



NEWS RELEASE

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Aurelius Grants Stock Options

Vancouver, BC - Aurelius Minerals Inc. (TSX.V: AUL) (the “Company” or “Aurelius”) wishes to announce the granting of incentive stock options to directors and officers to purchase up to 4,025,000 common shares under the Company’s Incentive Stock Option Plan. The options will be granted for a period of five (5) years, commencing on January 23, 2019, exercisable at a price of \$0.06 per share and vest immediately.

The Company and its Board of Directors are also pleased to announce the appointment of Lorna D. MacGillivray as Secretary of the Company. Ms. MacGillivray was most recently the Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel for Stonegate Agricom Ltd. Prior to that, she was Assistant Secretary of Thompson Creek Metals Company Inc. from May 2007 to May 2011. Previously, she was Corporate Secretary and General Counsel of Glencairn Gold Corporation (later Central Sun Mining Inc., and since acquired by B2Gold Corp.). Ms. MacGillivray has 30 years of in-house legal and corporate secretarial experience for mining companies, including Campbell Resources Inc., Zemex Corporation and Northgate Exploration Limited.

About Aurelius

Aurelius is a well-positioned gold exploration company focused on advancing two district-scale gold projects in the Abitibi Greenstone Belt in Ontario, Canada, one of the world’s most prolific mining districts; the 968-hectare, 9-claim Mikwam Property in the Burntbush area on the Casa Berardi trend and the 12,425-hectare, 57-claim Lipton Property on the Lower Detour Trend. The Company has a sound management team with experience in all facets of the mineral exploration and mining industry who will be considering additional acquisitions of advanced staged opportunities in the Abitibi and other proven mining districts.

AURELIUS MINERALS INC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark N. J. Ashcroft'.

Mark N. J. Ashcroft, President & CEO

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