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> QUARTERLY ACTIVITIES REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2017 (ASX code - SXX)

Southern Cross Exploration N.L. ("the Company" or "Southern Cross" or "SXX") is pleased to present its Activities Report for the Quarter ended 30 September 2017.

#### MINING EXPLORATION AREAS

## URANIUM - BIGRLYI URANIUM JOINT VENTURE (5%) - NORTHERN TERRITORY, AUSTRALIA

The Company's 5% interest in the Bigrlyi Uranium Joint Venture is classified in its accounts as "Investment in Joint Venture". The Project comprises 10 granted exploration retention licences (ELRs 46-55) granted over 30 years ago and several applications within the Ngalia Basin, located approximately 350km northwest of Alice Springs. The Bigrlyi Project is characterised by relatively high uranium grades and excellent metallurgical recoveries. Historical base case acid leach tests recorded extraction rates of 98% uranium.

Energy Metals Limited (EME) holds 53.3% and is the Operator.

No updates were received for the quarter

### **GOLD - PHILIPPINES**

## BATANGAS PROJECT (10%) (Tenement applications - EPA IVA-115 and PMPSA IV-110)

The Batangas Gold Project is located in the Province of Batangas, about 2 hours from Manila. The project consists of an EP Application and an MPSA, which are yet to be granted. After exercising options, a 10% interest was acquired by the Company's wholly-owned subsidiary Northern Star Investments (Qld) Pty Ltd.

Given the current political climate in the Philippines and the fact that the JV partners have not been able to advance the application, the company is considering abandoning its interest in the application.



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## **GOLD CROSS PROJECT (20%)**

(Tenement applications - MA-P-III-02-04, MA-P-III-05-04, MA-P-III-06-04, MA-P-III-07-04)

Southern Cross holds a 20% interest in the Gold Cross Gold Project in the Philippines. The project area is located in the Province of Bulacan about 100 kms north-east of Manila. No activity reports on this project were received during the quarter.

Given the current political climate in the Philippines and the fact that the JV partners have not been able to advance the applications, the company is considering abandoning its interest in the application.

### **MAGNESITE - IRAN**

The company maintains its 10% interest in a private group based in Dubai and Teheran which holds several exploration tenements for magnesite in Iran.

No advice on the status of this interest was received during the quarter and the company is unable to verify the current status of the tenements.

### **OIL & GAS & ENERGY**

Oil and gas investment and exploration opportunities in Australia and overseas have been examined, with a view to direct participation by SXX.

## **WAILOALOA DEVELOPMENTS LIMITED - 49%**

The Company holds a minority interest (49%) in a Fijian Company (Wailoaloa Developments Limited –'WDL'). WDL owns 40 acres of freehold land in Nadi Fiji.

Civil works on the project site are scheduled for completion by November 17, 2017. Survey plans for Stage 1 have been completed and completion certificates have been obtained.

Completion certificates and final survey plans for stages 2, 3 and 4 are expected during the December quarter

#### **GENERAL**

Examination regarding possible participation in a number of new projects and maintaining and reviewing the Company's existing projects were the principal activities during the quarter.

SXX is committed to its investment in Dateline Resources Limited (ASX: DTR), in which it presently holds a 38.07% stake, and believes there is considerable value to be unlocked from DTR's future development of the Gold Links project in Colorado along with its Udu project in Fiji. During the quarter the company invested a further \$1,600,100 in DTR when we subscribed to 100% of our Rights Issue entitlement. DTR raised a total of \$4,000,000 during the quarter.

Similar investments are under consideration.

SXX will update shareholders on its investment activities as and when appropriate.

For and on behalf of Southern Cross Exploration N.L.

John Smith Company Secretary