



RIO SILVER ANNOUNCES GRANT OF STOCK OPTIONS

August 10, 2017, Toronto, Ontario, Canada – Rio Silver Inc. ("Rio Silver" or the "Company") (TSX.V: RYO) announces that a total of 1,700,000 options to purchase common shares of the Company have been granted to directors, officers and employees at an exercise price of \$0.05 per share, expiring on August 9, 2019. The grant is subject to regulatory approval.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF RIO SILVER INC.

Steve Brunelle
Chairman

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