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PNGRFL Congratulates Kumuls Head Coach Jason Demetriou and London Broncos on Super League Admission

PORT MORESBY, Papua New Guinea – The Papua New Guinea Rugby Football League (PNGRFL) today extends its congratulations to Kumuls Head Coach Jason Demetriou and the London Broncos on the club's confirmed admission into the 2027 Super League.

The Broncos were confirmed as Super League's 15th club on 25 November 2026, following a vote to expand the competition from 14 to 15 teams. The promotion follows a dominant 2026 Championship campaign in which the Broncos, coached by Demetriou, won the League Leaders' Shield, the Grand Final and the 1895 Cup to complete a historic treble.

The PNGRFL recognises this milestone as a reflection of the leadership, standards and ambition Demetriou has brought to both the London Broncos and the Papua New Guinea Kumuls.

Kumuls 2026 World Cup players Morea Morea and Finley Glare will both be part of the London squad as the Broncos make their Super League debut in 2027, giving Papua New Guinea a proud presence on the big stage.

PNGRFL Chief Executive Officer, Stanley Hondina said the achievement was a source of great pride for rugby league fans across Papua New Guinea.

“On behalf of the PNGRFL and rugby league fans across Papua New Guinea, we congratulate Coach Jason Demetriou and the London Broncos on earning their place in the 2027 Super League. It is a tremendous achievement, and a proud moment for the Kumuls family to see our head coach lead a club back to the top flight. We wish Jason, the players, our Kumuls Morea and Finley, and all staff and supporters every success next season.”

London Broncos and PNG Kumuls Head Coach Jason Demetriou said:

“We are excited to competing in super league 2027. I am looking forward to seeing Morea and Finley step up to Super League and represent PNG on the big stage. We are extremely grateful for the contribution of all the boys in 2026 and wish them well with the Hunters in 2027.”

The PNGRFL looks forward to following the Broncos' progress in 2027, with the Super League season set to begin on 28 January and fixtures to be released on 3 December.