



## Congo Royalty Rates for Lithium Unchanged

### Highlights

- Government of the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) announces review of royalty rates
- Cobalt is amongst 3 commodities designated as “Strategic Mineral Resource”
- Lithium royalty rates unchanged

**AVZ Minerals Limited** (ASX: AVZ) advised that on 24<sup>th</sup> November 2018, the Prime Minister and Mines Minister of the DRC declared Cobalt, Coltan and Germanium as “Strategic Mineral Resource”.

Under the executed decree, the strategic minerals will attract a royalty rate of 10%, up from 3.5%.

Lithium was not included in this ruling and the royalty rates for lithium remains unchanged.

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### Issued Capital

1,888 M Ordinary Shares

### Market Cap

\$152 M

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