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Travis Manning, P.E.
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To: Western Exploration Inc. (the "**Company**")

And To: Ontario Securities Commission
Alberta Securities Commission
British Columbia Securities Commission

And to: TSX Venture Exchange

I, Travis Manning, P.E. (Utah #6880159-2202), consent to the public filing of the technical report titled "*Preliminary Economic Assessment of the Doby George Deposit and Updated Resource Estimate for the Gravel Creek Gold-Silver Deposit, Aura Gold-Silver Project, Elko County, Nevada*" dated October 1, 2025 (with an effective date of June 17, 2025) (the "**Amended Technical Report**") prepared for the Company, and filed with the securities regulatory authorities referred to above.

I also consent to any extracts from or a summary of the Technical Report in the news releases of the Company dated May 8, 2025, June 23, 2025 and October 1st, 2025 (the "**News Releases**").

I certify that I have read the News Releases and that they fairly and accurately represent the information in the Technical Report for which I am responsible.

Dated this 1st day of October, 2025

“Travis J. Manning”

Travis J. Manning, P.E. (Utah #6880159-2202)