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**WESDOME ANNOUNCES RESUMPTION OF RAMP DEVELOPMENT  
AT KIENA COMPLEX**

**Toronto, Ontario – October 2, 2017** – Wesdome Gold Mines Ltd. (“Wesdome” or the “Company”) today announces that the site investigation in connection with the fatality of a mining contractor on September 9, 2017 has concluded, and all activities at the Kiena Complex have resumed.

Duncan Middlemiss, CEO commented, “All required equipment has been reactivated underground and development of the exploration ramp recommenced today. We expect to have the first drill bay completed to test the Kiena Deep discovery within the next few weeks. In the meantime, we continue to drill near mine, auxiliary targets such as the VC and S50 Zones. We continue to collaborate with CNESST on the outstanding matters related to the investigation.”

**ABOUT WESDOME**

Wesdome Gold Mines is in its 30<sup>th</sup> year of continuous gold mining operations in Canada. The Company is 100% Canadian focused with a pipeline of projects in various stages of development. The Eagle River Complex in Wawa, Ontario is currently producing gold from two mines, the Eagle River Underground Mine and the Mishi Open pit, from a central mill. Wesdome is actively exploring its brownfields asset, the Kiena Complex in Val d’Or, Quebec. The Kiena Complex is a fully permitted former mine with a 930 metre shaft and 2,000 tonne per day mill. The Company has further upside at its Moss Lake gold deposit, located 100 kilometres west of Thunder Bay, Ontario, which is being explored and evaluated to be developed in the appropriate gold price environment. The Company has approximately 133.9 million shares issued and outstanding and trades on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the symbol “WDO.”

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