# Kingsgate Consolidated Limited

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# Gold producer and developer

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# **Kingsgate Today**

New York ▲ ASX Listed : Market Cap ~A\$150 million Service Portfolio: **Chatree Gold Mine (Thailand)** ~130,000ozpa K Nueva Esperanza (Chile) - 1.9Moz GEO resource K Challenger Gold Mine – nearing end of life but options Sowdens - silver and zinc leverage

5000 Kilometres

# Why Kingsgate?

A renewal and re-focus
 New CEO
 Back to basics approach

Our success and focus is epithermal gold in the Pacific Rim
 We are in big mineralised systems
 World class mine – Chatree in Thailand
 Flagship project – Nueva Esperanza in Chile
 The plan is to grow from these two beachheads
 Core capabilities are explore, develop and produce

Current Strategy
Socus, deliver and create

# Why South America?

**K** Highly prospective

- S Produces more gold than Australia
- **K** Hosts bonanza gold mines
- Solution Delivered new world class gold/silver discoveries in last 10 to 15 years

Kigh value – bonanza epithermal deposits
 Chile - El Penon, 452Koz GEO\* in 2014
 Argentina - Cerro Negro, 425 to 475Koz GEO\* in 2015
 Argentina - CVSA, 246Koz gold in 2014
 Ecuador - FDN, 9.8Moz at 8.5g/t

High value bulk tonnage gold mines
 Yanacocha (Peru) peak year, 3.3Moz gold in 2005
 Lagunas Norte (Peru ) – 600 to 650koz in 2015

\* Gold Equivalent Ounces (GEO)

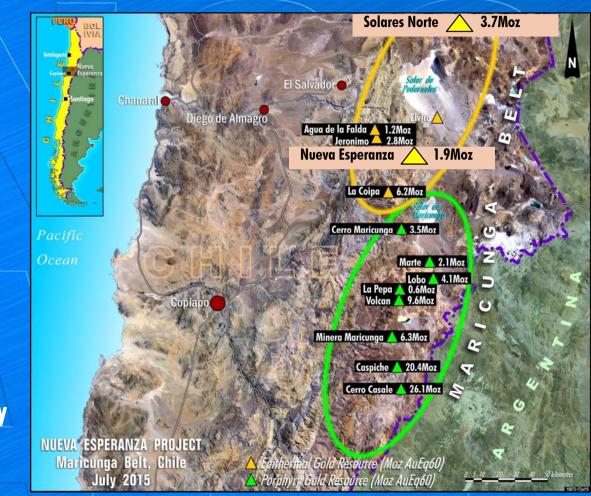
# Chile & the Maricunga Belt

### Chile

Favoured mining investment destination,
 Ranked 13 in Fraser Institute survey
 Worlds largest copper producer
 Ranked 14 in global gold production

### Maricunga Belt

 Defined total resources of ~100Moz
 Epithermal gold styles in the north
 We believe Nueva Esperanza is potentially a +5Moz GEO\* system



Esperanza system is located in the northern Maricunga gold belt characterised by high sulphidation epithermal gold-silver systems such as La Coipa, Elvira and Salares Norte

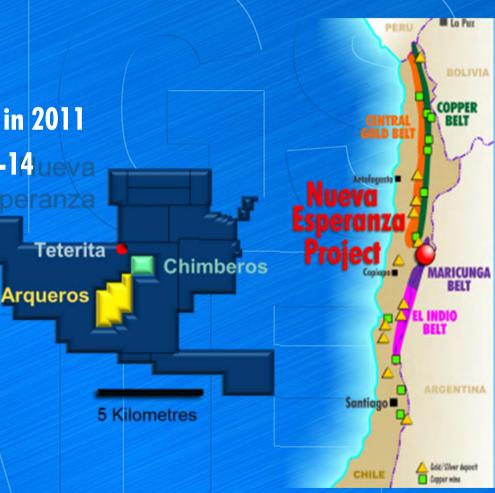


# Flagship project - Nueva Esperanza, Chile (100%)

## **K** History

Kistoric bonanza silver production
 Consolidation of tenements and resources in 2011
 Extensive feasibility work completed 2012-14 ueva
 Several process routes considered

Breakthroughs
 Gold discovery at Chimberos
 Lower capex/opex environment
 Structural shift to lower power costs

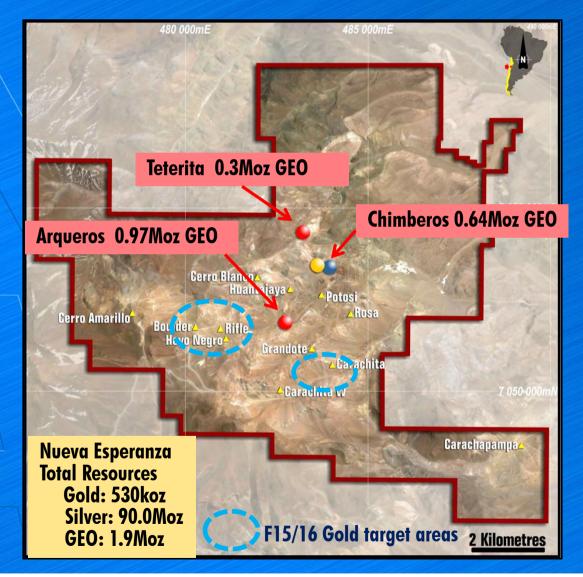


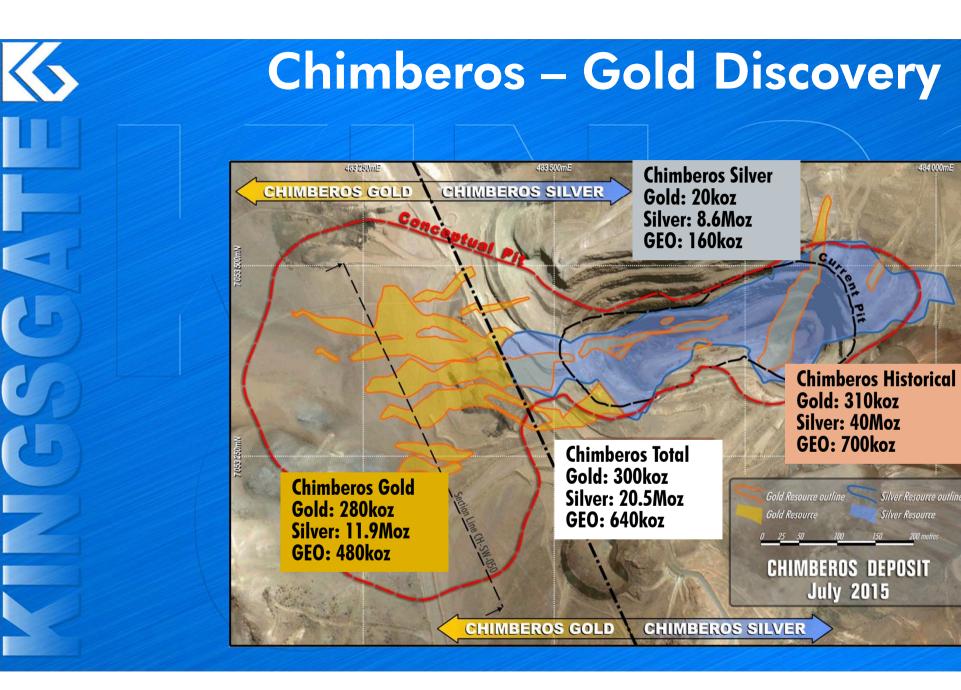
# Nueva Esperanza – FY15 achievements

Discovery of Chimberos Gold
 Mineral Resources increased 21%

to 34.6Mt at 1.7g/t AuEq60 for 1.9Moz gold equivalent

Identified high potential gold targets for follow-up.





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# Nueva Esperanza – What we have $\sqrt{100\%}$ ownership **Favourable mining investment jurisdiction** Skills to explore, build, operate **Inventory of 1.9Moz GEO** Significant feasibility level work completed Initial permitting in place Water rights secured Power options available Identified gold potential

# Nueva Esperanza – FY16 Plan

We are updating economics with an Optimisation study :

Solution Design parameters around 2 Mtpa milling and agitated leach;
 Indicative capital and operating cost estimates;
 Updated Ore Reserves; and,
 Relevant information to modify existing permits.

Submit permit amendments Explore high potential gold targets

Progress in a cost efficient manner to de-risk and maximise value



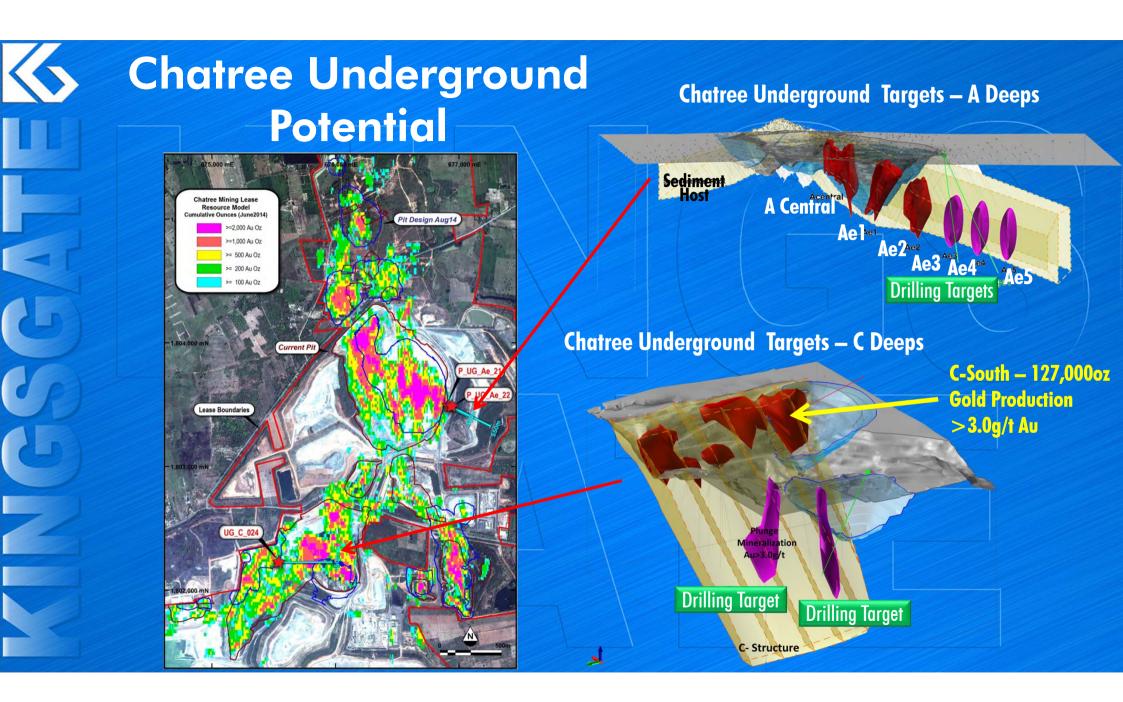
# World class mine – Chatree, Thailand (100%)

### Proven track record

Source Discovered, developed, expanded
 Highly efficient mining of low grade epithermal gold
 Produced over 1.6Moz gold
 Outstanding safety and environmental record

Exploration Opportunities Underground potential within current mining leases <u>Exploration lease extensions and satellites</u> Thailand Bangkok =

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# **Thailand - Expectation of change**

### **Opportunity** – exploration option value

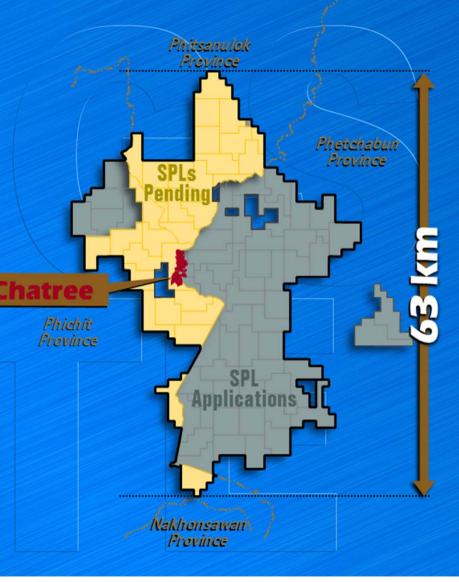
First mover advantage

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Highly prospective areas near mine and greenfields opportunities under application

# New policies – longstanding impediments being removed Moratorium on granting licences since 2008 Permitting for industry is moving New permits issued for non-gold exploration The Gold Policy nearing finalisation DPIM anticipates 177 licence applications and 107 permit applications to be considered in 2016





# Challenger, Australia (100%)

One million ounce production history Solution Tenacity and good exploration has delivered

Delivered on costs in the past 2 years
S Unit cost reductions greater than 30%
S A cash contributor in FY15

Nearing the end of current reserve life Current reserves exhausted in Mar Qtr 2016 Significant Mineral Resources remain Investigating exploration and value options



# **Bowdens – Size and Leverage**

Large Mineral Resource
 134Moz silver & 255k tonnes of zinc
 Significant feasibility level work completed
 Cyclical option value to silver and zinc
 Reassess the way forward



# Solution State - The investment opportunity

Flagship Project in Nueva Esperanza – 1.9Moz GEO
De-risk, add value and advance towards development

Core Capabilities In-house Explore, develop, build and operate

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Manage Assets and Opportunities in Current Volatile Market
Continue to focus on maximising shareholder returns

# Kingsgate Consolidated Limited

Listed: ASX Code : KCN Shares: 224 Million Market Cap: ~A\$150M

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# **Corporate Profile**

### **Market Summary**

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### **Substantial Shareholders**

6	Van Eck (Market Vectors) (US)	6.7%
6	Resource Capital Funds (US)	6.0%
6	<b>Diversified Fund Entities</b>	5.0%

### **Board of Directors**

<u></u>	Ross Smyth-Kirl
<u></u>	Peter Alexander
<b>S</b>	Peter McAleer
<u>K</u>	Sharon Skeggs
<b>1</b>	Peter Warren

### Chairman **Non-Exec Director Non-Exec Director Non-Exec Director Non-Exec Director**

**Executive Management Greg Foulis** <u>(</u> **Tim Benfield** 6 **Ross Coyle**  $\mathbf{\overline{\mathbf{S}}}$ **Joel Forwood** 6 6 **Ron James** 

**Chief Executive Officer Chief Operating Officer Chief Financial Officer GM Corporate & Markets GM Exploration & Resources** 

# Appendix

### **Competent Persons Statement:**

The information in this report that relates to exploration results and data quality is based on and fairly represents information compiled by Mr Ron James who is a member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and a full time employee of Kingsgate Consolidated Limited. Mr James 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'. Mr James consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on his information in this report that relates to mineral resource estimation for Arqueros and Teterita is based on and fairly represents work compiled by Mr Jonathon Abbott who is a full-time employee of MPR Geological Consultants Pty Ltd and a member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists. Mr Abbott is an independent consultant to Kingsgate Consolidated Limited and has sufficient experience which 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'. Mr Abbott consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on and fairly represents work compiled by Mr Jonathon Abbott who is a full-time employee of MPR Geological Consultants Pty Ltd and a member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists. Mr Abbott is an independent consultant to Kingsgate Consolidated Limited and has sufficient experience which 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'.

The information in this report that relates to mineral resource estimation for Chimberos is based on and fairly represents work compiled by Ms Maria Muñoz who is a member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and a full time employee of Kingsgate Consolidated Limited. Ms Muñoz has sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity that she 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'. Ms Muñoz consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on her information in the form and context in which it appears.

The information in this report that relates to ore reserves for Arqueros Chimberos and Teterita is based on and fairly represents work compiled by Mr Manuel A. Hernández who is a full-time employee of Coffey Chile and a Fellow of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr Hernández is an independent consultant to Kingsgate Consolidated Limited and has sufficient experience relevant to the type of mining under consideration and to the activity that 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'. Mr Hernández consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

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### Notes for Mineral Resource:

- 1. Rounding of figures may cause numbers to not add correctly.
- 2. Nueva Esperanza silver equivalent: AgEq  $(g/t) = Ag (g/t) + Au(g/t) \times 60$ .
- 3. Gold Equivalent: AuEq (g/t) = Au (g/t) + Ag (g/t)/60.
- 4. Calculated from long term historical prices for gold and silver and metallurgical recoveries of 70% Au and 75% Ag estimated from test work by Kingsgate.
- 5. It is the Company's opinion that all elements included in the metal equivalents calculation have a reasonable potential to be recovered and sold.
- 6. Although gold is not the dominant metal, gold equivalent values are reported to allow comparison with Kingsgate's other projects.

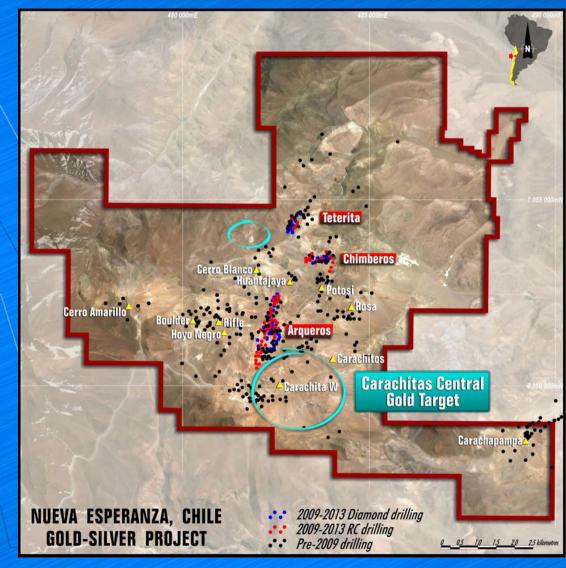
# **Carachitas Central – Primary Gold Target**

Follow-up 10m at 2.5g/t gold from 19m at 4,100mRL in hole ESCON-06.

Intense silica alteration (SI4) in ESCON-06 is similar to Chimberos Gold and extends for + 30m.

Sective target footprint

Limited drilling in prospect area.



# Chatree - A Social Licence to Operate . . .

### Asia's Showcase Gold Mine

Safety focussed gold mine – 10 years no safety incidents
 Zero Environmental Incidents
 ISO Standards on all activities
 Only mining company granted Social Accountability SA8000

Local Community Engagement \$\$81% of workforce from local area \$\$"Buy Thai" 85% sourced supplies \$\$Created local support industry \$\$Local support: water, schools, health

