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## Tethyan Resource Corp. Obtains Interim Order for Plan of Arrangement with Adriatic Metals Plc

### ABOUT ADRIATIC METALS (ASX:ADT, LON:ADT1)

Adriatic Metals Plc is focused on the development of the 100% owned, high-grade polymetallic Vareš Project in Bosnia & Herzegovina.

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Adriatic Metals Plc (ASX:ADT LON:ADT1) ("**Adriatic**") and Tethyan Resource Corp. (TSX-V:TETH) ("**Tethyan**") are pleased to announce that Tethyan has obtained an interim order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia in connection with the proposed plan of arrangement (the "**Arrangement**") with Adriatic. The interim order provides for, among other things, the holding of an annual general and special meeting (the "**Meeting**") of the holders of common shares of Tethyan (the "**Tethyan Shareholders**") to approve the Arrangement under the *Business Corporations Act* (British Columbia).

As a result of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, the Meeting will be held in virtual-only format on Monday, August 17, 2020 at 10:00 a.m. (Vancouver time). The record date for determining Tethyan Shareholders entitled to receive notice of and vote at the Meeting was fixed at the close of business on July 3, 2020. Tethyan expects to mail a management information circular containing details of the Arrangement and Meeting, along with proxies and letters of transmittal, to the Tethyan Shareholders on or about July 17, 2020. The management information circular will also be available under Tethyan's profile on SEDAR at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).

Completion of the Arrangement is subject to customary conditions, including the receipt of the requisite approval from the Tethyan Shareholders, obtaining a final order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at a hearing which is scheduled for August 20, 2020, and obtaining final acceptance of the TSX Venture Exchange and London Stock Exchange. Upon completion of the Arrangement, Tethyan will apply to delist the common shares of Tethyan from the TSX Venture Exchange. For further information regarding the proposed Arrangement and related transactions, please refer to the parties' news releases dated May 11 and June 12, 2020, as well as the arrangement agreement dated June 12, 2020, all available under Tethyan's profile on SEDAR.

### ABOUT TETHYAN RESOURCE CORP.

Tethyan Resource Corp. is a precious and base metals mineral exploration focused on the Tethyan Metallogenic Belt in Eastern Europe, mainly Serbia.

### ABOUT ADRIATIC METALS PLC

Adriatic Metals Plc is a precious and base metals explorer and developer that owns the polymetallic Vares project in Bosnia & Herzegovina.



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