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## NEWS RELEASE

### AVINO ANNOUNCES INCLUSION IN GLOBAL JUNIOR GOLD MINERS INDEX ("GDXJ")

**Avino Silver & Gold Mines Ltd. (ASM: TSX/NYSE American, GV6: FSE)** announces that it has been added to the Market Vectors Junior Gold Miners Index ("MVGDJXTR") and the VanEck Junior Gold Miners ETF ("GDXJ"), effective at market close on September 19, 2025 pursuant to the GDXJ's semi-annual review and quarterly rebalance.

"We are excited to be included in the VanEck Junior Gold Miners ETF, a milestone that reinforces the investment case for Avino Silver & Gold Mines Ltd.," said David Wolfin, President and CEO. "This inclusion reflects the hard work and dedication of our entire team and positions Avino to attract a broader base of institutional and retail investors. With La Preciosa advancing on plan, we are poised to execute on our clear path to transformational growth and becoming Mexico's next intermediate primary silver producer."

The GDXJ is a globally recognized exchange-traded fund that tracks small-cap companies primarily involved in gold and silver development and mining. Inclusion in this ETF may increase Avino's common share liquidity and further position Avino as attractive investment opportunity for investors seeking exposure to industry leading silver and gold projects.

For more information on MVGDJXTR and GDXJ, please visit:

<https://www.marketvector.com/indexes/hard-asset/mvis-global-junior-gold-miners>

<https://www.vaneck.com/us/en/investments/junior-gold-miners-etf-gdxj/overview/>

#### About Avino:

Avino is a silver producer from its wholly owned Avino Mine near Durango, Mexico. The Company's silver, gold and copper production remains unhedged. The Company intends to maintain long-term sustainable and profitable mining operations to reward shareholders and the community alike through our growth at the historic Avino Property and the strategic acquisition of the adjacent La Preciosa which was finalized in Q1 2022. Early in 2024, the pre-feasibility Study on the Oxide Tailings Project was completed. This study is a key milestone in our growth trajectory. As part of Avino's commitment to adopting sustainable practices, we have been operating a dry stack tailings facility for more than one year now with excellent results. We are committed to managing all business activities in a safe, environmentally responsible, and cost-effective manner, while contributing to the well-being of the communities in which we operate. We encourage you to connect with us on X at [@Avino ASM](#) and on LinkedIn at [Avino Silver & Gold Mines](#). To view the Avino Mine VRIFY tour, please click [here](#).

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