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LADY ADA HIGH GRADE GOLD ORIENTATIONS CONFIRMED AT LADY MAGDALENE

Highlights:

- Diamond drilling is complete at Classic's Lady Magdalene deposit with the goal of uncovering highgrade mineralisation between existing drill lines
- Drill holes have returned promising orientation data similar to that observed at Lady Ada
- Drilling to target repetition(s) of Lady Ada within the Lady Magdalene ore body
- Scale of alteration and mineralisation observed in all holes drilled to date is indicative of a large-scale gold system

I. <u>INTRODUCTION</u>

WA-focused gold exploration and development company Classic Minerals Limited (ASX. CLZ) ("Classic", or "the Company") is pleased to announce that it has completed orientated diamond drilling at the Lady Magdalene deposit as part of the Phase 3 drilling program at the Company's Forrestania Gold Project ("FGP") in Western Australia.

Both diamond holes targeting Lady Ada style high grade cross cutting gold structures have returned promising orientation data similar to that observed at Lady Ada.

The diamond drill holes will primarily be used for structural data – allowing Classic to accurately determine the orientation of any high-grade zones that have been missed by previous explorers. This methodology was employed by Classic's CEO, Mr Dean Goodwin, when he discovered the high-grade zones at Lady Ada in 1999. Prior to Dean's theory at Lady Ada being tested, it was considered a low-grade deposit like Lady Magdalene is today.

2. <u>DRILLING AT LADY MAGDALENE – CHASING TRANSFORMATIVE HIGH-GRADE MINERALISATION</u>

Structural readings taken from both orientated diamond holes MADD003 and MADD004 revealed several quartz veins and narrow shear zones exhibiting similar orientation characteristics to Lady Ada.

Classic CEO Dean Goodwin said:

This is an important development for the Project. These two holes have confirmed categorically that Lady Magdalene hosts structures similar in orientation to the high grade Lady Ada deposit.

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This exciting new data suggests that Lady Ada is not an isolated occurrence and that other high grade cross cutting gold lodes potentially exist within the Lady Magdalene system.

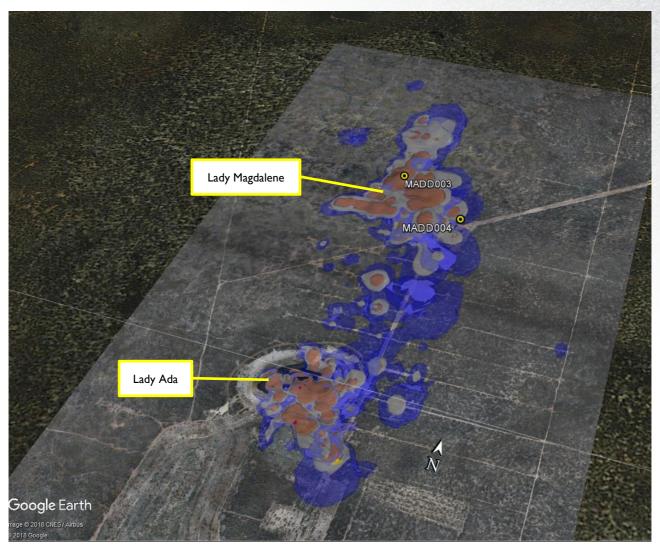


Figure 1: Diamond Holes at Lady Magdalene Plotted Against the latest implicit model.

Both holes are currently being processed on-site by the company's CEO, Mr Dean Goodwin. Assay results are expected in the coming weeks.

The Company is currently planning a closed-spaced RC drill program to follow up the structural data generated by the diamond holes. The follow up program will be to confirm the existence of high-grade cross cutting lodes as suggested by orientation data and start to delineate grade, size and extent of the Lady Ada analogue zones within Lady Magdalene.

3. ABOUT THE FORRESTANIA GOLD PROJECT

The FGP Tenements are registered in the name of Reed Exploration Pty Ltd, a wholly owned subsidiary of ASX listed Hannans Ltd (ASX:HNR). Classic has acquired 80% of the gold rights on the FGP Tenements from a third party, whilst Hannans has maintained its 20% interest in the gold rights. Hannans' 20% interest is free-carried, meaning Hannans is not required to fund any activities on the FGP until a decision to mine has been made. For the avoidance of doubt

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Hannans Ltd owns a 100% interest in non-gold rights on the FGP Tenements including but not limited to nickel, lithium and other metals.

The FGP contains an existing Mineral Resource of 5.9 Mt at 1.25 g/t for 240,000 ounces of gold, classified and reported in accordance with the JORC Code (2012), with a recent Scoping Study (see ASX Announcement released 2nd May 2017) suggesting both the technical and financial viability of the project. The current post-mining Mineral Resource for Lady Ada, Lady Magdalene and Lady Lila is tabulated below.

Additional technical detail on the Mineral Resource estimation is provided, further in the text below and in the JORC Table I as attached to ASX announcements dated 14th March 2017 and 21st March 2017.

	Indicated			Inferred			Total		
Prospect	Tonnes	Grade (Au g/t)	Ounces	Tonnes	Grade (Au g/t)	Ounces Au	Tonnes	Grade (au)	Ounces
Lady Ada	283,500	1.78	16,200	260,000	2.2	18,750	543,500	1.99	34,950
Lady Magdalene	1,828,500	1.08	63,700	2,450,000	1.5	118,000	4,278,500	1.32	181,700
Lady Lila				541,000	1.38	24,000	541,000	1.38	24,000
Sub-Total	2,112,000	1.17	79,900	3,251,000	1.53	160,750	5,363,000	1.39	240,650

- The Mineral Resource is classified in accordance with JORC, 2012 edition
- The effective date of the mineral resource estimate is 31 December 2016. The mineral resource is contained within FGP tenements
- Estimates are rounded to reflect the level of confidence in these resources at the present time. The mineral resource is reported at 0.5 g/t Au cut-off grade
- Depletion of the resource from historic open pit mining has been taken into account



Figure 2: Example of visible gold in rock samples taken from around the Lady Ada deposit (see announcement dated 12 Sept 2017)

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Competent Persons Statement

The information contained in this report that relates to Mineral resources and Exploration Results is based on information compiled by Dean Goodwin, a Competent Person who is a Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy (AusIMM). Mr Goodwin is a consultant exploration geologist with Reliant Resources Pty Ltd and consults to Classic Minerals Ltd. Mr. Goodwin has sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralisation and the type of deposit under consideration, and to the activity being undertaken to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the "Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves". Mr. Goodwin consents to the inclusion in this report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

Summary of drilling details:

hole_id	hole_type	E_UTM	N_UTM	RL	depth	azimuth	dip
MADD003	DD	751252	6430480	415	92.6	270	-70
MADD004	DD	751482	6430330	415	220	270	-70