



## New chairman for Lincoln

LINCOLN Minerals' chairman Jin Yubo has resigned to "pursue other interests" ahead of the anticipated start of its \$50 million Kookaburra Gully mine on Eyre Peninsula late next year or in early 2019.

He was chairman since September 2013 and will be replaced by current non-executive director James Zhang immediately.

Mr Zhang, who owns just under 20 per cent of Lincoln,

joined the company in February last year. Kookaburra Gully graphite mine, 35km northwest of Port Lincoln, is expected to produce 40,000 tonnes of high-grade concentrate a year, creating 60 jobs during construction and 30 direct, permanent jobs, over its at least seven-year life.

Lincoln lodged the Program for Environment Protection and Rehabilitation for state approval on September 29.