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**Trish O'Reilly, CEO of AAMIG selected as a Finalist in
Telstra Business Women's Awards**

AAMIG is pleased to announce that Trish O'Reilly was a finalist at the 2014 Telstra Business Women's Awards, Western Australia Gala Dinner at the Burswood Convention Centre last Friday evening. This is the 20th year of the Telstra Awards, which recognise outstanding achievements of motivated women in business.

Trish's selection as a finalist in the Private and Corporate Sector Award category is a result of her can-do positive approach, which has seen her move from a long career in social and community work to now leading the Australia-Africa Mining Industry Group ("AAMIG") as its Chief Executive Officer.

Trish joined AAMIG in 2011 and was appointed CEO in early 2013. Since assuming this role, Trish has taken AAMIG forward to become an internationally recognized industry association supporting the interests of the resources sector operating on the African Continent.

AAMIG Chairman Bill Turner commented, "Trish's selection as a finalist in the Telstra Business Women's Awards is terrific news and timely recognition for the commitment and passion that she brings to supporting the resource industries' engagement with Africa. We all congratulate Trish on achieving this notable and well-deserved industry recognition."

Through AAMIG, Trish strives to ensure sustainable community development is achieved while at the same time meeting business imperatives and bridging the gaps between private and not-for-profit organisations, governments and academia. Trish's work promotes the value of responsible corporate citizenship as a fundamental requirement of doing business.

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ABOUT AAMIG

Founded in May 2011, the Australia-Africa Mining Industry Group ("AAMIG") represents Australian and Australian-based exploration, mining, service and supply companies active in Africa.

AAMIG aims to support member companies and enhance their Social Licence to Operate, with a key focus on stakeholder engagement, sustainable community development, human rights and governance.

AAMIG is committed to supporting a "Team Australia" approach in regard to Australia's engagement with Africa, which includes building meaningful relationships between the mining industry and governments, not-for-profits and academia.

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