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## **GALAXY APPOINTS NEW CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER**

Galaxy Resources Limited (ASX:GXY) ("Galaxy") is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr Alan Rule as its Chief Financial Officer ("CFO") commencing 10 April 2017.

Mr Rule has over 20 years of extensive corporate experience in the mining sector, in both the Australian and international markets, with companies listed on the ASX, AIM and TSX exchanges. He has a broad range of experience in the listing and corporate governance requirements in various markets, as well as in financing and M&A initiatives from the numerous strategic transactions that he has been involved in over the years. His previous roles include serving as CFO for Sundance Resources (ASX:SDL), Paladin Energy (ASX:PDN) and Mount Gibson Iron (ASX:MGX).

Managing Director and CEO Mr Anthony Tse was delighted to confirm the appointment of Mr Rule, adding: "I am extremely pleased to have Alan join the Galaxy team at this point in time, as we begin taking the Company to the next level and further advancing development of our world class projects. Alan is a very experienced and high caliber professional, and I have no doubt that the team will all benefit from his expertise and guidance, as well as his strong financial and risk management skills. He has been a key member of the senior management teams for some of the world's leading mining corporations and is a highly seasoned CFO who brings significant global, commercial and operational experience to complement Galaxy's existing senior leadership team. I would like to formally welcome Alan to Galaxy and look forward to working with him to further strengthen the Company's position as a leader in the fast-growing lithium sector."

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### **About Galaxy (ASX: GXY)**

Galaxy Resources Limited ("Galaxy") is an international S&P / ASX 200 Index company with lithium production facilities, hard rock mines and brine assets in Australia, Canada and Argentina. It wholly owns and operates the Mt Cattlin mine in Ravensthorpe Western Australia, which is currently producing spodumene and tantalum concentrate, and the James Bay lithium pegmatite project in Quebec, Canada.

Galaxy is advancing plans to develop the Sal de Vida lithium and potash brine project in Argentina situated in the lithium triangle (where Chile, Argentina and Bolivia meet), which is currently the source of 60% of global lithium production. Sal de Vida has excellent potential as a low cost brine-based lithium carbonate production facility.

Lithium compounds are used in the manufacture of ceramics, glass, and consumer electronics and are an essential cathode material for long life lithium-ion batteries used in hybrid and electric vehicles, as well as mass energy storage systems. Galaxy is bullish about the global lithium demand outlook and is aiming to become a major producer of lithium products.

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