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Centenera Stakes Ana Maria Project Salta Province, Argentina

Plans Q4 Exploration

Vancouver, British Columbia – Centenera Mining Corporation (“Centenera” or the “Company”) - (TSXV: CT, OTCQB: CTMIF) announces staking of Ana Maria project (“Ana Maria” or the “Project”) and plans for initial reconnaissance exploration and surface geochemical sampling in Q4 2018.

Ana Maria Acquisition

The Project was acquired through staking and comprises three separate exploration claims, totalling almost 10,000 hectares and located in the vicinity of the Company’s Organullo gold project (the “Organullo District”).

“Staking opportunities are rare in Salta Province where prospective ground is at a real premium.” stated Keith Henderson, Centenera’s President & CEO, “Property acquisitions in this region are generally achieved through option agreements with underlying owners, which can be expensive. With this acquisition, Centenera has an opportunity to assess and explore this large prospective area with an extremely low acquisition cost.”

Planned Exploration

To the best of the Company’s knowledge, the Project has not been subject to prior exploration, at least not in recent times. Centenera has considerable expertise in the Organullo District and regionally in Salta Province. The area is prospective for epithermal gold deposits and associated mineralization. The Company possesses considerable amounts of regional exploration data that will aid initial exploration and targeting. This data includes extensive BLEG sampling results covering prospective belts in northwest Argentina, which was collected in partnership with Newmont in 2008. The Company also has interpreted regional satellite imagery, regional geophysical data, and various other geological and geochemical data sets.

Next steps will include initial reconnaissance of the Project areas to determine where initial exploration should focus. Thereafter, exploration will likely focus on detailed surface geochemistry.

Qualified Person

Keith J. Henderson, P.Geo., is the Company's qualified person as defined by National Instrument 43-101 and has reviewed the scientific and technical information that forms the basis for portions of this news release. He has approved the disclosure herein. Mr. Henderson is not independent of the Company, as he is an employee, a shareholder and holds incentive stock options.

About Centenera Mining Corporation

Centenera is a mineral resource company trading on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol CT and on the OTCQB exchange under the symbol CTMIF. The Company is focused 100% on mineral resource assets in Argentina. The Company is focussed on its flagship Esperanza copper-gold project as well as the El Quemado lithium pegmatite project in Salta Province and the Organullo gold project. The Organullo project has approximately 8,000 metres of historical drilling and assay results. Organullo has a geological target range from 19.8 million tonnes grading at 0.94 g/t gold (600,000 ounces) to 31.6 million tonnes grading 0.92 g/t gold (940,000 ounces) using a 0.5 g/t gold cut-off-grade. It should be noted that these potential exploration target quantities and grades are conceptual in nature, that insufficient exploration and

geological modelling has been done to define a mineral resource, and that it is uncertain if further exploration will result in the delineation of a mineral resource.

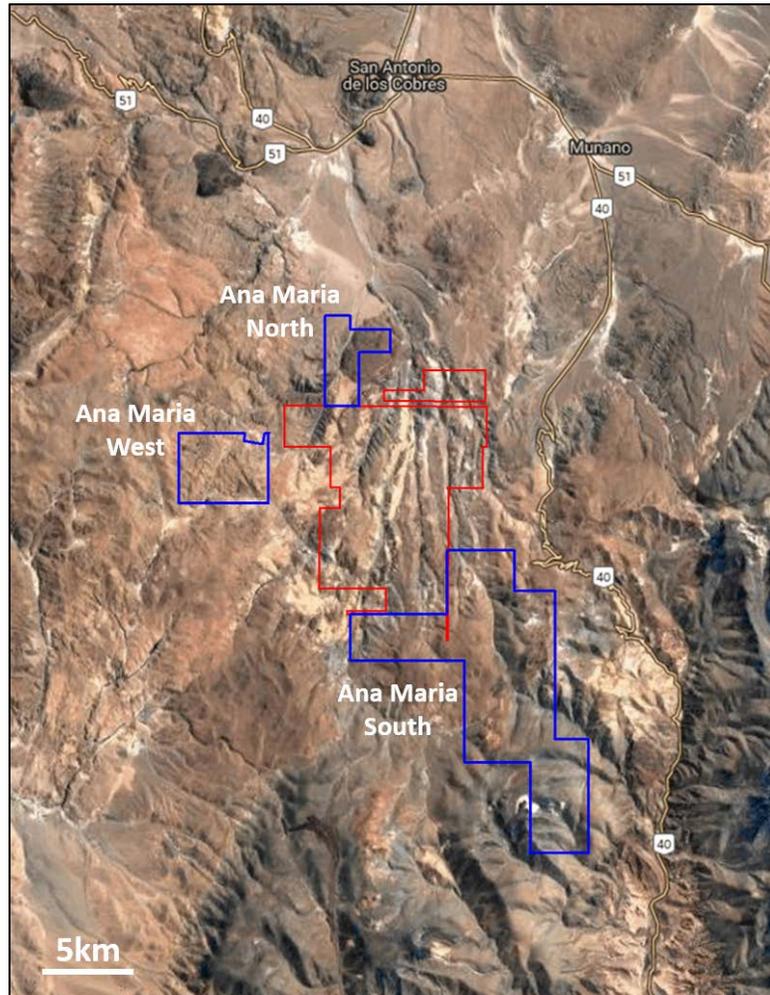


Figure 1: Ana Maria Project location. The project consists of three exploration concessions within the Organullo District. The Ana Maria concessions are highlighted in blue outline. The Company's Organullo project concessions are highlighted in red outline.

On Behalf of the Board of Directors of
CENTENERA MINING CORPORATION

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For further details on the Company readers are referred to the Company's web site (www.centeneramining.com) and its Canadian regulatory filings on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

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