

CORRECTION - Verde AgriTech Announces District Scale High-Grade Magnetic Rare Earths Discovery in Minas Gerais, Brazil

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SINGAPORE, Oct. 06, 2025 - In a release issued under the same headline earlier today by [Verde AgriTech Ltd.](#) (TSX: NPK | OTCQX: VNPKE), please note: we updated the Appendix table to correct a presentation alignment. The column headings list the individual oxides in alphabetical order, followed by TREO and MREO; the data had appeared in the reverse order, which misaligned values with their headings. This update does not change the underlying assays or calculations. No changes were made to TREO, MREO, or individual rare earth element totals or interpretations; the update is limited to table alignment. The corrected Appendix follows. All other content remains unchanged.

Continuous clay-hosted REE mineralised zone outlined.

High-grade NdPr-rich samples return up to 8,930 ppm TREO and 2,182 ppm MREO.

22 samples return > 1,000 ppm MREO

Verde AgriTech Ltd. (TSX: NPK | OTCQX: VNPKE) ("Verde" or the "Company"), announces the delineation of a continuous clay hosted rare earth element ("REE") mineralized zone ("the Zone") in Alto Paranaíba, Minas Gerais, Brazil, covering ~5,500 hectares (or ~20 square miles) across 13 mineral rights. The Zone was delineated by integrated geological mapping, geochemistry and spectral/geophysical datasets, and confirmed by trench sampling.

Exploration Highlights:

- High-grade magnet rare earth tenor across a broad sample base: 75 surface/trench samples average magnetic rare earth oxides ("MREO") 743 ppm, with 54/75 >400 ppm, 22/75 >1,000 ppm and 7/75 >1,500 ppm MREO.
- Total rare earths at meaningful surface tenor: Total rare earth oxides ("TREO") averages 3,532ppm, median 3,148, with peak assays up to 8,930 ppm and 2,182 ppm MREO.
- Heavy rare earths confirmed: Top 10 MREO samples carry dysprosium oxide ~35-60 ppm and terbium oxide ~8-13 ppm, reinforcing high coercivity magnet potential alongside NdPr (see Table 1).
- Magnet critical balance: Neodymium and praseodymium (NdPr) typically contribute on average ~19% of TREO within the samples tested, peaking at 24%, with dysprosium and terbium present in higher grade samples - supportive of high coercivity magnet feed.
- Near-term catalyst: Given the significance of the discovery and potential economics, Verde's Board of Directors is conducting a formal review and will communicate next steps within seven days.

"This discovery demonstrates a rare earth mineralized zone of considerable size and coherence across our mineral rights. The combination of TREO and MREO enrichment highlights a compelling growth opportunity," commented Cristiano Veloso, Founder and CEO. "We are now preparing to advance the project through a Board review to identify the best path forward to unlocking the project's full potential."

Table 1: Top 10 samples by MREO (incl. TREO, Nd, Pr, Dy, Tb)

Channel	From	To	UTMN	UTME	Oxide Total Grade (ppm)					
					TREO	MREO	Dy2O3	Nd2O3	Pr6O11	Tb4O7

PT-34	1	2	7841160.46	384496.15	8615	2182	60	1644	464	13
PT-34	0	1	7841160.46	384496.15	8930	2118	53	1592	461	12
PT-08	0	1	7863699.87	401672.16	8276	1816	48	1330	428	11
PT-12	0	1	7871455.52	404413.96	7669	1705	46	1251	398	10
PT-18	1	2	7865477.78	404446.44	7202	1676	46	1231	389	10
PT-36	0	1	7845380.34	384873.08	7181	1593	37	1198	350	9
PT-21	1	2	7867642.38	405141.50	7250	1507	49	1102	347	10
PT-45	0	1	7856478.40	382570.77	6418	1372	37	1026	300	8
PT-05	0	1	7862246.40	401300.48	6161	1327	35	972	313	8

MREO-dominated by NdPr, with contributions from Dy and Tb-is the core feedstock for high performance permanent magnets used in EV drivetrains, wind turbines and advanced electronics. A coherent, near surface footprint with consistent NdPr tenor is a key early indicator for scale and relevance in the REE value chain.

Beyond the strong NdPr tenor, Verde's assays demonstrate consistent enrichment in the heavy rare earths dysprosium (Dy) and terbium (Tb) that underpin high temperature, high coercivity magnets. In the 10 highest grade MREO trench samples (1,306-2,182 ppm MREO; 6,081-8,930 ppm TREO), dysprosium oxide ranges 35-60 ppm and terbium oxide 8-13 ppm, with standout samples at trench PT-34 pairing >2,100 ppm MREO with dysprosium oxide 53-60 ppm and terbium oxide 12-13 ppm. This persistent Dy/Tb presence alongside elevated NdPr strengthens the overall magnet rare earth basket quality.

The 13 mineral claims are held by Verde and overlap with the Company's potash resources, which have been a part of the portfolio for more than a decade.

Figure 1: Map of the Mineralized Zone

Board Review and Next Steps

Given the significance of this discovery and its potential economics-and mindful of Verde's primary mission as a fertilizer company-the Board of Directors has initiated a formal review to determine the optimal path forward, balancing disciplined capital allocation with strategic alternatives, including targeted drilling, staged evaluation, partnerships, or other structures that preserve focus on core operations while maximizing value. As part of this process, the Board welcomes shareholder feedback through the Company's investor relations channels and expects to issue a comprehensive update and go forward plan within the next seven days (on or before October 13, 2025).

Qualified Person

The scientific and technical information contained in this news release has been reviewed and approved by José Márcio Matta Machado Paixão, Fellow AusIMM, who is a Qualified Person for exploration results under *National Instrument 43-101, Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects*.

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Analyses were performed by SGS Geosol (Vespasiano, Brazil) using lithium-borate fusion with ICP-MS/OES (IMS95A/ICP95A method). The QA/QC program inserted 3 blanks, 3 certified reference materials (CRMs) and 3 field duplicates among 84 total submissions. Relative to the 75 primary samples (SMP), control insertion equates to 12% (each control type 4% vs. SMP count). Analytical performance was monitored using Ce, Dy, La, Nd, Pr, and Y, consistent with JORC-aligned practice.

This news release presents exploration results and does not constitute a mineral resource or reserve estimate. Forward-looking statements are subject to risks and uncertainties, and actual results may differ materially.

About Verde AgriTech

Verde AgriTech is dedicated to advancing sustainable agriculture through the innovation of specialty multi nutrient potassium fertilizers. Our mission is to increase agricultural productivity, enhance soil health, and significantly contribute to environmental sustainability. Utilizing our unique position in Brazil, we harness proprietary technologies to develop solutions that not only meet the immediate needs of farmers but also address global challenges such as food security and climate change. Our commitment to carbon capture and the production of eco-friendly fertilizers underscores our vision for a future where agriculture contributes positively to the health of our planet. For more information on how we are leading the way towards sustainable agriculture and climate change mitigation in Brazil, visit our website: <https://verde.ag/en/home>.

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This news release contains "forward-looking information" within the meaning of applicable Canadian securities legislation, including, but not limited to, statements with respect to: the significance of exploration results; the potential for economic extraction of rare earth elements; future exploration and development plans; the outcome of the Board of Directors' review; potential partnerships, strategic alternatives, or value-maximizing structures; the advancement of the project; and the expected timing of further updates. Forward-looking information is based on management's current expectations, assumptions, estimates, projections, and interpretations, and involves known and unknown risks, uncertainties, and other factors that may cause actual results or events to differ materially from those expressed or implied. These factors include, without limitation: risks related to exploration stage projects; the possibility that future exploration results may not support mineral resource or reserve delineation; uncertainties relating to assay and metallurgical results; operational risks inherent in mining; risks associated with maintaining licenses, permits and mineral rights; changes in laws, regulations and government policies; risks related to capital and operating costs; commodity price volatility; financing risks; and other risks described in the Company's most recent annual information form and other continuous disclosure filings available under the Company's profile at www.sedarplus.ca.

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Appendix

Sample ID	Trench_ID	From	To	UTMN	UTME	CeO2	Dy2O3	Er2O3	Eu2O3	Gd2O3	Ho2O3	La2O3	Lu2O3	Nb2O5
OB01	PT-01	0	1	7860136,93	399395,08	1139	16	6	13	32	2	451	1	35
OB02	PT-01	1	2	7860136,93	399395,08	1207	17	6	13	32	2	482	1	37
OB03	PT-01	2	3	7860136,93	399395,08	1141	16	5	13	30	2	451	1	34
OB04	PT-01	3	4	7860136,93	399395,08	1137	16	6	13	30	2	447	0	34
OB05	PT-02	0	1	7860008,24	399670,41	1478	18	6	18	39	3	619	1	49

OB06	PT-02	1	2	7860008,24	399670,41	1340	19	6	18	41	3	578	1	48
OB07	PT-02	2	3	7860008,24	399670,41	1063	14	5	12	28	2	435	0	35
OB08	PT-03	0	1	7860373,94	399292,90	574	9	4	7	17	1	260	0	19
OB09	PT-03	1	2	7860373,94	399292,90	699	10	4	8	18	1	293	0	22
OB10	PT-04	0	1	7860344,16	399720,84	1194	15	5	14	32	2	468	0	38
OB11	PT-04	1	2	7860344,16	399720,84	1311	16	5	15	35	2	516	0	42
OB12	PT-05	0	1	7862246,40	401300,48	3015	35	9	36	82	4	1436	1	97
OB13	PT-06	0	1	7863968,97	400492,10	2788	25	7	24	50	3	954	1	68
OB14	PT-07	0	1	7863592,35	401682,69	1331	16	5	14	32	2	502	0	39
OB15	PT-08	0	1	7863699,87	401672,16	4010	48	14	47	108	6	1904	1	13
OB16	PT-09	0	1	7863583,94	401415,28	1043	14	6	10	25	2	425	1	28
OB17	PT-10	0	1	7873694,77	404024,02	1487	12	4	11	24	2	543	1	35
OB18	PT-11	0	1	7871366,77	404423,65	2290	26	8	27	60	4	1064	1	79
OB19	PT-12	0	1	7871455,52	404413,96	3718	46	14	44	101	6	1717	1	12
OB20	PT-13	0	1	7871485,92	404344,32	2158	21	7	21	45	3	814	1	60
OB21	PT-14	0	1	7865827,87	403058,24	2971	37	11	35	78	5	1396	1	95
OB22	PT-15	0	1	7866820,89	404291,86	2167	27	9	24	57	4	798	1	68
OB26	PT-15	1	2	7866820,89	404291,86	1215	16	6	14	33	2	437	0	38
OB27	PT-16	0	1	7866556,86	404506,87	1327	16	6	14	32	2	522	1	38
OB28	PT-17	0	1	7866258,13	404800,78	809	12	5	9	22	2	337	1	24
OB29	PT-18	0	1	7865477,78	404446,44	3183	34	10	32	72	4	1339	1	88
OB30	PT-18	1	2	7865477,78	404446,44	3326	46	14	45	103	6	1670	1	12
OB31	PT-18	2	3	7865477,78	404446,44	2698	32	9	31	69	4	1263	1	86
OB32	PT-19	0	1	7865657,08	404535,96	2749	32	10	32	72	4	1244	1	86
OB34	PT-19	1	2	7865657,08	404535,96	2664	31	10	29	67	4	1238	1	80
OB37	PT-20	0	1	7865452,76	404324,04	2817	36	12	32	74	5	1259	1	88
OB38	PT-20	1	2	7865452,76	404324,04	2949	36	11	32	74	5	1261	1	88
OB39	PT-21	0	1	7867642,38	405141,50	3129	40	13	35	83	5	1336	1	95
OB40	PT-21	1	2	7867642,38	405141,50	3731	49	17	41	99	7	1456	1	11
OB41	PT-22	0	1	7867679,28	405045,33	1035	13	6	9	23	2	372	1	23
OB42	PT-23	0	1	7868499,58	405216,07	2555	34	10	33	74	4	1273	1	90
OB43	PT-24	0	1	7868992,10	405763,27	839	12	5	8	21	2	382	1	25
OB44	PT-25	0	1	7869012,94	405715,38	800	10	4	8	19	2	323	0	23
OB45	PT-26	0	1	7838552,42	385327,42	977	6	2	4	10	1	235	0	13
OB46	PT-27	0	1	7838674,70	385289,60	2577	11	4	7	20	2	514	0	23
OB47	PT-28	0	1	7840193,99	390174,29	296	2	2	1	3	0	58	0	33
OB48	PT-29	0	1	7840174,77	388865,51	394	4	2	2	5	1	112	0	61
OB49	PT-30	0	1	7839685,23	388198,79	940	5	3	2	6	1	152	1	73
OB50	PT-31	0	1	7839259,62	386861,33	675	3	2	1	3	1	66	0	36
OB51	PT-32	0	1	7839840,68	386591,94	763	3	2	1	4	1	107	0	49
OB52	PT-33	0	1	7841236,73	384705,43	1821	19	6	18	38	3	796	0	58
OB53	PT-34	0	1	7841160,46	384496,15	4083	53	15	54	126	7	2104	1	15
OB54	PT-34	1	2	7841160,46	384496,15	3636	60	17	57	135	8	2108	1	16
OB55	PT-35	0	1	7844181,84	382675,52	1669	18	6	17	40	3	673	1	54
OB56	PT-36	0	1	7845380,34	384873,08	3563	37	11	39	87	5	1570	1	11
OB57	PT-37	0	1	7846622,38	384552,66	387	6	4	3	8	1	145	1	95
OB58	PT-38	0	1	7846381,08	383737,97	648	7	4	4	9	1	199	1	11
OB59	PT-39	0	1	7845628,31	383624,11	1675	22	7	17	41	3	605	1	45
OB60	PT-40	0	1	7853691,01	385824,65	2321	23	7	21	49	3	887	1	65
OB61	PT-41	0	1	7853450,63	385544,70	402	8	3	3	10	1	235	1	13
OB65	PT-42	0	1	7854988,06	383520,77	2169	31	9	29	70	4	982	1	82
OB66	PT-43	0	1	7854599,80	383201,65	3211	26	8	27	58	3	1288	1	87

OB67	PT-44	0	1	7856215,69	381334,74	378	6	3	3	8	1	160	1	10
OB68	PT-45	0	1	7856478,40	382570,77	3182	37	13	34	80	6	1402	1	10
OB69	PT-46	0	1	7855995,63	384092,19	1112	15	5	12	29	2	430	0	33
OB70	PT-47	0	1	7856236,70	384223,76	1639	17	6	16	34	2	650	1	51
OB71	PT-48	0	1	7857095,05	388484,46	2512	30	9	27	61	4	984	1	72
OB72	PT-49	0	1	7857168,36	388409,65	2325	22	7	18	41	3	736	1	52
OB73	PT-50	0	1	7857512,64	389654,98	1071	13	4	11	26	2	391	0	31
OB74	PT-51	0	1	7857653,49	389592,30	1275	18	6	15	38	3	498	1	42
OB75	PT-52	0	1	7857805,93	389535,77	1559	18	6	16	38	2	677	1	48
OB76	PT-53	0	1	7876853,68	404424,64	1741	16	5	15	35	2	659	0	46
OB77	PT-54	0	1	7858794,38	395057,12	1683	21	7	19	45	3	748	1	56
OB78	PT-55	0	1	7858742,42	394780,55	2939	31	10	30	71	4	1201	1	90
OB79	PT-56	0	1	7861579,61	396138,13	1834	23	7	21	50	3	822	1	62
OB80	PT-57	0	1	7857196,72	397136,23	1697	21	6	21	47	3	797	0	60
OB81	PT-58	0	1	7859362,65	397072,90	1650	23	7	22	53	3	872	1	64
OB82	PT-59	0	1	7859626,95	397185,89	191	4	2	1	4	1	53	0	39
OB83	PT-60	0	1	7888465,33	407537,87	684	5	2	4	10	1	216	0	13
OB84	PT-61	0	1	7887899,46	406517,43	177	3	1	2	4	0	65	0	45

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