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I, Patrick James Francis Hannon, of the Province of Nova Scotia, do hereby certify that:

- 1) I live at 1152 Cartaret Street, Halifax, Nova Scotia, and I am a Professional Engineer (Mining and Geological)
- 2) This certificate applies to the report titled "*Scotia Mine, Pre-Feasibility Technical Report dated November 16, 2021*" by Patrick Hannon, M.A.Sc., P.Eng..
- 3) a. I am a graduate of the Dalhousie University, Halifax Nova Scotia (M.A.Sc., Mining Engineering), Queen's University at Kingston (B.Sc. Geological Engineering), and the Haileybury School of Mines (Senior Mining Technician).
- b. I am a Licensed Professional Engineer in the Province of Nova Scotia, (registration No. 2734), and the Province of Ontario, (registration No. 18260018).
- c. I have worked as an engineer since 1972 years, in Canada, USA, SE Asia, Central Asia, FSU and West Africa. Between 1972 and 1983 I was employed with Imperial Oil Limited as senior geologist, chief mine geologist, and mine superintendent. Between 1983 and 1987, I was employed by the Nova Scotia Department of Mines and Energy as Manager of Mining Engineering. Between October 1987 the present I have been a consultant geological and mining engineer.
- 4) I have visited the property for this assignment, the last visit was November 2020.
- 5) I am responsible this Technical Report.
- 6) I neither own nor control any beneficial interest in the Scotia Mine property which is the subject of this report nor any adjacent or nearby. I am independent of the issuer applying all the tests in section 1.5 of National Instrument 43-101, Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects (NI 43-101).
- 7) a. I have read the definition of "qualified person" set out in National Instrument 43-101 ("NI 43-101"). I certify that, by reason of my education, affiliation with a Professional Association (as defined by NI 43-101) and past relevant work experience, I fulfill the requirements to be a "qualified person" for the purposes of NI 43-101.
- b. The sections of this Technical Report for which I am responsible have been prepared in compliance with National Instrument 43-101
- 9) I am not aware of any Material fact not in the report that would make the report misleading.

Dated this 30<sup>th</sup> day of December 2021  
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