



Risk Management Policy



1 Introduction

Savannah Goldfields Limited (**SVG**) recognises the importance of managing risk and controlling its business activities in a manner which enables it to maximise profitable opportunities, avoid or reduce risks which may cause injury or loss, ensures compliance with applicable laws and regulations, and enhances resilience to external events.

Risk management is the process of continuously identifying, evaluating, treating and monitoring exposures that may impact SVG.

Risks may be controlled through the introduction of policies, procedures or altered work practices however the most effective long-term method is through the creation of a risk aware culture.

2 Risk Management Strategy

To assist management in performing its oversight role in this area, information regarding the status of a range of risks is regularly reviewed by management and the Board. Appropriate policies, procedures, work practices and reporting measures are implemented to manage material risks.

The Board will receive regular updates from management and where relevant, external parties, on material risks faced by the Company and the management of those risks.

3 Responsibilities for Risk Management

It is the duty and responsibility of every staff member to monitor and manage risks within their area. Employees who knowingly and recklessly operate outside the risk management policy will be subject to disciplinary action.

Executive Officers facilitate the identification and monitoring of risks and establish sound risk management policies and provides feedback to the Board on the effectiveness of existing practices and make recommendations for improvement.

External and internal audits may review the effectiveness of existing risk management practices from time to time and recommend improvements when necessary.

Management have primary responsibility for risk identification. Each Manager ensures that they have sufficient processes in place in their business unit to ensure that risks identified by staff are escalated to the Manager as required. Management are responsible for identifying, evaluating and managing risks and reporting to the Board on material risks.

4 Types of Risks

The Company, once it has reached a scale to justify it, will implement a detailed risk register to identify the material risks facing the business, provide a risk rating, the controls in place to manage the risk and the person(s) responsible for implementing and reviewing those controls. Compliance Officers would meet with management on a regular basis to discuss whether changes need to be made to the risk profile and whether new risks have been identified.

If an extreme risk is identified, it will promptly be referred to the Chief Executive Officer and Chairman for consideration. Where considered necessary, the Chairman will convene a meeting of the Board to collectively consider how the risk will be managed.



5 Regular Reviews and Board Commitment

The Company's Risk Management Policy and underlying procedures and practices will be reviewed annually by the Board to ensure their continued application and relevance. Executive Officers also meet with management to review the implementation and effectiveness of this policy on a regular basis.

SVG is committed to effective risk management and recognises it as a core managerial capability.

All queries regarding issues raised in this policy should be directed to the Company Secretary

This policy was reviewed and approved by the Board on 30 November 2023.