



# Russell leads Uranium SA

Uranium SA's Russel Bluck has been appointed executive chairman as he leads the company into explorations and mining works at Mullaquana.

Mr Bluck has been a regular visitor to Whyalla throughout the past few years when Uranium SA first started exploration works.

Outgoing chairman Tom Phillips will take up the role of non-executive director.

Mr Phillips said over the past year the company has built a new unproven uranium discovery at Mullaquana into a significant and continually growing asset of uranium mineralisation.

He said moves towards production would be made in the year ahead.

"UraniumSA from its formation has operated on the basis that exploration is a business and this approach has been fundamental to our success as a junior exploration company," Mr Phillips said.

"The company is now rapidly evolving from successful explorer into a project developer and it has a clear pathway to become a yellowcake producer.

"The success we have achieved so far has been made possible by just a small group of employees and we would not be in the position we are

today without the dedication and work ethic of our field team - the drillers, geotechnician, geologist, field hands, our administration team and of our management group."

He said the board knew that generational and structural change was required to ensure that progression through development and into production was successful.

"Hovering above all this has been the incredible drive and skill of our chief executive officer Russel Bluck," Mr Phillips said.

"As with any company, our people are our most valuable asset."



**LEAD:** Uranium SA's Russel Bluck has been appointed the new executive chairman of the company. Pictured with the initial samples at Mullaquana in 2008.