erty and Robert Profusek. Banking and finance: Brett Barragate. Capital markets: Michael Solecki. Antitrust: Tom Smith and Peter Wang. (Dougherty and Solecki are in Cleveland; Profusek and Barragate are in New York; Smith is in Washington, D.C.; and Wang is in Shanghai.)

Blake, Cassels & Graydon: Securities: Chris Hewat, Sheldon Vanderkooy, and associate Tim Andison. Corporate: Thomas Mc-Kee. Competition: Navin Joneja. Tax: Jeffrey Trossman. (All are in Toronto.)

Norton Rose: Corporate: Gary Thomas, senior associate Roger Hawkins, and associates Terri Francis and Andrew Ricciardi. (They are in Perth, Australia.)



FOR TARGET CONSOLIDATED
THOMPSON IRON MINES LIMITED
(TORONTO)

In-House: General counsel, corporate secretary, and vice presidentlegal affairs Valéry Zamuner. Fraser Milner Casgrain: Mining/Securities: Guy-Paul Allard, Sander Grieve, Linda Misetich, Ralph Shay, Charles Spector, counsel John Sabine, and associates Liz Fraser, Scott Rozansky, and Giancarlo Salvo. Financial services: Heidi Clark and Barbara Farina. Tax: Zahra Nurmohamed and notary Richard Gauthier, Pension and benefits: associate Mark Dunsmuir. Research: Timothy Banks. Litigation: Robb Heintzman. Competition: Susan Paul and Sandra Walker. (All are in Toronto except for Allard, Farina,

Gauthier, Rozansky, Salvo, and Spector, who are in Montreal.)

FOR CONSOLIDATED SHAREHOLDER WUHAN IRON AND STEEL (GROUP) CORPORATION (WUHAN, CHINA)

In-House: General counsel Liu Xinguan.

McCarthy Tétrault: M&A: Joyce Lee and associate Michael Lee. Mining: Richard Miner. (Joyce Lee is in Vancouver; Michael Lee and Miner are in Toronto.) The firm has represented Wuhan since 2008 in its investments in Canada.

FOR CONSOLIDATED'S TRANSACTION COMMITTEE

Cassels Brock: M&A: Jeffrey Roy, John Vettese, and associate Jay King. (They are in Toronto.) —L.K.

## Newmont / Fronteer

n its first acquisition of 2011, U.S. giant Newmont **Mining Corporation** decided to go after Canada's Fronteer Gold Inc. in order to gain exploration and development projects on its home turf. Toronto-based Fronteer Gold owns three projects in Nevada-Long Canyon, Northumberland, and Sandmanthat contain a reported 4.2 million ounces of gold. Newmont will spin off Fronteer's 11 other projects into a new company called Pilot Gold.

The \$2.3 billion acquisition closed on April 6, a little more

than two months after Fronteer shareholders approved it. Analysts said the deal also made sense because it will present significant cost savings.



FOR ACQUIROR NEWMONT MINING CORPORATION (DENVER)

In-House: Vice president and general counsel Stephen Gottesfeld, vice president and secretary Jeffrey Reeser, and assistant general counsel Logan Hennessey. Goodmans: Corporate/M&A: Jonathan Lampe, Neill May, David Redford, and associates Alex Bayer, Gail Jaffe, Robert Kallio, Stacey Kline, and Chris Sunstrum. Tax: Alan Bowman, Carrie Smit, and Mark Tozer. Competition: Richard Annan. Regulatory: Bob Vaux. Litigation: Tom Friedland. (All are in Toronto except for Bayer and Redford, who are in Vancouver.) Goodmans and Wachtell have advised Newmont in connection with numerous acquisitions and financings, including Newmont's \$4.4 billion concurrent acquisitions of Australia's Normandy Mining and Canada's Franco-Nevada Corporation in 2002, its \$1.5 billion acquisition of Canada's Miramar Mining Corporation in 2008, and its \$1.2 billion IPO for subsidiary Franco-Nevada in 2007.

Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz: Corporate/M&A: David Katz and associate DongJu Song. Tax: Deborah Paul and Michael Sabbah. Antitrust: Ilene Gotts. Litigation: Eric Roth. (All are in New York.)



FOR TARGET FRONTEER GOLD INC.

Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg:

M&A: Richard Fridman, Melanie Shishler, Kevin Thomson, and associates Bradley Ashkin, Joshua Kuretzky, and Anthony Spadaro. Tax: Christopher Anderson, Ian Crosby, and Elie Roth. Securities: Abraham Leitner. Competition: John Bodrug. Pension and benefits: Natasha Vandenhoven. (All are in Toronto except for Leitner, who is in New York.) Davies has represented Fronteer since late 2008 after representing the special committee of Fronteer in connection with the acquisition of Aurora Energy Resources Inc.

Troutman Sanders: Stuart
Pierson, Mitchell Portnoy, and
Thomas Rose. (Pierson is in Washington, D.C.; Portnoy is in New York;
and Rose is in Virginia Beach.)
Davis Graham & Stubbs: Mining: Randall Hubbard. (He is in Denver.)

Lawson Lundell: Khaled Abdel-Barr, Chris Baldwin, and associates David Gedge, Jennifer Nyland, and Suzanne Woolley. (They are in Vancouver.) The firm was counsel for British Columbia to Fronteer and Newmont.

Benson Myles: M&A/Mineral law:
Paul Dicks and associate Jennifer Gorman. (They are in St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador.) The firm served as special counsel for Newfoundland and Labrador.

—L.K.

E-mail: editorial@alm.com.

