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POGO GOLD MINE

Northern Star Resources Limited (**Northern Star**) wishes to advise that it has acquired the Pogo Gold Mine from Sumitomo Metal Mining Co., Ltd (85% interest and the mine operator) and Sumitomo Corporation (15% interest) (**Sumitomo**), effective on 28 September 2018.

Northern Star advises that:

- Sumitomo Metal Mining Pogo LLC has been renamed Northern Star (Pogo) LLC; and
- SC Pogo, LLC has been renamed Northern Star (Pogo Two) LLC.

Northern Star's contact details are set out below:

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More information on Northern Star is available at www.nsrltd.com.

Operations continue under Pogo gold mine's General Manager Chris Kennedy.

SUMITOMO METAL MINING AMERICA INC. 701 Fifth Avenue, Suite 2150 Seattle, WA 98104 U.S.A.

September 28, 2018

To Whom It May Concern:

Re: Sale of Pogo Mine

In connection with the letter of Northern Star Resources Limited ("Northern Star") referencing the completion of the sale of the Pogo Mine, including its operator, Sumitomo Metal Mining Pogo LLC, from Sumitomo Metal Mining Co., Ltd and Sumitomo Corporation to Northern Star, we would like to express our gratitude and appreciation for your support and for allowing us to be part of the story of this community.

As a valued stakeholder, we are extremely grateful for your support and assistance over the years. We hope for your continued support of the Pogo Mine under the ownership of Northern Star.

Thank you very much again for your continued assistance, cooperation and service.

Yours truly,

SUMITOMO METAL MINING AMERICA INC.

Name: Fumikazu Oshita

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