

# A World of Opportunity





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Note	e Project/Property Tech Report	Company	Date
(1)	Hardrock Mineral Resource	Premier Gold Mines Limited	August 22, 2014
(2)	Trans-Canada PEA	Premier Gold Mines Limited	February 5, 2015
(3)	Hardrock (Trans-Canada)	Premier Gold Mines Limited	December 13, 2013
(4)	Bonanza	Premier Gold Mines Limited	September 17, 2009
(5)	Helen (Cove)	Premier Gold Mines Limited	January 2, 2014
(6)	South Arturo	Premier Gold Mines Limited	July 15, 2015
(7)	Mercedes	Yamana Gold Inc.	March 30, 2016

# THE PREMIER DIFFERENCE



### A World of Opportunity

Our business model provides for unparalleled growth from low-cost production, deposit development and sustained exploration to reduce shareholders' exposure to risk by focusing on:

- PROVEN MANAGEMENT
- WORLD-CLASS DISTRICTS
- SAFE JURISDICTIONS
- SENSIBLE PARTNERSHIPS

### PROJECT PIPELINE:

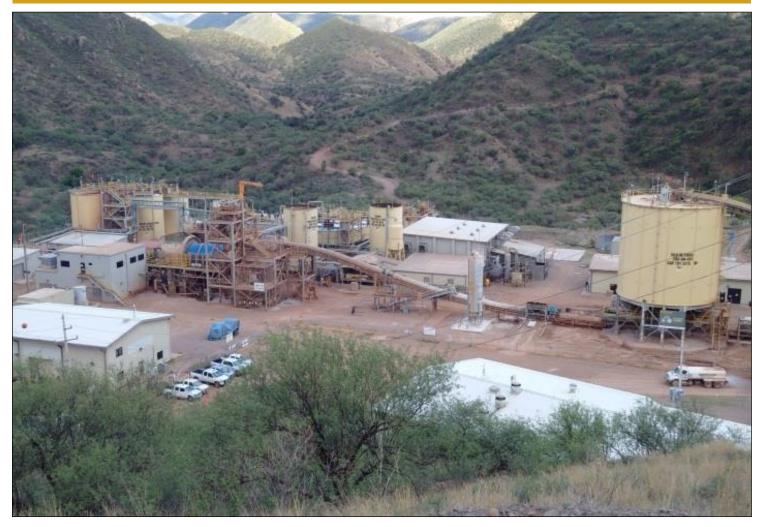
- Advancing multiple deposits
- Exploration to production
  - Production: South Arturo, Mercedes
  - Feasibility: Hardrock Project (2016)
  - Exploration: US\$15M in 2016





### THE PREMIER DIFFERENCE

### **Production – Mercedes Mine, Mexico**



• Recently announced acquisition from Yamana Gold – Premier ownership Oct. 2016



### **Mercedes - Acquisition Highlights**

 Transformational Acquisition Creating a Diversified Gold Producer

PREMIER

Gold Mines Limited

- Combined 2017E production of more than 130koz<sup>(1)</sup>
- Diversified asset portfolio reduces risk while providing for more growth opportunities
- Significant Exploration
   Potential
  - Multiple opportunities to potentially increase mineral resource and mineral reserve estimates
  - Large land package located in the highly-prospective Sonora state

- High Quality, Low Cost Operating Mine in Prolific Mining District
  - Annual production of ~86Koz (2016-2018 average) with 2016E AISC of ~\$935/oz<sup>(2)</sup>
  - Mining and politically favorable jurisdiction of Mexico

#### Unique Opportunity to Surface Additional Value

- Mercedes represents a small component of Yamana's portfolio and has been underexplored
- Clear potential to extend mine life beyond known reserves

#### Increased Financial Flexibility

- Anticipated cash flow from Mercedes combined with that of South Arturo will help fund Hardrock development
- Debt component minimizes equity dilution

#### Accretive Transaction

- Accretive transaction on key metrics, including:
  - NAVPS
  - Resources per share
  - Reserves per share
  - Production per share

### DIVERSIFIED GOLD PRODUCER WITH AN INDUSTRY-BEST EXPLORATION ASSET PORTFOLIO

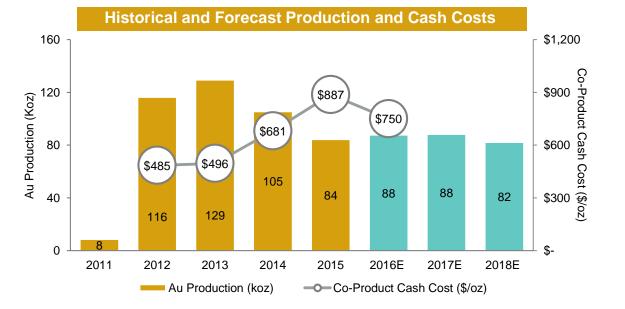
(1) Includes full year Mercedes production based on Yamana's 2017 guidance, as per January 13, 2016 press release and Premier guidance for South Arturo

(2) Based on Yamana's guidance assuming mid-point of 2016E guidance



## TRANSACTION OVERVIEW

Transaction Summary	<ul> <li>Premier has agreed to acquire all shares of Yamana's wholly-owned subsidiary</li> <li>Combination of cash and Premier shares - Yamana pro-forma ownership of ~3.0%</li> </ul>			
Consideration to Yamana	<ul> <li>Total purchase price of US\$140.0 million (based on closing price of Premier's shares on July 5th, 2016, the date of signing the non-binding letter of intent to acquire Mercedes with Yamana) consisting of:         <ul> <li>US\$122.5 million in cash</li> <li>6 M Premier common shares (3 M - term of 24 months, strike price of C\$4.75/share)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
Transaction Structure	<ul> <li>Share purchase agreement</li> </ul>			
Timing	<ul> <li>Expected to close September 30, 2016</li> </ul>			
Other	<ul> <li>Acquisition financing package provided by Orion</li> </ul>			



- Yamana production guidance of 82-88koz Au from 2016-2018E
- Cash cost reductions driven by several cost control initiatives, local currency devaluation and reduction in mining dilution
- Premier expected to provide guidance postclosing of the transaction

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# **TRANSFORMATIVE ACQUISITION**

Enhanced Asset Base and Growth Profile	<ul> <li>Gold reserve and M&amp;I resource growth of 215% and 26% respectfully</li> <li>Fills production gap between South Arturo and Hardrock</li> </ul>	<b>2017E</b> 176% 50 Premier	6	ction <sup>(1)</sup> 138 ro Forma				48	b <b>z)</b> 88	<b>م</b>	2 2 3,331 Premier	26%	4,20 Pro-Fo	1
					20	17E Pro	oductio	on (Au	Koz) <sup>(1,2</sup>	2)				
Improved Production	<ul> <li>Pro-forma production profile in-line with Tier</li> </ul>	366	302	292	272	225	209	164	138	121	115	104	50	21
Position Relative to Peers	III peers	Torex	Kirkland Lake	Silver Standard	Primero	Newmarket	Guyana	Klondex	Premier Pro- Forma	Argonaut	Alacer	Richmont	Premier	Timmins
		Market Cap. <sup>(3)</sup> (US\$M) \$1,593	\$975	\$1,605	\$425	\$529	\$1,056	\$636	n/a	\$419	\$730	\$652	\$642	\$159
							P / NA\	/ (Cons	sensus	) <sup>(4)</sup>				
Re-Rating Potential	<ul> <li>Potential for producer re-rating given current value gap based on production profile</li> </ul>	1.7x 1.	4x	1.4x	1.3x	1.1x	1.1x	1.0x	0.9	<b>x</b> 0.9	∋x 0	.8x	0.7x	0.7x
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<ul> <li>Premier pro-forma includes full year Mercedes production based on Yamana's 2017 guidance as per January 13, 2016 press release and Premier guidance for South Arturo</li> <li>Peers based on broker consensus estimates, as per Bloomberg</li> <li>Source: S&amp;P Capital IQ</li> <li>P/NAV estimates as at July 28, 2016</li> </ul>														



# STRONGER PRO-FORMA COMPANY

Strong Financial Foundation	<ul> <li>Premier's pro-forma financial leverage is in- line with its debt peers</li> </ul>	Debt Metrics In-line with Peers	Positive Long-Term Contributor to Cash Flow
Portfolio Diversification	<ul> <li>Mercedes represents 14% of pro-forma operating net asset value</li> <li>Provides a stable production base as Premier delivers on portfolio of growth projects</li> </ul>	Premier Current Net Asset Value <sup>(1)</sup> Other 17% Hardrock 48% South Arturo 8%	Premier Pro-Forma Net Asset Value (1) Mercedes 14% Other 15% Hardrock 41% Ked Lake 11% South Arturo 7%
Accretive Transaction	<ul> <li>Transaction accretive on key operating and financial metrics</li> </ul>	NAVPS Accretive Accretion	~188% ~153% Reserve per Share Accretion Per Share Accretion <sup>(2)</sup>

Consensus NAV estimates
 Includes full year Mercedes production based on Yamana's 2017 guidance, as per January 13, 2016 press release and Premier guidance for South Arturo

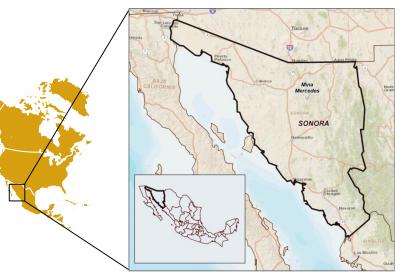


# **MERCEDES MINE OVERVIEW**

#### **Overview**

- Located in Sonora state in northwestern Mexico
- Entered into production in late 2011 and is currently mining 3 UG deposits
  - 3 additional UG deposits and one pit are in the planning stage
- Currently advancing measures to improve dilution control and cost structure
  - Recent production and cash cost improvements
- Recent efforts have shifted from cost cutting to exploration
  - Advancing definition drilling and testing promising near-mine targets

### Located in a Prolific Mining District



- (1) Based on Yamana's guidance, as per January 13, 2016 press release
- (2) Gold cash cost and AISC on a co-product basis
- (3) Based on Yamana Q2 2016 financial results
- (4) Based on Yamana's public disclosure, see note 7 on disclosure page

### **Key Metrics**

Stage	Producing
Mine Type	Underground
Processing	Leaching / Decantation / Merrill-Crowe
Plant Throughput Capacity	2,000 tpd
Company Guidance <sup>(1)</sup>	
2016E Production	85-90 koz Au / 345-365 koz Ag
2017E Production	88 koz Au / 355 koz Ag
2018E Production	82 koz Au / 335 koz Ag
2016E Cash Cost <sup>(2)</sup>	US\$750/oz Au
2016E AISC <sup>(2)</sup>	US\$935/oz Au
H1 2016 Actual <sup>(2,3)</sup>	47koz Au @ US\$808/oz AISC

### Reserves and Resources (December 2015)<sup>(4)</sup>

2015	Category		Gold (Au) Grade (g/t)		Silver (Ag) Grade (g/t)	Ag Ounces
Ore Reserves (P2 only)	Proven + Probable	2.390	4.33	333,000	48.80	3,750,000

US\$ Commodity Prices for Reserve/Resource Estimate: US\$1,150 for Gold and US\$18 for Silver

2015	Category	Tonnes (Mt)	Gold (Au) Grade (g/t)		Silver (Ag) Grade (g/t)	Ag Ounces
Deserves	M + I	4.961	3.36	537,000	36.50	5,817,000
Resources	Inferred	2.157	3.45	239,000	28.90	2,001,000

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# SIGNIFICANT EXPLORATION POTENTIAL

#### **Exploration History**

- Exploration between 2005 and 2015 defined ten Au-Ag resource areas in four epithermal low-sulfidation vein zones
- Drilling focused in an area totaling ~9.5 km of strike length in and around four vein zones
- Three significant blind discoveries have been made to date
  - Barrancas, Laguna, and Diluvio

#### **Exploration Opportunity**

- District-wide exploration target studies completed in 2015 have identified ~45 km of untested structures
  - Limited drilling completed outside of existing resource areas
  - Clear potential for district to host additional, undiscovered vein systems

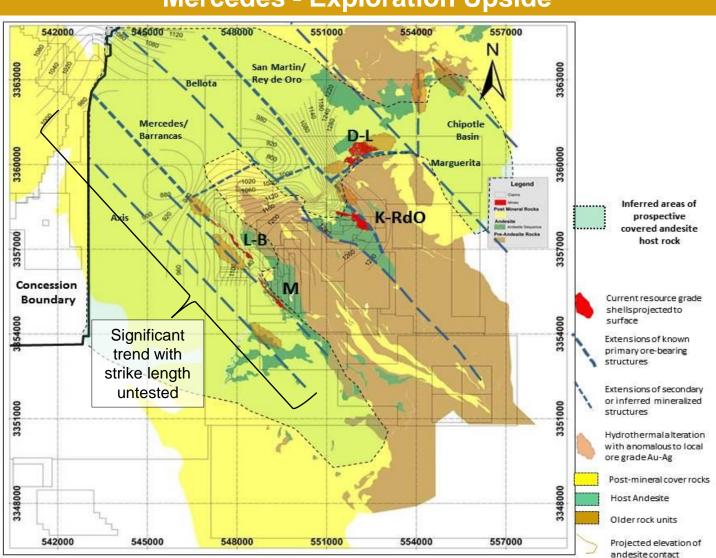
#### **Key Targets**

#### **Mercedes Priority Exploration Targets**

- Existing resource areas
  - Potential for near-term reserve additions and production
- Near-mine exploration areas
  - Numerous well-defined targets that may utilize existing mine infrastructure
- Property targets / new discoveries
  - Potential to discover new veins within Mercedes district
- District targets
  - High-grade prospects in region offer potential custom mill feed



### **MERCEDES MINE**



### **Mercedes - Exploration Upside**



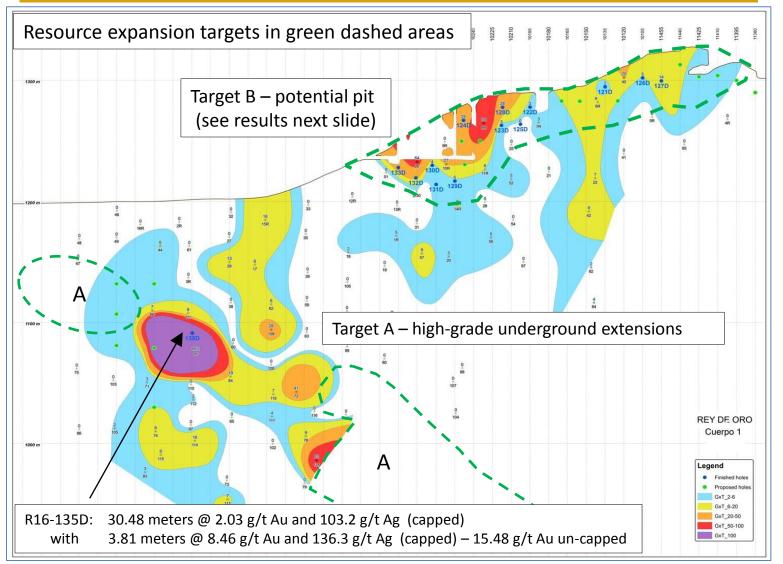
### **Exploration Upside: Rey de Oro Target**

- 2015 YE P+P Reserves: 39K oz Au (Open Pit and Underground)
- 2015 YE M+I Resource: 55K oz Au; Inferred Resource: 16K oz Au
- Potential UG access from Klondike
- Exploration Plan
  - Q2 2016: Drill limited number of near surface holes to test continuity and grade of open pit resource (15 holes, 700 meters)
  - Q2 2016: Drill limited number of holes to test open extensions of key highgrade ore shoots (6 holes, 1300 meters)
    - Add holes if warranted by success
  - Q3 2016: Create new grade shells using new geologic interpretation and drill data
  - Q4 2016: Update resource estimate for use in reserve calculation and potential mine planning



### **MERCEDES MINE**

### **Exploration Upside: Rey de Oro Target**



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# **Exploration Upside: Rey de Oro 2016 drill results**

						Interval			AuEq g/t	cap to 30 g/t
Hole	Area	From (m)	To (m)	Cutoff		(m)	Au g/t	Ag g/t	(140:1)	Au
R16-121D		0.00	7.92	1.0	or	7.92	1.05	10.5	1.13	
R16-124D	Cuerpo 1	0.90	14.63	1.0		13.73	3.68	21.6	3.84	
		1.67	3.96	2.0	with	2.29	3.75	39.0	4.03	
		5.49	7.01	2.0	and	1.52	4.24	17.0	4.36	
		11.58	14.63	2.0	and	3.05	8.59	8.5	8.65	
R16-126D	Cuerpo 1	0.80	10.82	1.0		10.02	1.94	36.2	2.20	
		9.74	10.82	2.0	with	1.08	6.92	73.1	7.44	
R16-127D	Cuerpo 1	0.80	2.44	1.0		1.64	0.98	33.0	1.21	
	RDO-CPO1	7.01	11.58	1.0	and	4.57	2.90	81.3	3.47	
R16-128D	Cuerpo 1	0.00	6.71	1.0		6.71	4.18	36.8	4.45	
		0.00	5.18	2.0	with	5.18	5.15	45.6	5.48	
R16-129D	Cuerpo and 2	33.30	50.90	1.0		17.6	1.39	48.8	1.74	
		33.30	35.10	2.0	with	1.8	2.21	135.7	3.18	
		40.23	43.28	2.0	and	3.05	2.27	36.0	2.53	
		47.85	49.38	2.0	and	1.53	3.19	49.0	3.54	
R16-131D	Cuerpo 1	20.73	22.25	2.0		1.52	10.05	3.0	10.07	
R16-132D	Cuerpo 1	5.18	6.71	2.0		1.53	4.96	5.0	4.99	
		9.75	11.28	1.0	and	1.53	1.66	5.0	1.69	
		14.33	17.37	2.0	and	3.04	5.81	5.0	5.87	
R16-133D	Cuerpo 1	20.42	24.99	1.0		4.57	68.43	71.8	68.94	
		20.42	24.99	1.0	or	4.57	5.73	71.8	6.25	cut to 30 g/t
R16-134D	Cuerpo 3	44.35	46.63	2.0		2.28	88.28	11.3	88.36	
	New Vein									
		44.35	46.63	2.0	or	2.28	21.25	11.3	21.33	cut to 30 g/t



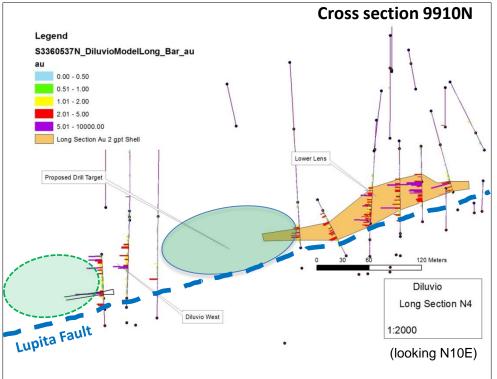
### **Exploration Upside: Diluvio Target**

- No current reserves in LOM Plan
- 2015 YE M+I Resource: 205K oz Au; Inferred Resource: 94K oz Au.
- Access ramp is permitted (300-400 meters from main zone).
- Exploration Plan:
  - Q3-Q4 2016: Complete exploration drift; concurrent bulk sample and UG drilling as access advances
  - Q4 2016-Q1 2017: Conduct 9,000 meters UG + surface drilling to bring drill density to 15 x 30 meters (minimum needed to define limits of economic Au-Ag in complex breccia/vein/stockwork zone)
  - Q2 2017: Calculate new resource based on revised geologic interpretation and new grade shell:
  - End of Q2 2017. Estimated new resource for reserve calculations and mine plan



### **Exploration Upside: Diluvio Target**

Diluvio morphology is distinct from other Mercedes district deposits



- The deposit could be considered in the sense of two principal gently dipping "Manto" type ore bodies 10-50 metre thick hosted within volcanoclastic sediments/sandstone
- It is not a high angle planar vein, but a series of irregularly stacked low angle (35-50 degree) vein breccia zones with linking high angle tensional veins (65 to 85 degrees) and surrounding stockwork
- Drill program underway at Diluvio
- The geometry is complex but also provides potential for bulk mining on a scale not possible in narrow vein structures.



### THE PREMIER DIFFERENCE

### **Production – South Arturo Mine, Nevada**



• First gold production – Q3-2016 (ore processing commenced Aug.1)

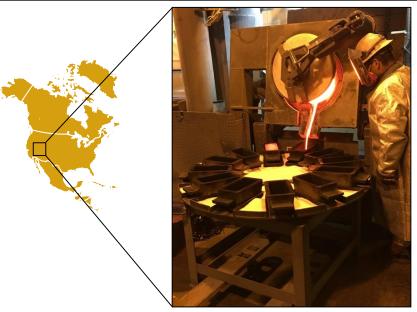


# SOUTH ARTURO MINE OVERVIEW

#### **Overview**

- Located in the Carlin Trend, Nevada
- Ore is processed at Barrick's Goldstrike facility located 5 km to the south of the Phase 2 open pit project
- Currently accessing a second open pit opportunity (Dee pit)
  - Refining metallurgical recoveries for run-of-mine heap leach operation
- Surface drill program to advance underground mine project
  - Potential to construct ramp from Phase 2 pit to access highgrade El Nino deposit

### Located in a Prolific Mining District



<sup>(1)</sup> Based on Barricks guidance

#### **Key Metrics**

Stage	Producing
Mine Type	Open Pit
Processing	Roaster/Autoclave
Company Guidance <sup>(1)</sup>	
2016E Production	80 koz Au
2017E Production	50 koz Au
2016E AISC	US\$450/oz Au
Estimated Free Cash Flow (2016)	Cdn\$40 Million

#### Reserves and Resources (December 2015)<sup>(2)</sup>

2015 (40% basis)	Category	Tonnes (Mt)	Gold (Au) Grade (g/t)		Silver (Ag) Grade (g/t)	Ag Ounces
Ore Reserves (P2 only)	Proven + Probable	0.860	5.62	155,000	6.62	243,000

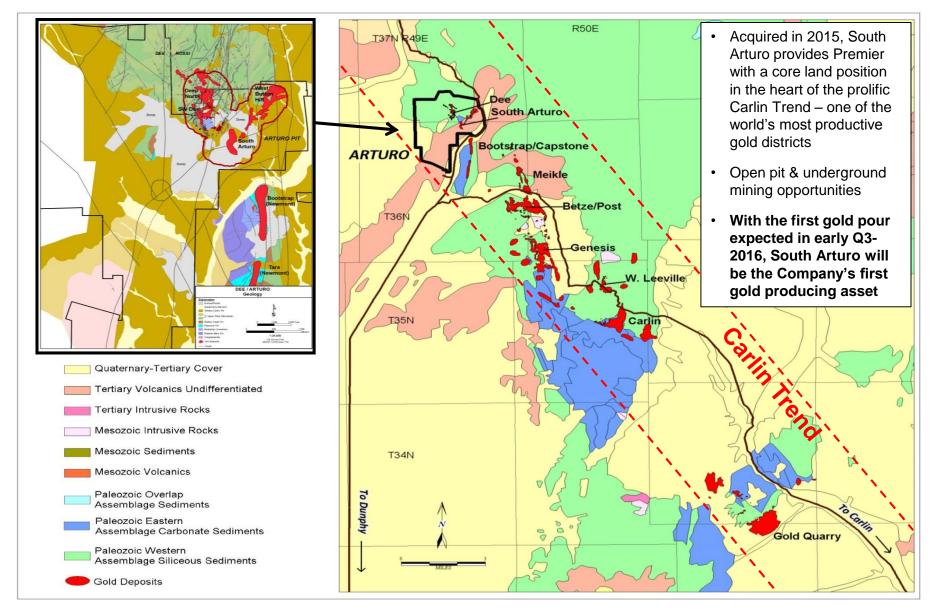
US\$ Commodity Prices for Reserve Estimate: US\$1,000 for Gold and US\$15 for Silver

2015 (40% basis)	Category	Tonnes (Mt)	Gold (Au) Grade (g/t)	Au Ounces	Silver (Ag) Grade (g/t)	Ag Ounces
Resources	M + I	0.106	1.25	4,000		
(US\$1,300/oz Au)	Inferred	0.009	2.39	1,000		
Resources	M + I	6.650	2.80	599,000	9.04	1,933,000
(US\$1,500/oz Au)	Inferred	0.416	0.99	13,000	2.63	35,000

<sup>(2)</sup> Based on Barricks public disclosure, see note 6 on disclosure page



# CARLIN TREND, NEVADA



### **PRODUCTION – SOUTH ARTURO**



# **Strategically located on the Carlin Trend**

Betze-Post (Barrick) Rodeo (Barrick) Meikle (Barrick)

Banshee (Barrick)

Tara/Bootstrap (Newmont)

 Phase 2 (2016-2017)

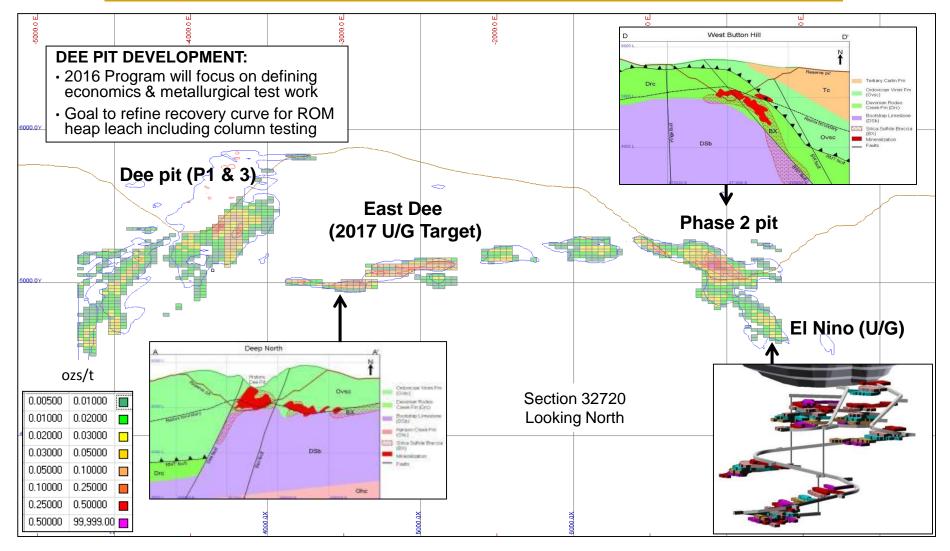
 + Underground Potential
 Phases 1, 3 (Under Evaluation)

 Ore processed at Barrick's Goldstrike Complex



# **UPSIDE – SOUTH ARTURO**

### **Open Pit and Underground Potential**





# TRANS-CANADA PROPERTY OVERVIEW

#### Overview

- Located in Geraldton, Ontario
- Project consists of 4 deposits (open pit and underground) with only Hardrock subject to economic study
- Property is comprised of 28,550 hectares
- Centerra is sole-funding the initial \$185 Million spend
  - \$148.5M remaining (as at June 30, 2016)

### Located in a Prolific Mining District



(1) See note 2 on disclosure page

#### **Key Metrics**

Stage	Advanced Exploration – Feasibility
Mine Type	Open Pit
Ownership	50% Premier – 50% Centerra
Plant Throughput Capacity (planned)	~27,000 tpd

### **Reserves and Resources (February 2015)**<sup>(1)</sup>

Resources	Cut-off (g/t)	Resource Category	Tonnes ('000)	Au Grade (g/t)	Au Ounces ('000)	W:O (Strip) Ratio
Open Pit (0/P)	0.60	Indicated Inferred	69,781 8,526	1.66 1.72	3,725 471	7.6
O/P	0.50	Indicated Inferred	83,868 10,225	1.47 1.53	3,973 501	6.2
O/P	0.40	Indicated Inferred	103,414 12,369	1.28 1.34	4,254 532	4.8
O/P	0.30	Indicated Inferred	131,631 15,005	1.08 1.16	4,568 562	3.6

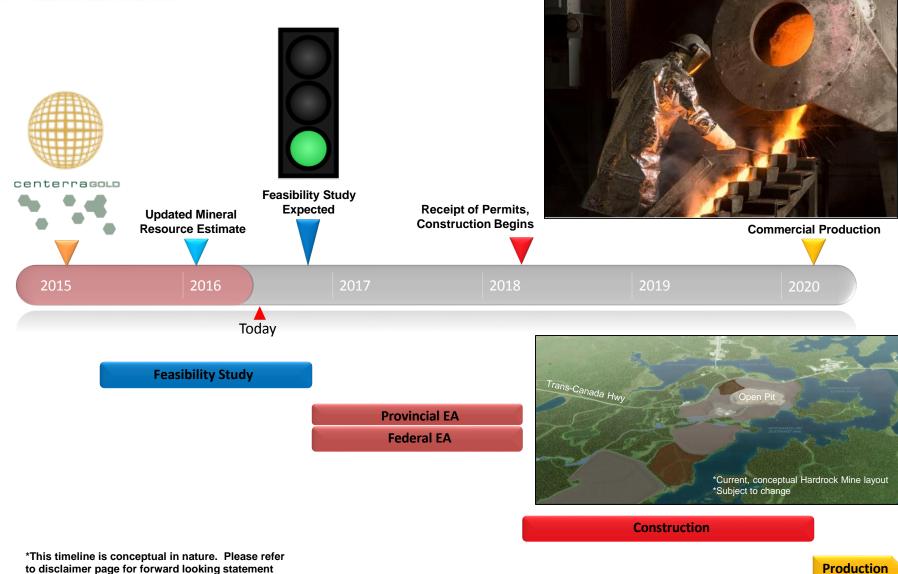
CA\$ Commodity Prices for Resource Estimate: CA\$1,339 for Gold

### Highlights 2016:

- Currently advancing Feasibility Study (H2-2016)
- Permitting submission (EA planned for H2-2016)
- Advancing evaluation of the Brookbank deposit
- Restarted district wide exploration program



### **TRANS-CANADA PROPERTY**





### **PREMIER EXPLORATION**

### **Exploration: Our Strength, Our Future**

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- Premier has a proven history of acquiring strategic projects and achieving exploration success
- Premier maintains a strong exploration focus targeting the deposits of the future.
- Company-wide, total exploration spending in 2016 will exceed \$15 Million



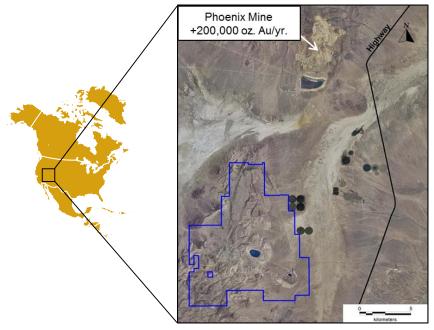
# McCOY-COVE PROPERTY OVERVIEW

#### Overview

- Located in the Battle Mountain Trend, Nevada
- Currently drilling the Helen Zone (GAP)
- Large underexplored land package of ~31,000 acres
- Past production: 3.3 M oz Au and 110.0 M oz Ag

Stage	Exploration – Resource Definition
Mine Type	Underground
Ownership	100% Premier
Processing Plan	Third Party Roaster/Autoclave

### Located in a Prolific Mining District



(1) See note 5 on disclaimer page

#### **Reserves and Resources (December 2015)**<sup>(1)</sup>

Resources	Category	Tonnes (Mt)		
U/G	M + I	0.430	10.47	143,000
0/G	Inferred	0.880	8.08	229,000

US\$ Commodity Prices for Resource Estimate: US\$1,300 for Gold

### Highlights 2016:

**Key Metrics** 

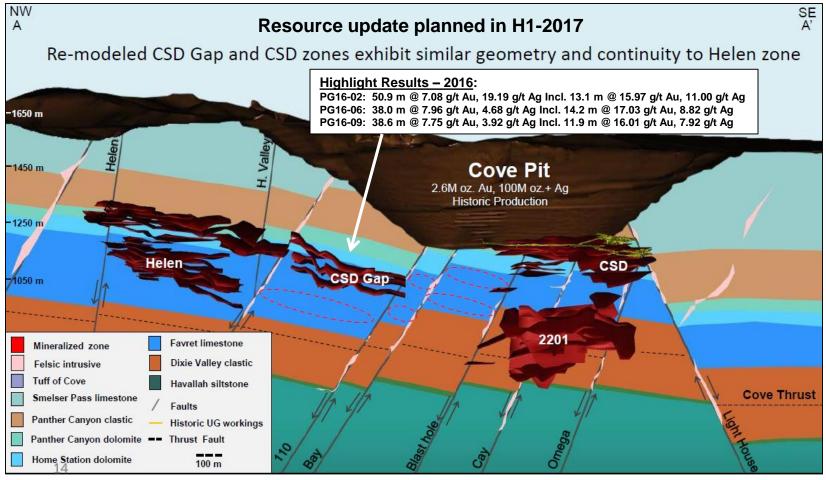
- Ongoing 15,000 metre drill program underway yielding exceptional high-grade results
- Property-wide resource estimate expected H1-2017
- Permitting underway for Advanced-Exploration



### **Advancing for Deposit Development**

### CSD GAP HAS POTENTIAL TO MATERIALLY INCREASE GOLD RESOURCES

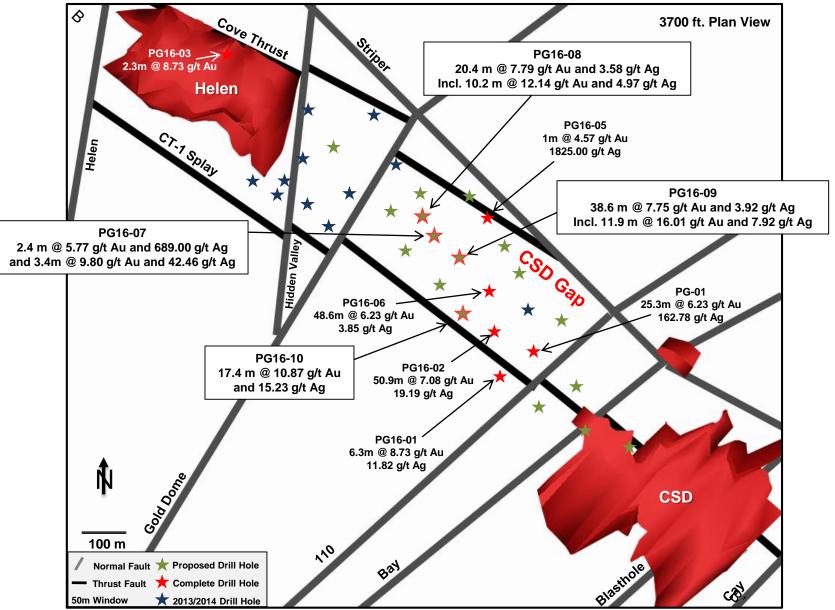
Potential to incorporate CSD Gap, CSD Underground and 2201 Zone deposits into future mine plan with continued exploration success.



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### CSD GAP DRILL PROGRAM



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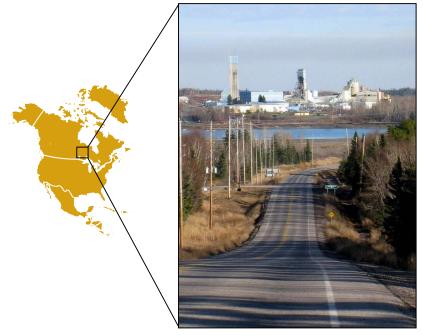


# **RED LAKE PROPERTIES OVERVIEW**

#### **Overview**

- Located in the prolific Red Lake gold camp, Ontario
- Underground drill program at the Rahill-Bonanza JV is testing the high-grade "Fold Zone" discovery
- Company's largest (+50,000 metre) 2016 drill program underway at the wholly-owned Hasaga Property

### Located in a Prolific Mining District



(1) See note 4 on disclaimer page

#### **Key Metrics**

Stage	Exploration – Resource Definition
Mine Type	Open Pit and Underground
Ownership	Hasaga: 100% Premier Rahill-Bonanza: 44% PG – 56% G
Processing Plan	Third Party Roaster/Autoclave

#### Reserves and Resources (March 2008)<sup>(1)</sup>

Deposit	Cut-off Category	Resource Category	Tonnes (Mt)	Gold (Au) Grade (g/t)	Au Ounces (Mozs)
Bonanza	Underground	Inferred	2.468	6.46	0.512

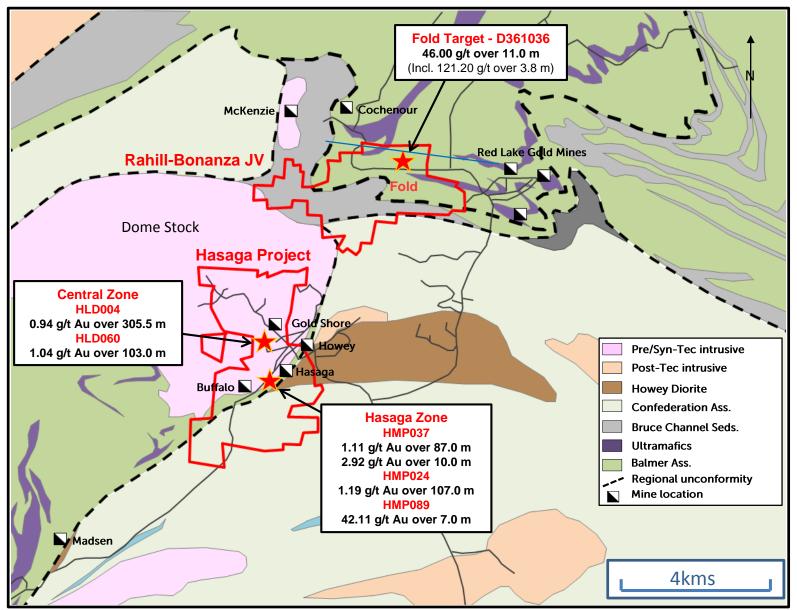
US\$ Commodity Prices for Resource Estimate: US\$750 for Gold

### Highlights 2016:

- Initial resource estimate for the Hasaga Property expected H2-2016
- Metallurgical test work program for gold recoveries at Hasaga to be completed in H2-2016
- Current drilling is focused on testing the down-plunge extension of the Fold Zone at Rahill-Bonanza



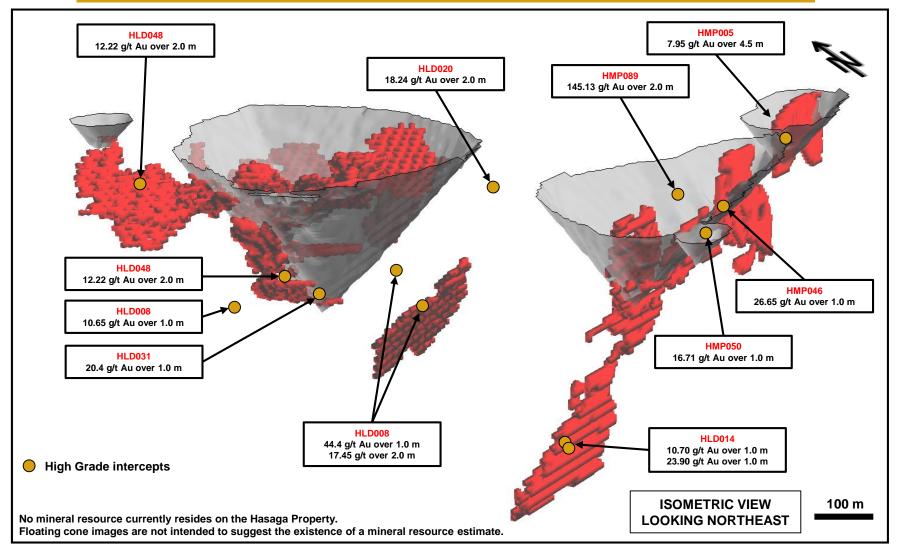
### **RED LAKE PROPERTIES**





### HASAGA PROPERTY

### **Resource Definition Drill Program in Progress**







- Advancing a pipeline of projects from exploration to production
- Mercedes acquisition secures Premier's future production profile
- Initial gold production in Q3-2016 at South Arturo
- Trans-Canada Feasibility Study expected H2-2016
- Major drill program at McCoy-Cove targeting a resource update in early 2017
- +50,000m drill program planned for Hasaga in 2016 targeting an initial resource estimate (H2-2016)
- Currently exploring the "Mine Trend" in Red Lake with Goldcorp



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#### John Begeman: Executive Chairman

Over 35 years experience in mining - Former VP western operations for Goldcorp, COO Wolfden Resources, President of Avion Gold Corp and is currently a director of Yamana Gold Inc. and director of Aberdeen International

#### Ewan Downie: CEO, President and Director

Over 25 years experience in the exploration and mining industry - Founder of Wolfden Resources - recipient of the PDAC "Bill Dennis Prospector Of The Year" award and several Exploration and Development awards from the Northwestern Ontario Prospectors Association

#### Stephen McGibbon: Executive Vice-President Corporate & Project Development

Over 30 years of exploration, mine production and management experience - Former Chief Geologist and Exploration Manager at the Red Lake Mine (Goldcorp) and senior member of the team that discovered the "High Grade Zone"

#### Steve Filipovic: Chief Financial Officer

More than fourteen years of finance experience, the last eleven with publicly traded resource companies - Former Vice President, Finance with Wolfden Resources Inc. and then Director and Chief Financial Officer of Zinifex Canada Inc.

#### **Tony Makuch, Director**

More than 20 years of direct mining experience - formerly Executive Vice President / President of Canadian Operations of Tahoe Resources Inc., President and CEO of Lake Shore Gold Corp. - currently President and CEO of Kirkland Lake Gold

#### **Claude Lemasson: Director**

More than 20 years of mining and development experience - Previously held senior mine development and operational roles with Goldcorp Inc. - formerly President and CEO Guyana Goldfileds Inc. - currently President and CEO of Eastmain Resources

#### Ron Little: Director

More than 30 years experience in the mining industry - Currently President and CEO of Orezone Gold Corporation

#### John Seaman: Director

Former CFO of Premier Gold Mines and Wolfden Resources Inc. - Currently President and CEO of a large private security Company

#### Mike Vitton: Director

Over 30 years experience in the mining finance industry - Formerly Executive Managing Director, Head, US Equity Sales, BMO Capital Markets, Seat Holder, NYSE; and President, New York Society of Metals Analysts.





# MERCEDES MINERAL RESERVES & RESOURCES

		Gold		Silv	ver
Category	Tonnes	Grade	Contained	Grade	Contained
	<i>000's</i>	g/t	koz	g/t	koz
Reserves					
Proven	415	6.07	81	60.2	803
Probable	1,976	3.97	252	46.4	2,947
Total Proven & Probable	2,390	4.33	333	48.8	3,750
Resources (Exclusive of Reserves)					
Measured	583	5.53	104	65.6	1,229
Indicated	4,379	3.08	433	32.6	4,588
Total Measured & indicated	4,961	3.36	537	36.5	5,817
Inferred	2,157	3.45	239	28.9	2,001

As of December 31, 2015, as per Yamana Gold Inc.'s Annual Information for, as filed on SEDAR March 30, 2016



### **GLOBAL RESERVES**

#### Summary of Mineral Reserves Attributable to Premier (Dec 31, 2015)

Property	Cut-off Category	Reserve	Tonnes	Gold Grade	Gold Ounces	Tonnes	Silver Grade	Silver Ounce
Deposit Participation Interact		Category	(Mt)	(g/t Au)	(000's)	(Mt)	(g/t Ag)	(000's)
Participating Interest	0	Denver (Da)						
	Open Pit (O/P)	Proven (Pv)	-		-	-		-
		Probable (Pb)	-		-	-		-
		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		-
Trans-Canada Hardrock	Underground (U/G)	Proven (Pv)						
50%	onderground (0/0)	Probable (Pb)	-			-		-
30%			-		-			-
		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		-
	Open Pt	Proven (Pv)				-		
		Probable (Pb)	-		-	-		-
Trans-Canada		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		-
Brookbank								
50%	Underground	Proven (Pv)	-		-	-		-
	-	Probable (Pb)	-		-	-		-
		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		-
	Open Pit	Proven (Pv)	-		-	-		-
		Probable (Pb)	-		-	-		
Trans-Canada		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		
Kailey								
50%	Underground	Proven (Pv)	-		-	-		-
		Probable (Pb)	-		-	-		-
		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		-
	Open Pit	Proven (Pv)	-		-	-		-
		Probable (Pb)	-		-			
Trans-Canada		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		
Key Lake								
50%	Underground	Proven (Pv)	-		-	-		-
		Probable (Pb)	-		-			-
		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		-
	Open Pit	Proven (Pv)	0.20	6.86	45	0.20	8.61	
		Probable (Pb)	0.66	5.24	110	0.66	7.03	1
Dee JV		Subtotal Pv & Pb	0.86	5.62	155	0.86	7.41	2
South Arturo								
40%	Underground	Proven (Pv)	-		-	-		-
		Probable (Pb)	-		-	-		
		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		
	Open Pt	Proven (Pv)	-		-	-		
		Probable (Pb)	-		-	-		
Rahill-Bonanza JV		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		
Bonanza								
44%	Underground	Proven (Pv)	-		-	-		
		Probable (Pb)	-		-	-		
		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		
	Open Pit	Proven (Pv)	•		-	-		
		Probable (Pb)	-		-	-		
McCoy-Cove		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		
Helen Zone 100%	1 bedrever and	Dense (Da)			└─── <b>├</b>			
100%	Underground	Proven (Pv)	-		-	-		
		Probable (Pb)	•		-	-		
		Subtotal Pv & Pb	-		-	-		
	Once Bit	Total Pv & Pb	0.00	5.00	457	6.00	7.4	
Combined	Open Pit	Total PV & PD	0.86	5.62	155	0.86	7.41	:
Deposits	Underground	Total Py & Pb			-	-		
Deposits	onderground	TOTAL FV & PD	-		-	-		

## Cautionary Notes to Investors - Reserve and Resource Estimates

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### **GLOBAL RESOURCES**

#### Summary of Mineral Resources Attributable to Premier (Dec 2015)

Property	Cut-off Category	Resource	Tonnes	Gold Grade	Gold Ounces	Tonnes	Silver Grade	Silver Oun
Deposit	out-on category	Category	(Mt)	(g/t Au)	(000's)	(Mt)	(g/t Ag)	(000's)
articipating Interest		category	(my	(gri Au)	(000 5)	(mt)	(8/1/9)	(000 5)
a coopting interest	Open Pit (O/P)	Measured (M)				-		
	open ni (or)	Indicated (II)	41.93	1.47	1,986			
		Subtotal M & I	41.83	1.47	1,986			
		Inferred	41.93	1.47	251			
Trans-Canada	11.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1		2.11	1.00				
Hardrock	Underground (U/G)	Measured (M)	-		-	-		
50%		Indicated (I)	2.58	5.40	449	-		
		Subtotal M & I	2.58	5.40	449	-		
		Inferred	6.46	5.40	1,121	-		
	Open Pt	Measured (M)	2.03	0.97	63	-		
		Indicated (I)	2.29	1.80	133	-		
Trans-Canada		Subtotal M & I	4.32	1.41	196	-		
Brookbank		Inferred	-		-	-		
50%	Underground	Measured (M)				-		
		Indicated (I)	0.93	7.21	215			
		Subtotal M & I	0.93	7.21	215	-		
		Inferred	0.33	4.09	215			
						-		
	Open Rt	Measured (M)	2.03	1.07	70	-		
		Indicated (I)	2.29	0.86	63	-		
Trans-Canada		Subtotal M & I	4.32	0.96	133	-		
Kailey		Inferred	1.84	0.97	58	-		
50%	Underground	Measured (M)	-		-	-		
		Indicated (I)	-		-	-		
		Subtotal M & I	-		-	-		
		Inferred	-		-	-		
	Open Pit	Measured (M)						
	openns	Indicated (II)	1.29	1.17	49	-		
Trans-Canada		Subtotal M & I	1.29	1.17	49			
Key Lake		Inferred	0.67	1.30	28	-		
50%	Underground	Measured (M)	-		-	-		
		Indicated (I)	0.02	6.02	3	-		
		Subtotal M & I	0.02	6.02	3	-		
		Inferred	0.03	3.75	4	-		
	Open Pt	Measured (M)	0.02	1.83	1	0.02	4.73	
		Indicated (I)	0.08	1.25	3	0.08	5.66	
Dee JV		Subtotal M & I	0.11	1.38	4	0.11	5.45	
South Arturo		Inferred	0.09	2.57	1	0.09	3.39	
40%	Underground	Measured (M)	-					
1070	onderground	Indicated (I)	-		-			
		Subtotal M & I						
		Inferred	-		-	-		
	Open Pt	Measured (M)	-		-	-		
		Indicated (I)	-		-	-		
Rahill-Bonanza JV		Subtotal M & I	-		-	-		
Bonanza		Inferred	-		-	-		
44%	Underground	Measured (M)	-		-	-		
	-	Indicated (I)	-		-	-		
		Subtotal M & I	-		-	-		
		Inferred	1.09	6.46	225	-		
	Open Fit	Measured (M)	1.00	0.10				
	openni	Indicated (II)	-			-		
N-0			-		-	-		
McCoy-Cove		Subtotal M & I	-		-	-		
Helen Zone		Inferred	-		-	-		
100%	Underground	Measured (M)	-		-	-		
		Indicated (I)	0.43	10.47	143	-		
		Subtotal M & I	0.43	10.47	143	-		
		Inferred	0.88	8.08	229	-		
	Open Pit	Total M & I	51.96	1.42	2.367	0.11	5,45	
Combined	-participation -	Total Inferred	7.72	1.42	337	0.09	3.39	
Deposits	Linderground	Total M & I	3.95	6.37	809	0.05	3.33	
Deposits	Underground					-		
		Total Inferred	8.66	5.77	1,605	-		
Overall		Total M & I	55.91	1.77	3,176	0.11	5.45	
Deposits		Total Inferred	16.38	3.69	1,942	0.09	3.39	

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### **PREMIER PERFORMANCE**

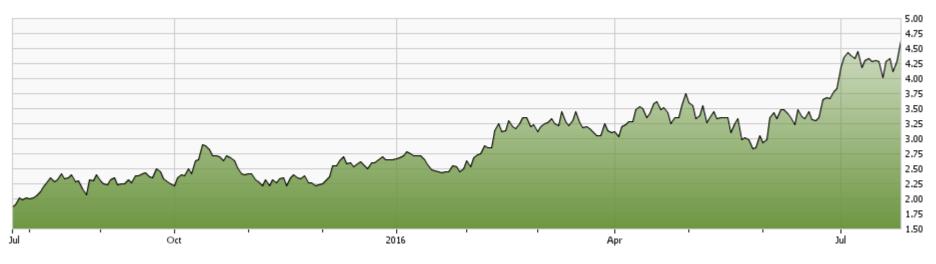
#### Total Shares I/O: Stock Options: Warrants: Fully Diluted: (1) As at June 30, 2016

183,131,604 12,483,966 <sup>(1)</sup> 2,000,000<sup>(1)</sup> 197,615,570 <sup>(1)</sup> \*52 week range: C\$ \*Close: \*Market Cap:

C\$5.05 - C\$2.12 C\$4.54 C\$831 Million

\*as at Sept 7, 2016

### **1 Year Share Price Performance**



### **Research Coverage**

