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ARAFURA RESOURCES LIMITED (ASX: ARU)

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Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer – Search Update

Arafura Resources Limited (“Arafura”) is pleased to announce it has engaged Gerard Daniels Perth Office to assist in the selection process for a new Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer.

Arafura’s Chief Executive Officer, Alistair Stephens, recently announced his decision to leave and return to Queensland, his home state.

The Arafura Board will work closely with Gerard Daniels in the coming weeks with a target to have announced the appointment of a new Managing Director before Christmas.

Arafura Chairman Ian Laurance commented “This is a critical appointment for Arafura as the company moves from Project Developer Status to full operational mode over the next three years. Identifying and securing the right leader to take Arafura forward in this exciting time in the company’s development is our top priority for the Board at this time.”

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