



## Rock Tech Lithium: Changes on the Board of Directors

VANCOUVER, BC, March 11, 2022 /CNW/ – Rock Tech Lithium Inc. (TSX-V: RCK) (OTCQX: RCKTF) (FWB: RJIB) (WKN: A1XF0V) (the "**Company**" or "**Rock Tech**") is pleased to confirm that Esther Bahne has joined its Board of Directors (Board) with immediate effect, as previously announced on February 28. Ms. Bahne has been with the Company since May 2021, where as Chief Marketing & Strategy Officer she has developed the brand through ambitious sustainability goals and repositioned Rock Tech as a cleantech company.

Dirk Harbecke, Chairman of Rock Tech Lithium, says: "We have reached important milestones for the Company with Esther. I very much look forward to continuing to work with her on the Board of Directors."

At the same time, Rock Tech Lithium announces that Mr. Simon Bodensteiner is leaving the Board of Directors of Rock Tech Lithium to pursue new professional challenges. Mr. Harbecke commented, "Simon has made an impact on the Company during his time as CEO and Director at Rock Tech. His extensive experience in project development has been instrumental in helping us set the path to build the first lithium converter in Europe. I thank Simon very much for his commitment to Rock Tech and wish him all the best in his future endeavors."

### About Rock Tech Lithium Inc.

Rock Tech Lithium is a cleantech company with operations in Canada and Germany that aims to supply the automotive industry with high quality lithium hydroxide "made in Germany". As early as 2024, the Company intends to commission Europe's first lithium converter with a nameplate production capacity of 24,000 tonnes per year. This is equivalent to the volume needed to equip around 500,000 electric cars with lithium-ion batteries.

The Company has set itself the goal of creating the world's first closed loop for lithium, thus closing the raw material gap on the road to clean mobility. Rock Tech owns the Georgia Lake Project in Ontario, Canada and, as early as 2030, around 50 percent of the raw materials used are expected to come from the recycling of batteries.

### Rock Tech Lithium - The super fuel for the battery age

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On behalf of the Board of Directors,

**Dirk Harbecke**  
Chairman

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In particular, this new release contains forward-looking information pertaining to: the features and location of the proposed Converter, including the costs and benefits thereof; statements regarding future plans, estimates, and schedules relating to the Company's Converter strategy; statements regarding future activities undertaken in connection with the MoU; anticipated production of lithium hydroxide and related processing methods; statements and expectations regarding the electric vehicle industry; Rock Tech's planning, approval and decision-making process, including relevant factors taken into consideration by the Company; Rock Tech's opinions, beliefs and expectations regarding the Company's business strategy, development and exploration opportunities and projects, and plans and objectives of management for the Company's operations and properties.

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