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BluGlass appoints Yam Rubenstein to the Board

Highlights

- BluGlass appoints global capital markets veteran Yam Rubenstein to its Board of Directors
- Appointment enhances the Board's global capital markets expertise and network, improving access to non-dilutive alternative funding sources to support the Company's growth plans
- As a co-founder of June 76 investments, Mr Rubenstein is one of BluGlass' largest shareholders

Global semiconductor developer BluGlass Limited (**ASX: BLG, "BluGlass" or "Company"**) has appointed Mr Yam Rubenstein as a Non-Executive Director to support the Company's growing global operations, effective immediately.

Mr Rubenstein is an Israel-based entrepreneur and investor, bringing more than two decades' experience in global financial markets to the Board. He is the founder and CEO at investment firm 102 Percent Ltd, providing corporate finance, investment and strategic advisory services across technology, fintech and capital market sectors. Mr Rubenstein is also an advisory board member for Nasdaq-listed Cyabra, an AI-powered disinformation detection company.

He has previously held senior management roles at leading investment houses and banks in Israel, including Deputy CEO of Migdal Capital Markets for more than 10 years. In this role, Mr Rubenstein developed and led the prime brokerage business, traded all financial instruments globally, and built relationships with top tier investment banks and institutional investors around the world.

As co-founder of June 76 investments, Mr Rubenstein is one of BluGlass' largest shareholders as well as a major investor in ASX-listed advanced manufacturing company Amaero International Ltd (ASX:3DA) and place intelligence platform Beonic Ltd (ASX: BEO).

Commenting on the appointment, BluGlass Executive Chair Omer Granit said, "Yam is an excellent addition to BluGlass' refreshed Board, bringing global financial acumen and extensive industry networks across Israel's defence, aerospace and deep-tech sectors. His global capital markets expertise will be invaluable as we continue to recapitalise the Company to accelerate growth, increasing access to investment banks and alternative funding sources.

"Yam's appointment complements and further strengthens the Board's composition, expanding our financial and customer networks beyond Australia and the U.S. His existing investment in BluGlass supports the founder mentality we are fostering across the business, and ensures Board decisions are aligned with those of shareholders."

Yam Rubenstein said, "I've followed BluGlass' journey over the past year and have been impressed by the calibre of its growing customer base, technical innovation, and market opportunity. The Company is now at a critical inflection point in its commercialisation journey with industry-leading visible laser technology and highly coveted development contracts with the U.S. Government and tier one leaders. I look forward to leveraging my existing networks across global capital and technology markets to support the delivery of existing contracts, facilitate new introductions to prospective partners and customers, and fast-track BluGlass' growth trajectory."

This announcement has been approved for release by the Board of BluGlass.

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About BluGlass

BluGlass Limited (ASX:BLG) is a leading supplier of GaN laser diode products to the global photonics industry, focused on the industrial, defence, bio-medical, and scientific markets.

Listed on the ASX, BluGlass is one of just a handful of end-to-end GaN laser manufacturers globally. Its operations in Australia and the USA offer cutting-edge, custom laser diode development and manufacturing, from small-batch custom lasers to medium and high-volume off-the-shelf products.

The Company combines its proprietary low temperature, low hydrogen, remote plasma chemical vapour deposition (RPCVD) manufacturing process with advanced device design and fabrication to deliver differentiated laser solutions. With end-to-end capabilities spanning epitaxy, device design, fabrication, and testing, BluGlass is well-positioned to support critical next-generation photonics applications and sovereign supply chains.