# **EURO RESSOURCES SA**

Independent auditor's report



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# Report on the audit of the financial statements

# **Our Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respect, the financial position of Euro Ressources as at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022 and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards.

#### What we have audited

The Company's financial statements comprise:

- Balance sheet;
- Income statement;
- Statement of comprehensive income;
- Cash flows statement;
- Statement of changes in Equity:
- Notes to financial statements.

# **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements* section of our report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

# Independence

We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards) issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants (IESBA Code) and the "Code de Déontologie des Commissaires aux Comptes" that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in France. We have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the IESBA Code and the ethical requirements of the "Code de Déontologie des Commissaires aux Comptes".

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#### **Key audit matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

#### Impairment of non-financial assets

(Notes 4.2, 4.3, 4.9 and 7 to the financial statements)

Euro Ressources' royalty assets include:

- The royalty right in respect of the Rosebel mine (hereafter "Rosebel"),
- The Net Smelter Returns ("NSR") production royalty on the Paul Isnard concessions (hereafter "Montagne d'Or"), and
- The right to 50% of the silver production on the Bombore Project (hereafter "Bombore").

The management assesses the carrying amounts of the royalty assets at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment (Rosebel and Bombore). An impairment test is also performed at year-end for the intangible Montagne d'Or.

The Company records an impairment loss if the carrying amount of these assets exceeds the recoverable amount which is determined based on several assumptions such as:

- The grant of the various required authorizations and permits,
- The estimate quantity of remaining gold or silver to be extracted (proven and probable reserves),
- The estimated future gold or silver prices,
- The estimated future rates of the US Dollars.

#### Rosebel

No indication of impairment had been identified by management as of December 31st, 2022.

#### Montagne d'Or

As described in Note 7 to the financial statements:

- Since 2019, the modalities of the technical and legal analysis of the Montagne d'Or project implementation create some uncertainties that could trigger the delivery of the authorization and permits, not yet obtained and required for developing the project. This situation could potentially affect the operational and financial capacities of the Montagne d'Or joint venture (Compagnie Minière Montagne d'Or) to go on with the project.
- In 2022, following international sanctions imposed by the United States on Nordgold, Orea announced that it had acquired Nordgold's 55.01% interest in the Montagne d'Or joint venture, thus becoming the sole shareholder of the project. This change in ownership created major uncertainties regarding the financing of the project (the necessary financing was to be provided by Nordgold and Orea did not have as at December 31, 2022 the financial resources to carry it out). These uncertainties have led Orea to fully impair its investment in the Montagne d'Or joint-venture in its latest published financial statements.

The Company considered that the events that occurred in 2022 questioned the viability of the project and its ability to generate future economic interest. Consequently, the Company has fully depreciated the value of its royalty asset at the end of the year. An impairment charge of €5,237,000 was recognized in the income statement for the year ended December 31, 2022.

# Orezone Bomboré Silver Metal Agreement

No indication of impairment had been identified by management as of December 31st, 2022.

We focused on these areas due to:

- the significant value of the assets, and
- the nature of the judgments and assumptions that management are required to make in determining whether there are any impairment triggers or any impairment charge to be recognized

# How our audit addressed the key audit matters

# Rosebel and Bomboré

We challenged the management's analysis of indication of impairment by:

- checking that the estimated quantity of gold/silver remaining to be extracted is greater than or
  equal to the remaining quantity subject to royalty per each contract agreement.
- comparing the management's gold/silver and US Dollars price forecasts with external analysis for the coming years.

We also assessed the information provided in the notes to the financial statements.

#### Montagne d'Or

We challenged the management's analysis leading to a full impairment of the asset right and assessed the information provided in the notes to the financial statements.

# Responsibilities of management and those charged with governance for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

# Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

• Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence considered to be sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit
  procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing
  an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used, and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, there is a requirement to draw attention in the audit report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are not provided or inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our audit report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including
  the disclosures, and assess whether these statements represent the underlying transactions
  and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

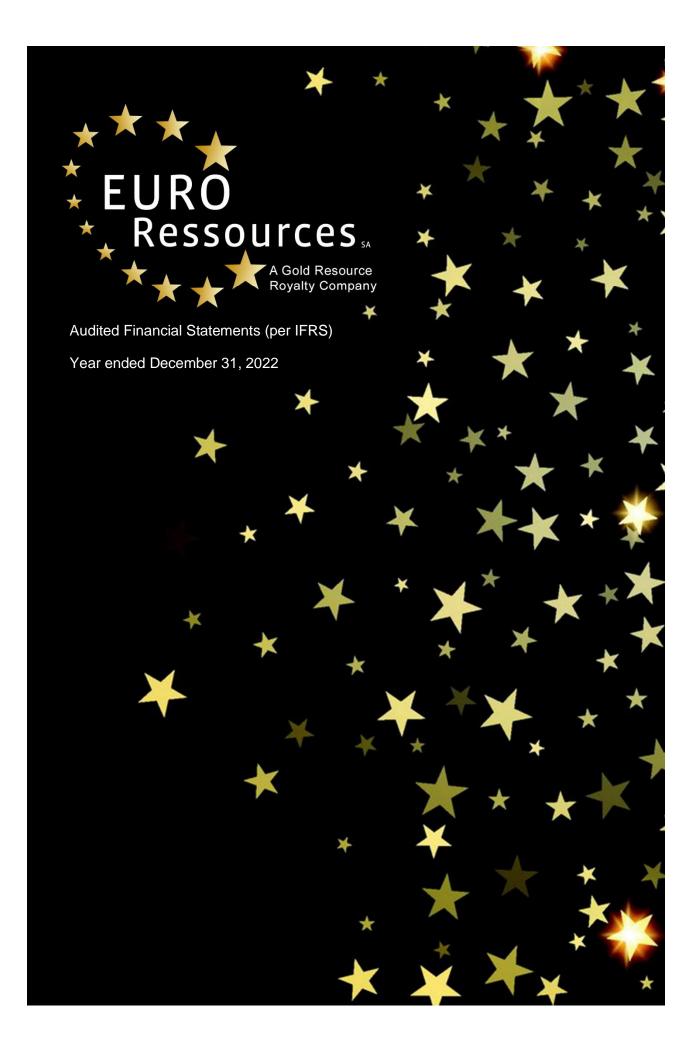
We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, actions taken to eliminate threats or safeguards applied.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

Neuilly-sur-Seine, February 23rd, 2023

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# Balance Sheets (In thousands of euros)

	Natas	Dec	cember 31,	Dec	ember 31, 2021
Non augrant accets	Notes	_	2022	_	
Non-current assets	7	€	10,792	€	15,838
Royalty assets	7		9,195		13,862
Marketable securities	8		1,597		1,976
Current assets			28,057		24,314
Trade receivables	9		6,687		3,526
Other current assets			15		18
Income tax receivable	12.3		_		403
Cash	10		21,355		20,367
Total assets		€	38,849	€	40,152
Equity		€	37,336	€	39,818
Share capital	11.1		625		625
Additional paid-in-capital	11.1		84		84
Other reserves			25,283		31,506
Net earnings for the period			11,344		7,603
Non-current liabilities			319		189
Deferred tax liabilities	12.2		319		189
Current liabilities			1,194		145
Trade payables and current liabilities			224		145
Income tax payable	12.3		970		-
Total equity and liabilities		€	38,849	€	40,152
Contingencies	18				

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these audited financial statements.

# Income Statements (In thousands of euros, except per share amount)

			Years ended				
			Decem	ber	31,		
	Notes		2022		2021		
Revenues	14,17	€	22,159	€	12,602		
Operating expenses	15		(639)		(667)		
Amortization expense	7		(320)		(174)		
Earnings from operations			21,200		11,761		
Impairment loss on investment of royalty interests	7		(5,237)		_		
Investment income			305		114		
Foreign exchange loss			(299)		(234)		
Net earnings before tax			15,969		11,641		
Income tax expense	12		(4,625)		(4,038)		
Net earnings		€	11,344	€	7,603		
Basic and diluted earnings per share (€share)	11.2	€	0.182	€	0.122		

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# **Statements of Comprehensive Income** (In thousands of euros)

				ended nber 31,			
	Note		2022		2021		
Net earnings		€	11,344	€	7,603		
Other comprehensive income							
Items that will not be reclassified to the income statement							
Net unrealized change in fair value of marketable securities, net							
of tax	8		(649)		(772)		
Currency translation adjustments			2,446		2,765		
Other comprehensive income			1,797		1,993		
Total comprehensive income		€	13,141	€	9,596		

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# **Cash Flow Statements**

(In thousands of euros)

			Years ended December 31,					
					·			
	Notes		2022		2021			
Operating activities								
Net earnings		€	11,344	€	7,603			
Elimination of items which do not have an impact on cash flow:								
Impairment loss on investment of royalty interests	7		5,237		-			
Amortization expense			320		174			
Foreign exchange loss			299		234			
Income tax expense			4,625		4,038			
Movements in non-cash working capital items	16		(2,895)		(437)			
Cash from operating activities before income tax paid			18,930		11,612			
Income tax paid			(3,270)		(2,458)			
Net cash flow from operating activities			15,660		9,154			
Financing activities								
Dividends paid	11.3		(15,623)		(15,623)			
Investing activities								
Acquisition of royalty asset	7		-		(6,285)			
Unrealized impact from changes in foreign currency								
exchange rates on cash			951		1,625			
Increase (decrease) in cash			988		(11,129)			
Cash, beginning of the year			20,367		31,496			
Cash, end of the year		€	21,355	€	20,367			

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# Statements of Changes in Equity (In thousands of euros)

		Share capital	Α	dditional paid-in capital	Fair value reserve	Currency translation adjustments		Retained earnings		J		earnings for		Tot	al equity
Balance as of															
December 31, 2021	€	625	€	84 €	(2,511)	€	5,715	€	28,302	€	7,603	€	39,818		
Appropriation of 2021 profit		-		-	-		-		7,603		(7,603)		-		
Position as of December 31,															
2021 after appropriation of															
profit		625		84	(2,511)		5,715		35,905		-		39,818		
Dividends (note 11.3)		-		-	-		-		(15,623)		-		(15,623)		
Total comprehensive income		-		-	(649)		2,446		-		11,344		13,141		
Balance as at															
December 31, 2022	€	625	€	84 €	(3,160)	€	8,161	€	20,282	€	11,344	€	37,336		

		Share capital	Additional paid-in capital		Fair value reserve	Currency translation adjustments		Retained earnings			Net rnings for ne period	Total equity		
Balance as of														
December 31, 2020	€	625	€	84 :	€	(1,739)	€	2,950	€	29,962	€	13,963	€	45,845
Appropriation of 2020 profit		-		-		-		-		13,963		(13,963)		-
Position as of December 31,														
2020 after appropriation of														
profit		625		84		(1,739)		2,950		43,925		-		45,845
Dividends (note 11.3)		-		-		-		-		(15,623)		-		(15,623)
Total comprehensive income		-		-		(772)		2,765		-		7,603		9,596
Balance as at														
December 31, 2021	€	625	€	84 :	€	(2,511)	€	5,715	€	28,302	€	7,603	€	39,818

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these audited financial statements.

# **Notes to Financial Statements**

(Amounts in notes are in euros, and tabular amounts are in thousands of euros, except where otherwise indicated.)

# 1) Corporate information

EURO Ressources S.A. ("EURO" or the "Company") is a *Société Anonyme*, domiciled in metropolitan France with its registered office located in Paris. EURO is a listed company in France who does not prepare consolidated financial statements.

As at December 31, 2022, IAMGOLD France S.A.S. ("IAMGOLD France"), an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of IAMGOLD Corporation ("IAMGOLD"), owned 90% of all issued and outstanding shares of EURO and 94.38% of the voting rights of EURO (note 11.1). EURO's securities trade on the NYSE Euronext of Paris stock exchange under the symbol EUR.

Main assets are a royalty on the Rosebel gold mine production in Suriname (the "Rosebel royalty"), a royalty on the Paul Isnard concessions, a silver stream from a subsidiary of Orezone Gold Corporation ("Orezone") and marketable securities. The Rosebel royalty is payable by IAMGOLD using production information from Rosebel gold mine to calculate the royalty. On October 18, 2022, IAMGOLD announced that it had entered into a definitive agreement with Zijin Mining Group Co. Ltd. ("Zijin") to sell its interests in Rosebel Gold Mines N.V. and the transaction closed on January 31, 2023. The existing royalty on Rosebel held by EURO will remain an obligation of IAMGOLD (see Subsequent event note). The royalty on the Paul Isnard concessions is a net smelter returns production royalty on future production of the Paul Isnard concessions and an area of interest surrounding the concessions in French Guiana. Orea Mining Corp. now holds a 100% interest in the Montagne d'Or project (see Royalty assets note). The silver stream entitles EURO to receive 50% of the payable silver production over the life of mine on Orezone's Bombore mine, located in Burkina Faso, West Africa.

# 2) Basis of preparation

#### 2.1) Statement of compliance

EURO's financial statements as and for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as approved by the International Accounting Standard Board ("IASB") to comply with Canadian requirements. In France, only French generally accepted accounting principles can be applied for establishment of individual accounts of listed companies.

These financial statements were prepared on a going concern basis. The significant accounting policies applied in these financial statements are presented in note 4 and have been consistently applied in each of the years presented except for the new accounting standards presented in note 3.

These financial statements have been approved for publication by the Board of Directors on February 23, 2023.

#### 2.2) Basis of measurement

Financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for items measured at fair value as discussed in note 13.

#### 2.3) Functional and presentation currencies

Financial statements of the Company are presented in Euros ("€" or "euros").

The functional currency of EURO is the United States dollars ("US\$"), determined on the basis of the economic environment in which the Company operates. The United States dollar is the currency in which major transactions of the Company, such as income from royalties and the related cash, are

denominated. Certain additional information are presented in these financial statements in United States dollars and in Canadian dollars ("C\$").

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies (€ and C\$) are converted into the Company's functional currency (US\$) on the basis of the spot exchange rates applying on the transaction dates. Foreign exchange gains and losses are related to the revaluation of bank accounts and other balance sheet accounts denominated in foreign currencies, and the revaluation and payment of dividends and income tax payable. Foreign exchange gains and losses are included in the income statements. Foreign exchange gains and losses related to deferred tax liabilities are included in the income tax expense.

Financial statements in United States dollars are then converted into euros as follows:

- Assets and liabilities are translated at the closing rate at the date of the balance sheet;
- Income and expenses for each significant transaction are translated at the exchange rate at the date of the transaction; otherwise an average rate for the period is used;
- When a gain or loss on financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income ("OCI"), is recognized in OCI, the translation differences are also recognized in OCI;
- Equity transactions are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction.

Translation adjustments arising from conversion of the financial statements into the presentation currency are recognized in other comprehensive income ("currency translation adjustments"). The currency exchange rate used to present the balance sheets in euros was €1 for US\$1.0694 at December 31, 2022 (€1 for US\$1.1.1377 as at December 31, 2021). The average currency exchange rate for the year ended December 31, 2022, used to present the Company's income statement, statement of comprehensive income and cash flow statement, was €1 for US\$1.0575 (2021: €1 for US\$1.1866). Significant transactions are translated at the exchange rate of the date of the transaction. The fluctuation in foreign exchange rates explains the currency translation adjustments in the statement of comprehensive income.

# 3) Adoption of new accounting standards

These financial statements, including comparatives, have been prepared following the same accounting policies and methods of computation as the annual audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2021.

# 4) Summary of significant accounting policies

# 4.1) Financial instruments

The Company recognizes financial assets and financial liabilities on the date the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instruments. A financial asset is derecognized either when the Company has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset or when cash flows expire. A financial liability is derecognized when the obligation specified in the contract is discharged, cancelled or expired. Certain financial instruments are recorded at fair value on the balance sheet. Refer to note 13 on fair value determination.

Non-derivative financial instruments are recognized initially at fair value plus attributable transaction costs, where applicable for financial instruments not classified as fair value through profit or loss. Subsequent to initial recognition, non-derivative financial instruments are classified and measured as described below.

#### 4.1.1) Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

The Company's investments in equity marketable securities are designated as financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income, and are recorded at fair value on the trade date with directly attributable transaction costs included in the recorded amount. Gains upon initial recognition are recorded in other comprehensive income. Subsequent changes in fair value are recognized in other comprehensive income.

#### 4.1.2) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Cash is classified as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss and is measured at fair value. The unrealized gains or losses related to changes in fair value are reported in other income in the income statement.

#### 4.1.3) Amortized cost

Trade receivables are classified as and measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method, less impairment losses, if any.

Trade receivables are initially recognized at their fair value which generally equates with their nominal amount. They are subject to impairment testing if any indication of impairment exists. Any excess of their carrying amount over their recoverable amount is recognized as an operating expense. A prior period impairment loss is tested for possible reversal of impairment whenever an event or change in circumstance indicates the impairment may have reversed. If it has been determined that the impairment has reversed, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to its recoverable amount to a maximum of the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognized in prior period. Impairment loss reversals are recognized as operating income.

#### 4.1.4) Non-derivative financial liabilities

Trade payables are accounted for at amortized cost, using the effective interest rate method.

# 4.2) Royalty assets

Royalty assets are recognized if it is probable that the expected future economic benefits associated with them will flow to the entity, and if their cost can be measured reliably.

Royalty assets are measured at cost, less accumulated amortization and accumulated impairment charges, if any. The Company's royalty assets comprise:

- the royalty right in respect of the Rosebel mine.
- the net smelter returns royalty on the Paul Isnard concessions, and
- the right to 50% of the silver production on the Bombore mine.

The amortization expense is calculated on a unit-of-production basis by applying to the carrying amount of the royalty asset on January 1 the ratio between the quantity of gold/silver extracted during the year and the total estimated quantity of gold/silver remaining to be extracted as of January 1. In accordance with IFRS, any material change in the estimated total amount of the mine's reserves impacting the estimated quantity of metal remaining gives rise to a prospective recalculation of the amortization schedule for the royalty asset.

#### 4.3) Impairment of royalty assets

The carrying amounts of the Company's royalty assets are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indicator exists, the Company performs an impairment review. If the carrying amounts of the royalty assets exceed its recoverable amount, an impairment loss is recorded.

The recoverable amount is determined based on the present value of estimated future cash flows from each royalty asset, which is calculated based on numerous assumptions such as proven and probable reserves, life of mine plans, and estimates of gold and silver prices, foreign exchange rates and discount rates. Management's assumptions and estimate of future cash flows are subject to risk and uncertainties, particularly in market conditions where higher volatility exists, and may be partially or totally outside of the Company's control. Therefore, it is reasonably possible that changes could occur with evolving economic conditions, which may affect the recoverability of the Company's royalty assets. If the Company fails to achieve its valuation assumptions or if any of its royalty assets experience a decline in their fair value, this may result in an impairment charge in future periods, which would reduce the Company's earnings.

An assessment is made at each reporting date to determine whether there is an indication that previously recognized impairment losses may no longer exist or have decreased. If it has been determined that the impairment has reversed, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to its recoverable amount to a maximum of the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognized in prior periods. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognized in the income statement.

# 4.4) Current and deferred income tax

Income tax expenses for the period comprise current and deferred income tax. Income tax expenses are recognized in the income statement, except to the extent that it relates to items recognized in other comprehensive income or directly in equity. EURO considers that the value added tax (Cotisation sur la Valeur Ajoutée des Entreprises ("C.V.A.E.")) is an income tax expense.

Current income tax assets and liabilities for the current and prior years are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities. Tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

Deferred income tax is recognized in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the balance sheet and its tax base. Deferred income tax liabilities are recognized for all taxable temporary differences, except where the deferred income tax liability arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit. Deferred income tax assets are recognized for all deductible temporary differences, and carry forward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses, to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, and the carry forward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses can be utilized, except when results from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss.

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the year when the asset is expected to be realized or the liability settled, based on tax rates and tax laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

A translation gain or loss will arise as the local tax currency is not the same at the functional currency. A deferred tax asset or liability is recognized on the difference between the carrying amount of the non-monetary assets and the underlying tax basis, translated to the functional currency using the current foreign exchange rate. Foreign exchange gains or losses related to deferred tax liabilities are included in income tax expense on the income statement.

There is no certainty that future income tax rates will be consistent with current estimates. Changes in tax rates increase the volatility of the Company's earnings.

# 4.5) Revenue recognition

The Company's main revenue stream is royalty income. Royalty revenue is recognized on an accrual basis, when the Company has reasonable assurance with respect to measurement and collectability. Royalties are payable based on volume of gold/silver production and the gold/silver price as determined by the corresponding royalty agreement with the owner of the royalty property. The unit of account considered for the accounting of royalty revenues is the ounce of gold/silver and not the right to a royalty itself.

# 4.6) Investment income

Investment income comprises interest income in respect of bank accounts.

#### 4.7) Earnings per share

The Company presents basic and diluted earnings per share data for its common shares. Basic earnings per share are calculated by dividing the net profit attributable to equity shareholders by the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the year.

#### 4.8) Segmented information

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision-maker. The chief operating decision-maker, who is responsible for assessing performance of the operating segments, has been identified as the Directeur Général who makes strategic decisions. The chief operating decision-maker considers the business from a product perspective. Only one segment has been identified, namely revenues from gold and silver mine royalties. Concerning information about geographical areas, two geographical areas have been identified, namely Canada and Burkina Faso. The Rosebel royalty emanates from Canada and accounts for almost 100% of the Company's operating revenues. The silver stream revenue emanates from Burkina Faso.

# 4.9) Significant accounting judgments, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Estimates and assumptions are continuously evaluated and are based on management's experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

Assumptions about the future and other major sources of estimation uncertainty at the end of the reporting period have a significant risk of resulting in a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities, within the next financial year. The most significant judgments and sources of estimation uncertainty that the Company believes could have a significant impact on the amounts recognized in its financial statements are mainly the valuation of royalty assets and provisions.

The mineral reserve and resource estimates are subject to uncertainty and actual results may vary from these estimates. Results from drilling, testing and production, as well as material changes in metal prices and operating costs subsequent to the date of an estimate, may justify revision of such estimates. The determination of the useful life of royalty assets, the measurement of the depreciation expense and the impairment analysis are impacted by the mineral reserves and resources estimates.

Judgments are required to determine if a present obligation exists at the end of the reporting period by considering all available evidence, including the opinion of experts. Refer to note 18.

#### 5) New accounting standards issued but not yet effective

Certain pronouncements have been issued by the IASB that are mandatory for accounting periods after December 31, 2022. There are currently no such pronouncements that are expected to have a significant impact on the Company's financial statements upon adoption.

#### 6) Management of financial risk

EURO is exposed to different types of financial risks:

- Market risk (principally the market price for gold and silver, marketable securities, and foreign currency risk),
- Credit risk, and
- Liquidity risk.

EURO monitors the volatility of financial markets and seeks to minimize the potentially unfavorable effects of that volatility for EURO's financial performance.

#### 6.1) Market risk

# 6.1.1) Gold/Silver price risk

EURO is exposed to the risk of changes in the market price of gold and silver.

The Rosebel royalty production in 2022 was 163,200 ounces. On October 18, 2022, IAMGOLD has entered into a definitive agreement with Zijin Mining Group Co. Ltd. to sell its 95% interest in Rosebel Gold Mines N.V. The transaction closed on January 31, 2023, and as such, no information on anticipated production for the year 2023 has been disclosed for the Rosebel royalty.

# 6.1.2) Foreign currency translation risk

The functional currency of EURO is the United States dollars ("US\$") and its financial statements are presented in euros. EURO is exposed to foreign currency translation risk arising from various currency exposures, primarily with respect to the euro. Most revenues are initially denominated in the US\$ functional currency. On the other side, the income tax expense is denominated in euros which is not the Company's functional currency. Accordingly, the largest foreign currency translation risk is related to income tax expense.

Years ended December 31			_		Exposure to currency translation
(In thousands of euros)	Total	US\$	€	C\$	risk %
Revenues	€ 22,159	€ 22,159	€ -	€ -	0%
Operating expenses	€ 639	€ 327	€ 245	€ 67	49%
Investment income	€ 305	€ 304	€ -	€ 1	0%
Income tax expense	€ 4,625	€ -	€ 4,625	€ -	100%

#### 6.2) Credit risk

EURO is subject to a concentrated credit risk with almost 100% of its revenues receivable from one source, namely the Rosebel royalty. This royalty is payable by one company, IAMGOLD. Management considers that in view of the financial standing and nature of IAMGOLD's continuing operating activities, the risk of loss is minimal.

# 6.3) Liquidity risk

Prudent management of liquidity risk requires the retention of adequate liquidity to meet expected expenditures and possible contingencies. EURO believes that its recurring operational income is adequate to cover spending requirements.

# 7) Royalty assets

	De	cember 31,			Т	ranslation	De	cember 31,
		2021		Movement	a	djustment		2022
<u>Costs</u>								
Rosebel <sup>1</sup>	€	13,494	€	-	€	863	€	14,357
Paul Isnard <sup>2</sup>		4,922	€	-		315		5,237
Bombore <sup>3</sup>		6,285	€	-		401		6,686
		24,701		-		1,579		26,280
Accumulated amortization								
Rosebel		(10,839)		(306)		(689)		(11,834)
Paul Isnard		-		(5,237)		-		(5,237)
Bombore		-		(14)		-		(14)
	€	13,862	€	(5,557)	€	890	€	9,195

	De	cember 31,			Т	ranslation	De	ecember 31,
		2020		Movement	а	djustment		2021
Costs								
Rosebel <sup>1</sup>	€	12,555	€	-	€	939	€	13,494
Paul Isnard <sup>2</sup>		4,580		-		342		4,922
Bombore <sup>3</sup>		-		6,285		-		6,285
		17,135		6,285		1,281		24,701
Accumulated amortization								
Rosebel		(9,916)		(174)		(749)		(10,839)
	€	7,219	€	6,111	€	532	€	13,862

The Rosebel royalty quarterly payments from IAMGOLD apply to the first seven million ounces of gold produced from the Rosebel mine and are calculated on the basis of gold production at the Rosebel mine and the market price of gold based on the Afternoon London Price. As of December 31, 2022, the Rosebel mine had produced approximately 5.7 million ounces of gold and 1.3 million ounces of gold remained under the Rosebel royalty agreement. The Rosebel royalty is calculated based on 10% of the excess gold market price above US\$300 per ounce for soft and transitional ore, and above US\$350 per ounce for hard rock ore, and, in each case, after deducting a fixed royalty of 2% of production paid in-kind to the Government of Suriname (see Subsequent Event note).

The net smelter returns production royalty covers future production of the Paul Isnard concessions and an area of interest surrounding the concessions in French Guiana. Royalty income will be calculated by applying the percentage of royalty to the net smelter returns royalty established based on revenues from the sale of gold calculated per the average monthly gold price (in United States dollars) less applicable deductions per the agreement. The royalty percentage is 1.8% on the first two million ounces of gold and 0.9% on the next three million ounces of gold.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The silver stream entitles to receive 50% of the payable silver production over the life of mine on Orezone's Bombore mine, located in Burkina Faso, West Africa. The silver stream also stipulates a minimum guaranteed delivery obligation of 37,500 ounces of silver per annum subject to a catch-up payment on a shortfall on specified timelines, until delivery of 375,000 ounces of payable silver after which the minimum annual payment guarantee will no longer apply. Orezone has the right to buy back 50% of the silver stream in certain circumstances for \$7.15 million.

#### Impairment of intangible assets

The carrying amounts of the Company's royalty are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment (significant decrease in proven and probable gold or silver reserves, decrease in the gold or silver price on the London Bullion Market, deterioration of the dollar exchange rate).

#### Rosebel mine

As at December 31, 2022:

- The proven and probable reserves of 2.4 million ounces of gold are greater than or equal to the remaining quantities to be extracted under the royalty agreement,
- The estimated average gold price of US\$1,650 per ounce of gold (based on the work performed by external financial institutions) for the remaining years of operation is higher than that used during the previous impairment test,
- The estimated average rate of the US dollar, estimated at a rate varying from US\$1.00 per euro to US\$1.15 per euro, over the years of operation has a favourable impact on the amount of the recoverable value initially determined.

Thus, no indication of impairment has been identified for the intangible assets relating to the Rosebel royalty as at December 31, 2022.

#### Montagne d'Or project (Paul Isnard royalty asset)

#### Historic

In 2019, the statements by the French Government regarding the Compagnie Minière Montagne d'Or, to which the Paul Isnard royalty is attached, have created some uncertainty around the delivery of the various authorizations and permits not yet obtained and required for developing the project, and can potentially affect the operational and financial capacities of the project. Failure to obtain operating permits would result in the need to depreciate in full the net book value of the assets relating to the Paul Isnard royalty.

On December 24, 2020, the Cayenne Administrative Court ordered the French State to extend the Montagne d'Or mining concessions within 6 months of the decision.

On February 3, 2021, the French Government announced that it was appealing the Administrative Court's decision to extend the Montagne d'Or mining concessions.

On July 22, 2021, Orea announced that the Administrative Court of Appeal in Bordeaux has rejected the French Government's appeal and request for a stay of execution of the court rulings of December 24, 2020. In its ruling, the Court of Appeal concluded that the arguments put forth by the French Government were without merit and that the joint venture submitted complete applications and met all requirements for the renewal of the mining concessions.

On October 7, 2021, Orea reported that it had received confirmation that the French Government had filed a final appeal to the French Supreme Court on the renewal of the Montagne d'Or mining titles.

#### Events in 2022 and 2023

On May 10, 2022, Orea reported that the French Supreme Court has admitted the final appeal of the French Government on the renewal of the Montagne d'Or project mining titles.

Orea also announced on June 13, 2022 a private placement to fund an action plan in response to the sanctions imposed by the United States on Nordgold.

On June 30, 2022, Orea reported that it has initiated negotiations with Nordgold to obtain its 55.01% interest (for a total of 100%) in the Montagne d'Or joint-venture.

On August 31, 2022, Orea reported that it has entered into a legally binding letter agreement with Nordgold to obtain its 55.01% interest in the Montagne d'Or joint-venture. The binding letter agreement becomes effective with, and is subject to, the approval of all applicable sanctions authorities. On September 13, 2022, Orea confirmed that the French Government responsible for overseeing matters related to Russian sanctions, has approved the proposed transaction with Nordgold.

On December 21, 2022, Orea published its financial statements as of September 30, 2022 in which the investment relating to the Montagne d'Or project is fully depreciated.

On January 4, 2023, Orea announced that it has signed a Definitive Agreement to acquire Nordgold's 55.01% interest in the Montagne d'Or joint-venture company ("HoldingCo"). Under the Definitive Agreement, Orea will only be obligated to pay Nordgold the amount of the transaction (C\$100 million) once it has received all permits and authorizations necessary for the construction, operation, production and related sales of a mine that produces a minimum of 100,000 ounces of gold per year. If Nordgold's shareholders are still under sanctions at the time of the CAN\$100 million payment, then the funds will only be processed in compliance with applicable sanction regulations, including being paid to a blocked bank account. The Definitive Agreement was signed with the approval of the French Treasury which is responsible for overseeing matters related to Russian sanctions.

Impairment indicators and assumptions used in the impairment test

As part of the impairment test performed as at December 31, 2022, the Company considered in particular:

- the historical uncertainties related to obtaining the various authorizations and permits necessary for Orea to continue this project,
- the change in shareholding that occurred during the year following the sanctions imposed on Nordgold and the major uncertainties regarding the financing of the project (the necessary financing had to be provided by Nordgold and to date, Orea does not have the financial resources to carry out the project),
- the fact that Orea has fully depreciated its investment in its last published annual accounts.

Thus, as at December 31, 2022, the Company considered that the events that occurred in 2022 questioned the viability of the project and its ability to generate future economic interest. Consequently, the Company has fully impaired the value of its royalty asset at the end of the year. An impairment charge of €5,237,000 was recognized in the income statement for the year ended December 31, 2022.

#### **Bombore mine**

As at December 31, 2022:

- The proven and probable reserves of 0.5 million ounces of silver are greater than or equal to the remaining quantities to be extracted under the royalty agreement,
- The estimated average silver price varying from US\$21 to US\$23 per ounce of silver (based on the work performed by external financial institutions) for the remaining years of operation is higher than that retained during the previous impairment test,
- The estimated average rate of the US dollar, estimated at a rate varying from US\$1.00 per euro to US\$1.15 per euro, over the years of operation has a favourable impact on the amount of the recoverable value initially determined.

Thus, no indication of impairment has been identified for the intangible assets relating to the silver production at the Bomboré mine as at December 31, 2022.

# 8) Marketable Securities

EURO holds marketable securities related to mining companies which are part of a volatile market. Share market price exposure risk is related to the fluctuation in the market price of marketable securities. Investments in marketable securities are recorded at fair value with changes in fair value recorded in other comprehensive income.

As at December 31, 2022, marketable securities comprised 19,095,345 shares of Orea Mining Corp. ("Orea") (8.8% of outstanding shares; December 31, 2021: 9.3%) and 3,819,069 shares of Allegiant Gold Ltd. ("Allegiant") (3.7% of outstanding shares; December 31, 2021: 4.9%).

		Years ended December 31,			
		2022		2021	
Balance, beginning of the year	€	1,976	€	2,988	
Change in fair value of marketable securities		(511)		(1,184)	
Translation adjustment		132		172	
Balance, end of the year	€	1,597	€	1,976	

Unrealized gains or losses related to the change in market price of marketable securities are recorded in accumulated other comprehensive income within equity.

		Years ended December 31,			
		2022		2021	
Net unrealized change in fair value of marketable securities, net of tax					
Change in fair value of marketable securities	€	(511)	€	(1,184)	
Income tax impact		(138)		412	
	€	(649)	€	(772)	

# 9) Trade receivables

		De	cember 31,	De	cember 31,
	Note		2022		2021
Trade receivables from IAMGOLD	17	€	6,617	€	3,526
Other trade receivables			70		-
		€	6,687	€	3,526

# 10) Cash

		ember 31, 2022	Dec	ember 31, 2021
Cash <sup>1</sup>	€	21,355	€	20,367

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Approximately 1% of EURO's available cash was held in euros as at December 31, 2022 (December 31, 2021: 1%).

# 11) Share capital

## 11.1) Common shares

	Number of shares	Nominal value per share	value Capital p per share c	
		per share)	of euros)	(In thousands of euros)
As at December 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021	62,491,281	€ 0.01	€ 625	€ 84

# **Voting rights**

Pursuant to Article 223-11, paragraph 2 of the AMF General Regulations, the total number of voting rights is calculated on the basis of all shares to which are attached voting rights, including shares deprived of voting rights. The number of voting rights is different from the number of outstanding shares due to the automatic granting of double voting rights to the shareholders holding registered shares since at least two years (application of article L. 225-123 of the French commercial code).

As at December 31, 2022, IAMGOLD France, an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of IAMGOLD, owned 90% of all issued and outstanding shares of EURO. As at December 31, 2022, IAMGOLD France held 56,242,153 shares representing 112,300,344 voting rights or 94.38% of the voting rights of EURO.

	December 31,	December 31,
	2022	2021
Total number of common shares	62,491,281	62,491,281
Double voting rights	56,500,973	56,469,116
Total number of voting rights	118,992,254	118,960,397

# 11.2) Earnings per share

#### Basic earnings per share computation

	Years ended December 31,			
	<b>2022</b> 2021			2021
Net earnings attributable to holders of common shares	€	11,344	€	7,603
Basic and diluted weighted average number of common shares		62,491,281		62,491,281
Basic and diluted earnings per share attributable to holders of				
common shares	€	0.182	€	0.122

# Diluted earnings per share computation

The double voting rights do not have a dilutive effect on the earnings per share computation.

# 11.3) Dividends

The amount of distributable dividends is based on the annual financial statements prepared in accordance with French generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP).

		Years Decem		
		<b>2022</b> 2021		
Dividends paid June 9, 2022 <sup>1</sup>	€	15,623	€	-
Dividends paid June 10, 2021 <sup>2</sup>		-		15,623
	€	15,623	€	15,623

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The annual ordinary general meeting of shareholders held May 18, 2022 approved dividends in the amount of €15.623,000 (€0.25 per share) which were paid to the Company's shareholders on June 9, 2022.

#### 12) Income tax

#### 12.1) Income tax expense

The income tax expense differs from the amount that would have been computed by applying the income tax rate for corporations in France. In 2022, the income tax rate applicable to profit before income tax was of 25% as well as an additional social contribution tax of 3.3% applied to the tax rate. In 2021, the income tax rate applicable to profit before income tax was of 26.5% as well as an additional social contribution tax of 3.3% applied to the tax rate.

The reasons for the differences are as follows:

		Years ended December 31,		
		2022		2021
Earnings before income tax	€	15,969	€	11,641
Theoretical tax calculated at the income tax rate for corporations in				
France	€	4,125	€	3,186
Tax effects of C.V.A.E. (value added tax) <sup>1</sup>		103		57
Deferred income tax and related foreign exchange		(18)		147
Other		415		648
Income tax expense	€	4,625	€	4,038

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Value added tax (Cotisation sur la Valeur Ajoutée des Entreprises "C.V.A.E.").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The annual ordinary general meeting of shareholders held May 19, 2021 approved dividends in the amount of €15,623,000 (€0.25 per share) which were paid to the Company's shareholders on June 10, 2021.

The income tax expense is made up of the following components:

		Years Decem		
		2022		2021
Current income tax expense	€	4,643	€	3,891
Deferred income tax and related foreign exchange		(18)		147
Income tax expense	€	4,625	€	4,038

# 12.2) Deferred tax liabilities

Deferred tax liabilities pertain to temporary differences, mostly due to changes in market price of marketable securities, the value added tax and translation adjustment. There are no tax losses carried forward. Movements related to the deferred tax liabilities are as follows:

		Years ended December 31,		
		2022		2021
Balance, beginning of the year	€	189	€	434
Deferred income tax charge (recovery) relating to changes in fair				
value of marketable securities (other comprehensive income)		137		(412)
Deferred income tax charge (recovery) related to the origination				
and reversal of other temporary differences		(279)		(37)
Translation adjustment		272		204
Balance, end of the year	€	319	€	189

The components that give rise to deferred income tax liabilities are as follows:

	December 31	, De	ecember 31,
	2022		2021
Marketable securities	€ 4	€	(160)
Royalty assets	301		342
Other	14		7
Deferred tax liabilities	€ 319	€	189

# 12.3) Income tax receivable (payable)

	Years ended December 31,			
		2022		2021
Balance, beginning of the year	€	403	€	1,836
Current income tax expense		(4,643)		(3,891)
Income tax paid		3,270		2,458
Balance, end of the year	€	(970)	€	403

# 13) Fair value measurements

The fair value hierarchy categorizes into three levels the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The fair value hierarchy gives the highest priority to quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 inputs) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 inputs).

- Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date.
- Level 2 inputs are inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly such as derived from prices.
- Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

There have been no changes in the classification of financial instruments in the fair value hierarchy since December 31, 2021.

# 13.1) Assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis

As at December 31, 2022, the Company's following assets were recorded at fair value as follows.

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Marketable securities	€ 1,597	-	-	€ 1,597
Cash	€21,355	-	-	€21,355

#### 13.2) Valuation techniques

Marketable securities

The fair value of marketable securities included in Level 1 is determined based on a market approach. The closing price is a quoted market price from the exchange market that is the principal active market for that particular security.

#### 14) Revenues

	Years ended December 31,			
	2022		2021	
Royalties related to the operation of the Rosebel gold mine	€	22,086	€	12,602
Revenues from the silver stream of the Bombore mine		73		-
	€	22,159	€	12,602

# 15) Operating expenses

		Years ended December 31,			
	2022	2022		2021	
Administrative costs	€	134	€	222	
Directors' fees (including withholding taxes)		208		113	
Audit fees		102		83	
Legal fees		72		141	
Exchange and listing fees		123		108	
	€	639	€	667	

# 16) Movements in non-cash working capital items

	Years ended December 31,		
		2022	2021
Change in trade receivables and other current assets	€	(2,965)	€ (396)
Change in trade payables and other current liabilities		70	(41)
	€	(2,895)	€ (437)

# 17) Related party transactions

Revenues from royalties related to the Rosebel mine during 2022 were €22,086,000 compared to €12,602,000 during 2021. The related amount receivable at December 31, 2022 was €6,617,000 (December 31, 2021: €3,526,000) and was included in trade receivables.

During 2022, the Company accounted for IAMGOLD's support fees totalling €85,000 (2021: €73,000). These charges are included in administrative costs in operating expenses. The related amount payable at December 31, 2022 was €7,000 and was included in trade payables and other current liabilities (December 31, 2021: €6,000).

During 2022 and 2021, each independent director of the Company received an annual gross retainer of US\$21,428, an additional gross US\$1,339 per meeting attended, and gross US\$1,071 for each meeting of a committee of the Board of Directors attended. Additionally, in 2022, the three independent directors received an exceptional gross compensation of US\$30,000 for one of them and US\$25,000 for two of them, for a special mandate. The total compensation accounted to these directors during the year was as follows:

		Years ended December 31,			
	2022	202	21		
Susanne A. Hermans	72		38		
David H. Watkins	€ 68	€	38		
Ian Smith	68		37		
	€ 208	€	113		

None of EURO's other directors received any directors' fees during 2022 and 2021.

# 18) Provisions for litigation claims and regulatory assessments

By their nature, contingencies will only be determined when one or more future events occur or fail to occur. The assessment of contingencies inherently involves the exercise of significant judgment and estimates of the outcome of future events.

The Company may be subject to assessments by regulatory authorities which can be complex and subject to interpretation. Assessments may relate to matters such as income and other taxes. The Company is diligent and exercises informed judgment to interpret the provisions of applicable laws and regulations as well as their application and administration by regulatory authorities to reasonably determine and pay the amounts due. From time to time, the Company may undergo a review by the regulatory authorities and in connection with such reviews, disputes may arise with respect to the Company's interpretations about the amounts due and paid.

Legal advisors and other subject matter experts assess the potential outcome of litigation and regulatory assessments. Accordingly, the Company establishes provisions for future disbursements considered probable.

A provision is booked when (i) the Company has a present legal or constructive obligation towards a third party as a result of a past event, (ii) it is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation, and (iii) the amount of the obligation can be estimated reliably.

As at December 31, 2022, the Company did not have any provisions for litigation claims or regulatory assessments as there are no claim or assessment pending.

# 19) Subsequent event

On October 18, 2022, IAMGOLD announced that it has entered into a definitive agreement with Zijin Mining Group Co. Ltd. to sell its 95% interest in Rosebel Gold Mines N.V. for cash consideration of \$360 million. The transaction closed on January 31, 2023.

The existing royalty on Rosebel held by EURO will remain an obligation of IAMGOLD. The Royalty payments will continue to be paid by IAMGOLD on a quarterly basis, based on gold production reports provided to IAMGOLD by Zijin.