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## BLUESCOPE STEEL APPOINTS NEW NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

BlueScope Steel Chairman, Mr John Bevan, today announced the appointment of Kathleen Conlon, as a Non-executive Director with effect from 1 February 2020.

Ms Conlon brings over 20 years of professional management consulting experience specialising in strategy and business improvement and has advised leading companies across a wide range of industries and countries. An American/Australian dual national, Ms Conlon joined the Chicago office of The Boston Consulting Group (BCG) in 1985, before transferring to the Sydney office in 1994. In her seven years as partner and director, Ms Conlon led BCG's Asia Pacific operations practice and the Sydney Office.

Ms Conlon is a non-executive director of REA Group Limited, Aristocrat Leisure Limited, Lynas Corporation Limited and a former non-executive director of CSR Limited. Ms Conlon is also a non-executive director of the Benevolent Society and a member of the Corporate Governance Committee of the Australian Institute of Company Directors (AICD). She is also a former President of the NSW Council and a former National Board member of the AICD.

Welcoming Ms Conlon, Chairman Mr Bevan said, "We are very pleased to welcome Kathleen onto the Board. She is an experienced listed company director and brings with her deep knowledge and insights in the areas of strategy and business improvement as well as direct experience in the US and Asia, which will be a valuable addition to the Board and benefit BlueScope in the execution of its ongoing future strategy."

Ms Conlon said, "I'm looking forward to joining the Board and adding my expertise and experience to the BlueScope Board for the benefit and future success of the Company".

Ms Conlon will nominate for election at the 2020 Annual General Meeting.

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