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## Avonlea Raises Funds to Advance Namibian Exploration

Avonlea Minerals Limited ("Avonlea" or the "Company") is pleased to advise that it has received firm commitments to raise \$910,350 (before costs) enabling the Company to advance exploration activities on its highly prospective Exclusive Prospecting Licences in Namibia.

The Company will place 7,583,333 Ordinary Fully Paid Shares at an issue price of 12 cents each to Sophisticated and Institutional Investors. The Company will now move to finalise all outstanding matters in relation to the placement on an immediate basis.

Yours Faithfully



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