



**ASX Announcement**  
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## Further Meekatharra Gold Operations Update

Westgold Resources Limited (**ASX:WGX**) (**Westgold**) refers to its announcement of 8 October 2019 and advises that due to continued issues with the bearing on the SAG mill at its Bluebird Plant at its Meekatharra Gold Operations (**MGO**) recommencement of ore processing is yet to occur. A completely new bearing is being manufactured and is expected to be available for fitting late next week.

Whilst this is impacting ore processing for MGO, it does not impact mining activities and ore stocks are continuing to build. Westgold has commenced trucking some of its higher grade ores from MGO to its Tuckabianna Mill at its Cue Gold Operations to offset the production losses. Further, the Bluebird process circuit is currently being amended to bypass the SAG mill and operate the ball mills in series. It is expected that the plant will be able to recommence processing at a reduced rate (60-80 tonnes per hour) in the coming days. This will mitigate further production loss whilst the SAG mill repairs are completed which are now expected by the end of next week.

At this stage Westgold believes this further delay will have minimal additional impact on its December quarter gold output for MGO.

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