistics to examine opportunities to achieve faster drilling rates and lower associated costs. The review is making steady progress and includes the possibility of engaging Canterbury Resources Limited to act as the project manager. However, the timing for recommencement of drilling remains uncertain.

Rio Tinto PNG's rights and obligations under the JV, including its obligations to sole fund the Stage-2 activities and the ability for Rio Tinto PNG to increase its JV interest upon completion of Stage-2 remain unaffected.

Briggs Drilling Program, Queensland (CBY 100%)

Preparation is well advanced for the Stage-1 nine-hole (~2,700m) diamond drilling program at the Briggs copper porphyry prospect, focused on the ~500m strike length of the Central Porphyry. The holes will systematically test depth extensions of the known mineralisation and should provide vectors to assist in locating a higher-grade core, which is speculated to occur associated with a causative intrusion at shallow depths in this type of system.

Current activity includes upgrading access, completion of a new waterbore and construction of drill pads. A contract has been signed with Grid Drilling to undertake the drilling and mobilisation has commenced.



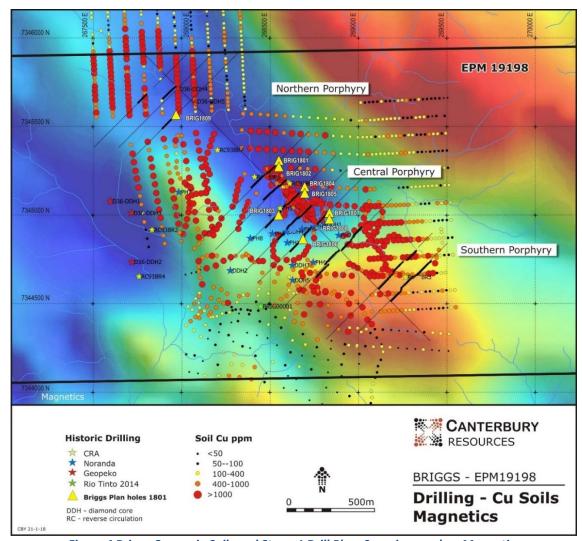


Figure 4 Briggs Copper in Soils and Stage-1 Drill Plan, Superimposed on Magnetics

Tafuse Field Program, Vanuatu (CBY 100%)

Canterbury is liaising with the Department of Mines in Port Vila to complete discussions with customary landowners ahead of a planned surface mapping and sampling program at the Tafuse gold prospect, commencing in the September quarter. The Tafuse gold prospect is in the northern part of the recently granted PL 1851 which is on the island of Espiritu Santo ("Santo").

Historical work at Tafuse has identified a broad area of epithermal-style quartz veining hosted in altered volcanics that are anomalous in gold and silver.

On behalf of the Board

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COMPETENT PERSON'S STATEMENT

The technical information in this report which relates to Exploration Results is based on information compiled by Mr Michael Erceg, MAIG RPGeo. Mr Erceg is an Executive Director of Canterbury Resources Limited and has sufficient experience relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the "Australian Code of Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves". Mr Erceg consents to the inclusion in this report of the matters based on that information in the form and context in which it appears.

ABOUT CANTERBURY RESOURCES LIMITED

Canterbury Resources Limited (ASX: CBY) ("Canterbury" or the "Company") is an ASX-listed resource company focused on creating shareholder wealth by generating, exploring and monetising potential Tier-1 copper-gold projects in the southwest Pacific. It has established a strong portfolio of projects in Australia, Papua New Guinea and Vanuatu that are prospective for porphyry copper-gold and epithermal gold-silver deposits. The Company is managed by an experienced team of resource professionals, with a strong track record of exploration success and mine development in the region.

Canterbury's near-term plans include drilling programs at three of its more advanced assets — the Ekoato and Bismarck porphyry copper-gold projects in Papua New Guinea and the Briggs porphyry copper project in Queensland. Each program provides the potential for the discovery and/or delineation of a large-scale copper (±gold) resource. The 100% owned Briggs and Ekoato prospects are being managed and funded by Canterbury, while the Bismarck JV Project (Canterbury 40%) is being managed and sole-funded by Rio Tinto Exploration (PNG) Limited as part of a Farm-In and Joint Venture Agreement.

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JORC Code, 2012 Edition – Table 1 Ekoato Project, PNG

Section 1 Sampling Techniques and Data

(Criteria in this section apply to all succeeding sections.)

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 minerals under investigation, such as down hole gamma sondes, or handheld XRF instruments, etc). These examples should not be taken as limiting the broad meaning of sampling. Include reference to measures taken to ensure sample representivity and the appropriate calibration of any measurement tools or systems used. Aspects of the determination of mineralisation that are Material to the Public Report. In cases where 'industry standard' work has been done this would be relatively simple (eg 'reverse circulation drilling was used to obtain 1 m samples from which 3 kg was pulverised to produce a 30 g charge for fire assay'). In other cases more explanation may be required, such as where there is coarse gold that has inherent sampling problems. Unusual commodities or mineralisation types (eg submarine nodules) may warrant disclosure of detailed information. 	Core drilling is conducted using a heli-portable Longyear LF70. Site geologists check core recovery and summary log the hole before the core is flown by helicopter to Canterbury's exploration base at Bulolo for formal logging and sampling.
Drilling techniques	 Drill type (eg core, reverse circulation, open-hole hammer, rotary air blast, auger, Bangka, sonic, etc) and details (eg core diameter, triple or standard tube, depth of diamond tails, face-sampling bit or other type, whether core is oriented and if so, by what method, etc). 	 Core PQ (85mm), HQ3 (61.1mm), and NQ3 (45mm) sizes. Core is orientated (electronic ori tool).
Drill sample recovery	 Method of recording and assessing core and chip sample recoveries and results assessed. Measures taken to maximise sample recovery and ensure representative nature of the samples. Whether a relationship exists between sample recovery and grade and whether sample bias may have occurred due to preferential 	Drill runs are measured and actuals compared with lengths drilled on site and recoveries calculated. Data entered into Drill Database.



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	loss/gain of fine/coarse material.	
Logging	 Whether core and chip samples have been geologically and geotechnically logged to a level of detail to support appropriate Mineral Resource estimation, mining studies and metallurgical studies. Whether logging is qualitative or quantitative in nature. Core (or costean, channel, etc) photography. The total length and percentage of the relevant intersections logged. 	 Formal logging is undertaken at the Bulolo core facility where all the core is photographed and geologically and geotechnically logged to a level of detail to support appropriate Mineral Resource estimation (if warranted).
Sub-sampling techniques and sample preparation	 If core, whether cut or sawn and whether quarter, half or all core taken. If non-core, whether riffled, tube sampled, rotary split, etc and whether sampled wet or dry. For all sample types, the nature, quality and appropriateness of the sample preparation technique. Quality control procedures adopted for all sub-sampling stages to maximise representivity of samples. Measures taken to ensure that the sampling is representative of the in situ material collected, including for instance results for field duplicate/second-half sampling. Whether sample sizes are appropriate to the grain size of the material being sampled. 	 Core is sawn in half length-wise using a Clipper-type core saw. Sampling is of half core in nominally 2m intervals reducing in areas of mineralization, structures and/or geological complexity. Samples are sent to Intertek Laboratories in Lae for drying, crushing and pulverizing using Boyd Crushers and LM2s. The entire sample is crushed and split using a rotary splitter then a sub-sample (<2kg) pulverized in LM2. Field duplicates using stored half core will be considered at the end of the program subject to results.
Quality of assay data and laboratory tests	 The nature, quality and appropriateness of the assaying and laboratory procedures used and whether the technique is considered partial or total. For geophysical tools, spectrometers, handheld XRF instruments, etc, the parameters used in determining the analysis including instrument make and model, reading times, calibrations factors applied and their derivation, etc. Nature of quality control procedures adopted (eg standards, blanks, duplicates, external laboratory checks) and whether acceptable levels of accuracy (ie lack of bias) and precision have been established. 	 Analysis schemes (Intertek Laboratories): FA50: Fire Assay Dtn 5ppb Au1 Au2 Au3 Au4 PbWt 4A/OE: OES Dtn & Digest Al Cr La Na Sc Zn Ba Cu Li Ni Sr Ca Fe Mg P Tl Co K Mn S V 4A/MS: ICP/MS Ag Cd Mo Sb Te W Bi Ce Pb Sn Tl 4AH/OE: OES Dtn and Digest S Weight: Weighing of sample



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		WT_W WT_DRY Sieve2: Crush sieving test 1:20 Sieve W1 WT Sieve: Sieve Test 1:20 Sieve W1 WT PT01: Total preparation up to 2kg Weight
		Standards and blanks are inserted every 10 samples. Geologists determine whether standards and blanks are within tolerance. If not the laboratory is advised and requested to rerun batch.
Verification of sampling and assaying	 The verification of significant intersections by either independent or alternative company personnel. The use of twinned holes. Documentation of primary data, data entry procedures, data verification, data storage (physical and electronic) protocols. Discuss any adjustment to assay data. 	 Assay data are entered into the company database. No twinned holes have been drilled. A Sampling and Assaying Procedure has been documented. No assay data is adjusted.
Location of data points	 Accuracy and quality of surveys used to locate drill 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. 	 Grid used is WGS84 UTM Zone 55. Topographic surface is SRTM. Survey control is using Garmin GPS. Down hole surveys undertaken using electronic instrument. At a minimum single shot every 30m while drilling and multi-shot of entire hole at end of hole.
Data spacing and distribution	 Data spacing for reporting of Exploration Results. Whether the data spacing and distribution is sufficient to establish the degree of geological and grade continuity appropriate for the Mineral Resource and Ore Reserve estimation procedure(s) and classifications applied. Whether sample compositing has been applied. 	 Planned drill holes are scout only and further drilling will be required to establish a resource if warranted. Drill hole spacing is insufficient to establish the degree of geological and grade continuity appropriate for Mineral Resource estimation. No sample compositing has been applied.



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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. 	 The regional structural grain is NW-SE. Drill holes are planned to drill across this trend although this is not possible at all times due to challenging terrain for drill sites. The mineralized zones appear to dip vertically therefore down-hole intervals will naturally be greater than true-widths.
Sample security	The measures taken to ensure sample security.	A Chain of Custody procedure is in place.
Audits or reviews	The results of any audits or reviews of sampling techniques and data.	 No independent audits have been undertaken. However, the sampling and assaying protocols have been set up by an independent consulting geochemist.

Section 2 Reporting of Exploration Results

(Criteria listed in the preceding section also apply to this section.)

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. The security of the tenure held at the time of reporting along with any known impediments to obtaining a licence to operate in the area. 	Exploration License EL2302, 100% Canterbury Resources.
Exploration done by other parties	Acknowledgment and appraisal of exploration by other parties.	 Triple Plate Junction and Newmont explored the area 2007-2012. The Ekoato prospect area was covered by surface mapping, geochemical sampling and airborne magnetics, but neither company drilled. Canterbury had both Anglo and Freeport conduct due diligence mapping and sampling and both companies concluded the area was



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		attractive for gold-rich porphyry mineralization.
Geology	Deposit type, geological setting and style of mineralisation.	 Structurally controlled mesothermal quartz-carbonate-anhydrite-sulphide veins containing gold-basemetals e.g. Otibanda and Waikanda lodes. Hydrothermal breccias and high-level intrusions indicating upper levels of a porphyry Cu-Au system e.g. Ekoato and Kopekayo prospects. Ekoato is along strike from the Hidden Valley mine which is a carbonate base-metal Au-Ag deposit.
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 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. 	• Attached.
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. 	 Significant intervals calculated by weighted average grade. No grades are truncated. Significant intervals are reported at a cut-off of 0.1ppm Au and 0.5ppm Au. Internal dilution does not exceed 1m. No metal equivalents are used.



Criteria	JORC Code explanation	Commentary
Relationship between mineralisatio n 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'). 	 True widths are not precisely known. Down-hole intervals are reported in significant interval tables.
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. 	Drill plan and drill section attached.
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. 	 All Canterbury drill holes on the Ekoato prospect are reported and there are no historic drill holes.
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. 	 Triple Plate Junction mapped and sampled the Ekoato area Newmont flew helimag/radiometric survey over area. Anglo American conducted due diligence sampling in 2017 which included soil sampling at Ekoato.
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. 	 Subject to results, further drilling is planned at Ekoato. Detailed surface mapping and sampling is underway over the greater Ekoato area.