



# Uranium

Momentum backed by compelling fundamentals

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#### **Cautionary Statement**

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Bannerman has concluded that it has a reasonable basis for providing these forward-looking statements and the forecast financial information included in the ASX release. This includes a reasonable basis to expect that it will be able to fund the development of Etango-8 upon successful delivery of key development milestones as and when required. The detailed reasons for these conclusions are outlined in the section of the ASX release dated 2 August 2021 "Etango-8 Pre-Feasibility Study" in the section titled "Funding pathway". While Bannerman considers all of the material assumptions to be based on reasonable grounds, there is no certainty that they will prove to be correct or that the range of outcomes indicated by the PFS will be achieved.

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#### Competent Person Statement

#### Mineral Resources

The information in this release relating to the Mineral Resources (June 2015 and June 2021) of the Etango Project is based on a resource estimate compiled or reviewed by Mr Ian Glacken, Principal Consultant at Optiro Pty Ltd and a Fellow of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr Glacken has sufficient experience that 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", is an independent consultant to Bannerman and a Qualified Person as defined by Canadian National Instrument 43-101. Mr Glacken consents, and provides corporate consent for Optiro Pty Ltd, to the inclusion in this release of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

#### Ore Reserves

The information in this release relating to the Ore Reserves (July 2021) of the Etango-8 PFS Project is based on information compiled or reviewed by Mr Werner K Moeller, a Director since 2016 of Qubeka Mining Consultants CC based in Klein Windhoek, Namibia, Prior to 2016 Mr. Moeller was a Director of VBKom Consulting Engineers (Ptv) Ltd based in Centurion. South Africa from 2008. Mr Moeller is a Member of The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy (MAusIMM nr. 329888), a Member of the South African Institute of Mining and Metallurgy (MSAIMM nr. 704793) and a Member of the Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum (MCIM nr. 708163), He graduated from the University of Pretoria, South Africa and holds a Bachelor degree, majoring in Mine Engineering (2001) and an Honours degree, majoring in Industrial Engineering (2002). Mr Moeller is a practising mining engineer, having practiced his profession continuously since 2002, and has sufficient experience relevant to the style of mineralisation and types of deposits under consideration and to the activity which is being undertaken to qualify him as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the "Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves". He has read and understood the requirements of the 2012 Edition of the Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results and the Technical Report has been prepared in compliance with that code. Mr Moeller consents to the filing of this release with any stock exchange and other regulatory authority and any publication by them for regulatory purposes, including electronic publication in the public company files on their websites accessible by the public. Mr Moeller furthermore does not have nor does he expect to receive a direct or indirect interest in the Etango property of Bannerman, and he does not beneficially own, directly or indirectly, any securities of Bannerman or any associate or affiliate of such company. Mr Moeller consents to the inclusion in this release of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.





# Introduction to Bannerman Energy

ASX:BMN OTCQB:BNNLF



# Bannerman at a glance

### SHARE PRICE CHART (ASX:BMN)



### **SHARE REGISTER (AT 30 JUNE 2021)**

Institutional	23%
Board and Management	10%
Other (incl OTC)	67%

CAPITAL STRUCTURE	
ASX share price (8 Sept 2021)	A\$0.24
12 month share price range	A\$0.032 – A\$0.26
Shares on issue	1,205 million
Market capitalisation	A\$290 M
Options and performance rights	70 million
Average daily volume (ASX 1-month)	2.8 million
Cash (30 June 2021)	A\$12.5 M
Debt	Zero

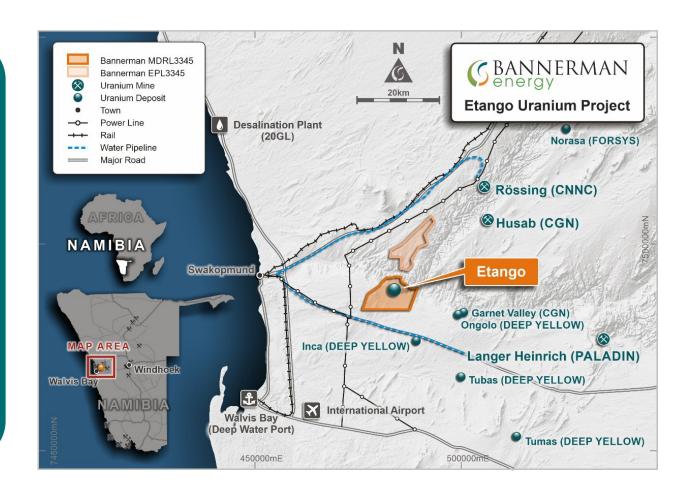
BOARD	
Independent Chairman	Ronnie Beevor
Chief Executive Officer/MD	Brandon Munro
Independent NED	Mike Leech
Independent NED	lan Burvill
NED	Clive Jones



### A WORLD-CLASS URANIUM ASSET

# **Etango-8 Uranium Project**

- Globally large-scale resource endowment
- Low technical risk
- Excellent supporting infrastructure
- Established uranium operating jurisdiction
- Strong in-country presence and engagement
- High scalability







# URANIUM SECTOR

Sprott Physical Uranium Trust (SPUT) an accelerant to strong fundamentals



### Strategy to grow AUM

### **About SPUT**

### **Sprott Asset Management**

- 4 bullion trusts worth ~\$13B, 250k investors
- Extensive uranium equities holdings

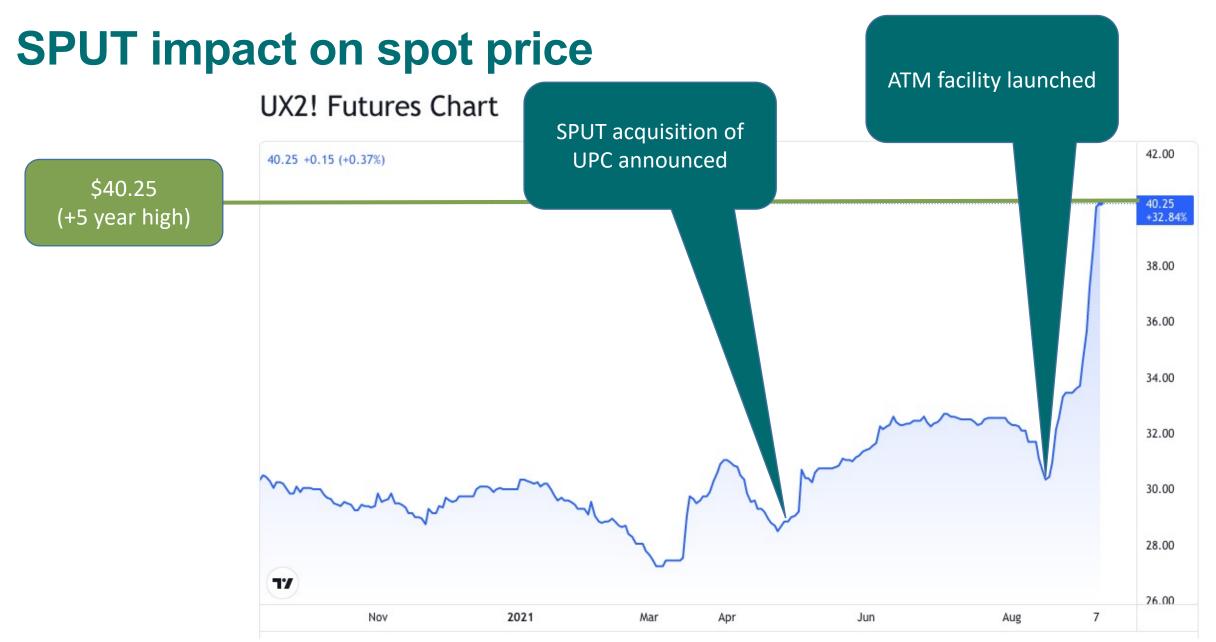
### **Sprott Physical Uranium Trust**

- TSX listed, units in CAD and USD.
- No redemptions (long term sequestration)

### At-the-market facility (ATM)

- Initially US\$300M
- US listing planned for 2022

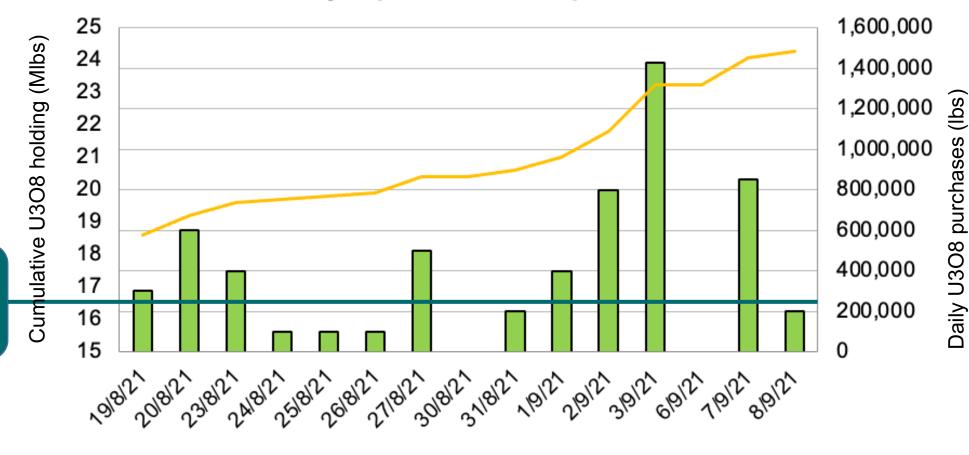






# **SPUT** purchases since ATM launch

### Daily spot market purchases



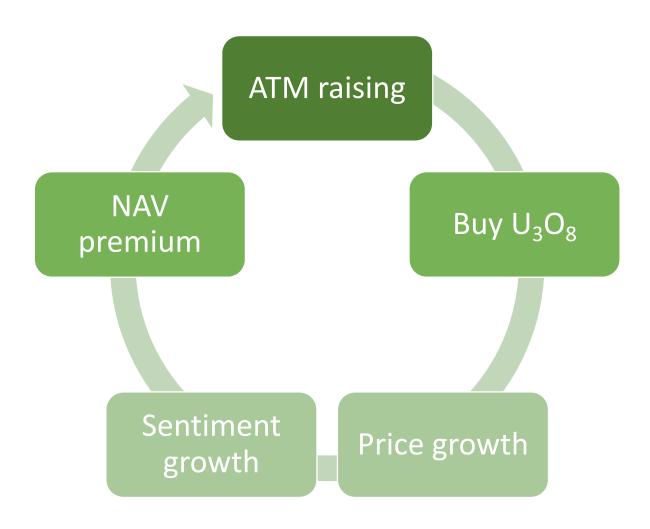
New Pounds Added

Ave daily volume Total spot market (1 April- 31 July)



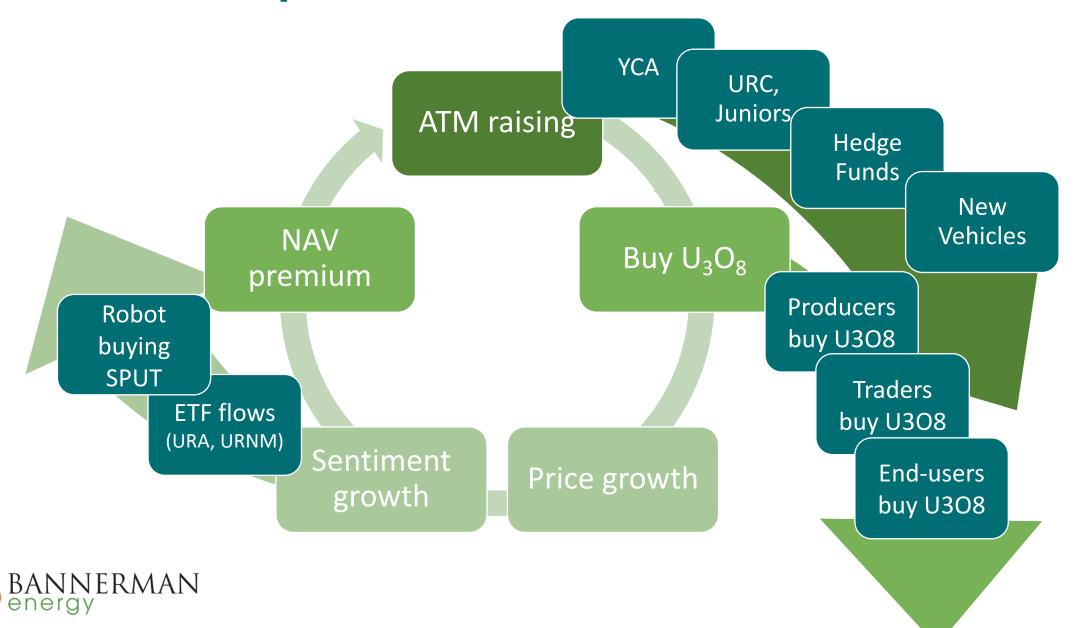
Total Pounds of U3O8

# **Short term implications**





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# Potential for market disruption

Weekly purchases	Annualised	% global annual production
500k lbs	25 Mlbs	~20%
1M lbs	50 Mlbs	~40%
2M lbs	100 Mlbs	~80%

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### Market effects in medium term

Definitively test mobile inventory availability

Remove carry trade long term price suppression

Utility sentiment shift (complacent to concern)

Fuel buying for reactors saved from closure

US utilities insulated from higher fuel prices

Utilities commence restocking

Earliest substantial supply response: 2023

Urgency to contract returning idled production (<\$50/lb)

Contracting to test (un)availability of new mines



# Momentum phase backed by fundamentals

World's largest economies commit to carbon neutral by 2050/60

Electricity growth from "electrification of everything"

China remains disruptive behemoth through 14th FYP

Implications from SMRs and advanced reactors

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Commodities supercycle and flight to real assets

Impact of generalist investors and speculators

Geographic imbalance between supply and demand centres

Opportunity from ESG and green funding

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**Decarbonisation imperative** 



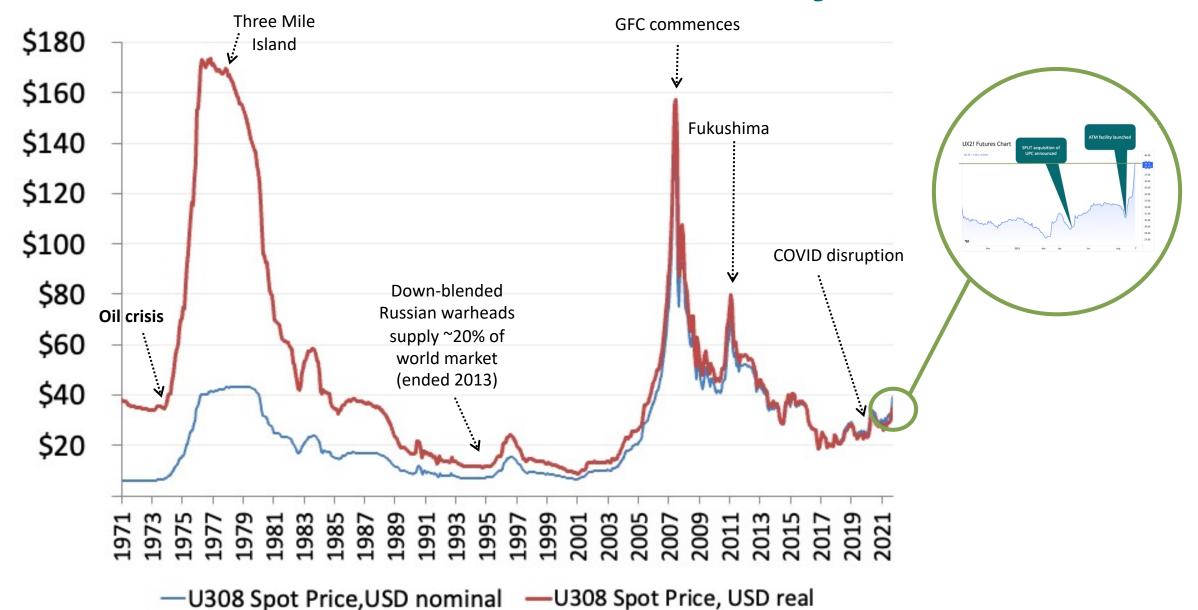
**Expansionary** monetary policy



Geopolitical tension



# Momentum, fundamentals and history





# ETANGO-8

Bannerman ideally positioned for both momentum and fundaments



# Why Bannerman (in a momentum phase?)



# 207.8 Mlbs U<sub>3</sub>O<sub>8</sub>

Total Etango-only resources

### WORLD CLASS URANIUM RESOURCE

# Etango-8 resources and reserves<sup>1</sup>

# $60.3 \text{ Mlbs } U_3O_8$

Etango-8 Ore reserve

June 2021 Mineral Resource Estimate JORC (2012) reported within a US\$75 pit shell above a 100 ppm U₃O₀ cut-off	Tonnes (Mt)	Grade (ppm U3O8)	Contained U3O8 (Mlb)
Resource Category			
Measured	27.6	219	13.3
Indicated	286.1	217	137.1
Inferred	115.0	226	57.4
Total	428.7	220	207.8

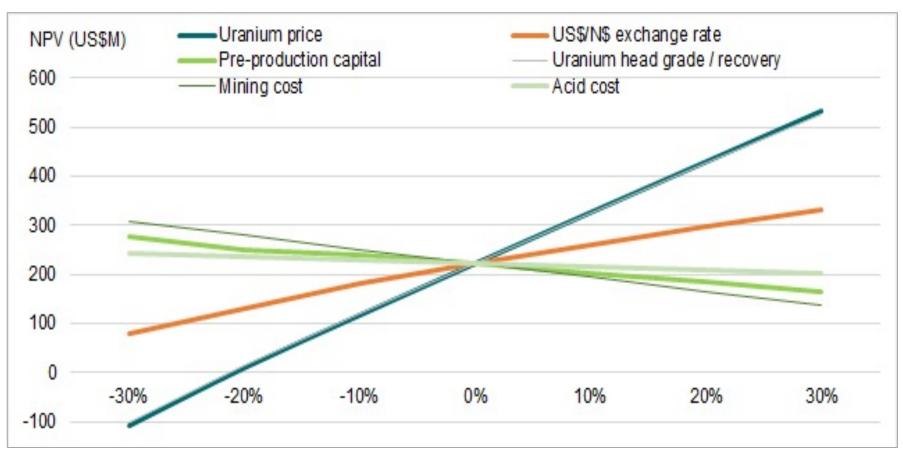
JORC (2012) Ore Reserve estimate for Etango-8 Project (July 2021)	Tonnes (Mt)	Grade (ppm U3O8)	Contained metal (Mlb)
Proved	16.2	232	8.3
Probable	101.5	233	52.0
Total Ore Reserve	117.6	232	60.3



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### STRONG LEVERAGE TO POTENTIAL URANIUM PRICE INCREASES

# **Etango-8 NPV sensitivities (post-tax)**



Selected discount rate sensitivity	4%	6%	8%	10%	12%
Post-tax NPV @US\$65/lb (US\$M)	383	293	222	165	119



# Why Bannerman (long term fundamentals)

Leadership that delivers shareholder value

Jurisdictional stability and low technical risk

Environmental permit and community support

Production capability during this cycle

Robust economics at scale (3.5Mlbs pa)

Leveraged enhanced by expansion capacity





# SUMMARY

World-class Etango-8 Uranium Project, Namibia



### ETANGO-8

### A world-class uranium asset

Globally significant output of 3.5 Mlbs pa with further expansion scalability

Robust economics and low hurdles to development

**Environmental approvals** with strong community and government support

Namibia a premier uranium mining jurisdiction with excellent infrastructure

Low technical risk through prior definitive study work and demonstration plant Streamlined development path to meet sector deficits





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# **APPENDICES**

A world-class uranium asset



### HIGHLY ROBUST PHYSICAL PARAMETERS AND STRONG PROJECTED ECONOMICS

# **Key Etango-8 PFS outcomes**<sup>1</sup>

15 years

Initial mine life

2.07:1

Strip ratio (waste:ore)<sup>2</sup>

US\$65/lb

LOM U<sub>3</sub>O<sub>8</sub> price

US\$222M

Post-tax NPV<sub>8%</sub>

8 Mtpa

Throughput capacity

87.8%

Processing yield

US\$39/lb

Cash opex (incl royalties)

3.8 years

Payback (post-tax)

 $3.5 \text{ Mlb } U_3O_8$ 

Average annual production

53 Mlb U<sub>3</sub>O<sub>8</sub>
Total production

US\$274M

Pre-production capex

20.3%

Post-tax IRR



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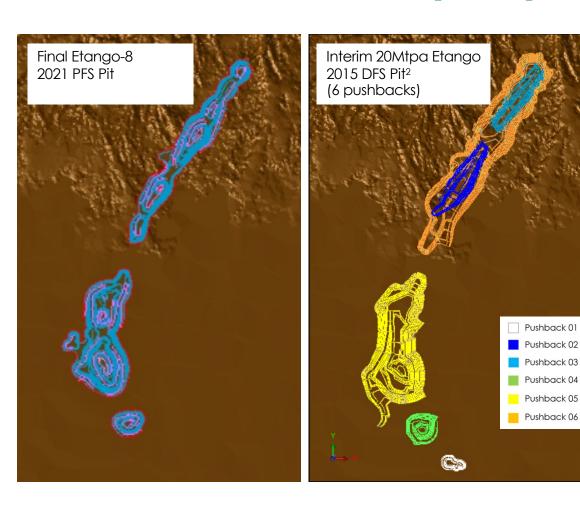
2. Adoption of dual ramps in northern and central pits increased strip ratio slightly from Scoping Study

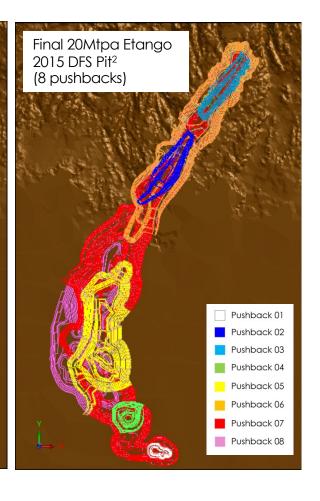
# Future life extension and/or scale up expansion

8Mtpa development retains flexibility to expand to larger throughput

Potentially up to 20Mtpa throughput once in production

Enabled by infrastructure position and 2015 DFS pit shells





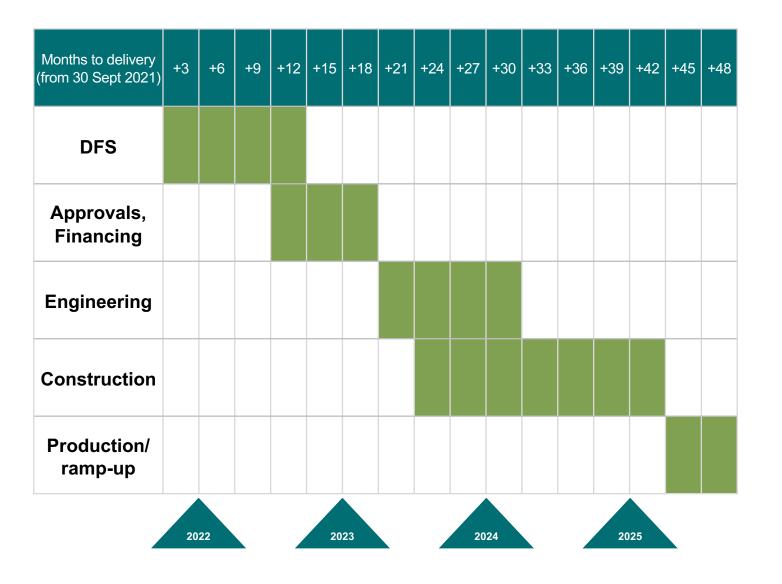


<sup>1.</sup> Refer to Bannerman ASX release dated 2 August 2021, "Etango-8 Pre-Feasibility Study", for detailed Etango Mineral Resource estimate and disclosures.

2. Refer to Bannerman ASX released dated 11 November 2015 "Outstanding DFS Optimisation Study Results".

THE PATH FORWARD

# Production targeted for 2025

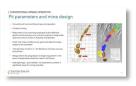






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### **Detailed PFS information**

COMPREHENSIVE TECHNICAL DISCLOSURE



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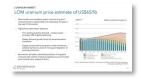




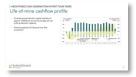


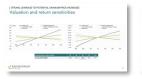














### Bannerman team

### Strong and experienced board

### Ronnie Beevor (Non-Executive Chairman)

- 40+ years' investment banking experience incl. head of Rothschild Australia.
- Extensive listed co experience including past director of successful gold-copper developer, Oxiana Ltd.

### Mike Leech (Non Executive Director)

- 30+ years' mining industry experience, Rio Tinto.
- Deep Namibian uranium operating experience.
- Former roles include MD and CFO at Rössing Uranium.
- Former President of Namibian Chamber of Mines.

### Clive Jones (Non Executive Director)

- 30+ years in mineral exploration and founding/developing/transacting ASX companies.
- One of original vendors of Etango project to BMN.

### Ian Burvill (Non Executive Director)

- 35+ years' mining industry experience starting as a process plant engineer.
- Former partner of Resource Capital Funds.

### Twapewa Kadhikwa (NED -Namibia)

- High profile Namibian businesswoman.
- Respected SME advisor to government.
- Speaker and business mentor.

### Skilled management with Namibian expertise

Brandon Munro (CEO & Managing Director)	<ul> <li>20+ years' transaction corporate lawyer at the Co-Chair of World Demand sub-grout Lived in Namibia for Kunene Resour</li> </ul>
Werner Ewald (Managing Director – Namibia)	<ul><li>30+ years' experie</li><li>Prior to joining BN Uranium.</li><li>Namibian born Ele</li></ul>
Robert Orr (Company	<ul><li>30+ years' experie firm specialising ir</li><li>Previously CFO at</li></ul>

- ctional and financing experience as a and resources executive.
- d Nuclear Association Nuclear Fuel
- for 5+ years as GM to Bannerman and MD ırces Ltd.
- ence in uranium, diamond, coal mining
- MN was Manager Mining at Rössing
- ectrical Engineer based in Swakopmund.

# Secretary)

- ence as chartered accountant incl. big four n tax and audit.
- and CoSec for several ASX listed mining entities with a background in corporate compliance and governance, project development and capital markets.

### John Turney (Project Adviser -Etango)

- 40+ years in major mining/engineering companies, including Project Director of Bannerman.
- Led development of, for example, Cowal gold mine (Australia) and Tulawaka gold (Tanzania).



# PREMIER URANIUM DEVELOPMENT JURISDICTION

## Namibia

- 45 year production history
- ✓ Top 4 global uranium player
- ✓ Politically/socially supportive
- Excellent infrastructure: port/road/rail/water/power

### First class operating jurisdiction

- Stable and secure
- Strong Rule of Law
- Transparent mining legislation
- Development agenda





# Social licence to operate

# Environmental credentials

- Environmental baseline since 2008
- High-quality, peer reviewed ESIA completed in 2009
- Environmental approvals granted

**Social leadership** 

- An acknowledged leader in Corporate Social Responsibility in Namibia
- Trusted relationship with local communities

**Government support** 

- Strong government support at all levels
- One Economy Foundation is a 5% shareholder in Bannerman Mining Resources (Namibia) (Pty) Ltd





Bannerman's flagship Learner Assistance Program has assisted 3,000 learners over the past ten years across schools throughout Namibia

### WELL DELINEATED AND UNDERSTOOD TENURE AND APPROVALS PROCESSES

# Tenure and permitting

Mineral Deposit Retention Licence (MDRL) secures tenure over Etango Environmental Clearance Certificate awarded for Etango mine

Five-year extendable term (initial expiry 6 August 2022)

Environmental Clearance Certificate awarded for linear infrastructure

Conversion of MDRL to Mining Licence expected to be relatively short process

Community, political and government support for project

