



22 September 2023

**ASX ANNOUNCEMENT  
(ASX: TGM)**

## **ALLOTMENT OF SHARES UPON EXERCISE OF OPTIONS**

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**Theta Gold Mines Limited** (“**Theta Gold**” or the “**Company**”) (ASX: TGM|OTC: TGMGF) is pleased to advise that 2Invest AG, a significant investor and shareholder in Theta Gold has elected by notice to exercise 5,000,000 unlisted options into fully paid ordinary shares in the Company as follows:

- 4,000,000 ordinary shares to be allotted upon the exercise of 4,000,000 unlisted options issued on 4 April 2023 with an exercise price of \$0.055 and expiry date of 2 October 2023, and
- 1,000,000 ordinary shares to be allotted upon the exercise of 1,000,000 unlisted options issued on 3 May 2023 with an exercise price of \$0.07 and expiry date of 30 October 2023.

The funds raised from the conversion of options will be used to further advance the Frankfort gold mine bulk sample programme.

An Appendix 2A – Application for quotation of securities will follow this announcement.

**Theta Gold Chairman, Bill Guy, commented:** *“We welcome the continued support from 2Invest AG and the vote of confidence shown by the conversion of options into further shares in the Company”*

**This announcement was approved for release by Theta Gold Mines Limited’s Board.**

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**Interactive Investor Hub:** <http://investors.thetagoldmines.com>



## [Theta Gold Mines Interactive Investor Hub](https://investors.thetagoldmines.com)

The Company encourages shareholders to please join the Theta Investor Hub which allows you to ask questions directly to the Company, view video's and keep up to date on progress of the TGME Gold Project at [investors.thetagoldmines.com](https://investors.thetagoldmines.com) or scan the QR code below.



### **ABOUT THETA GOLD MINES LIMITED**

Theta Gold Mines Limited (ASX: TGM | OTCQB: TGMGF) is a gold development company that holds a range of prospective gold assets in a world-renowned South African gold mining region. These assets include several surface and near-surface high-grade gold projects which provide cost advantages relative to other gold producers in the region.

Theta Gold's core project is located next to the historical gold mining town of Pilgrim's Rest, in Mpumalanga Province, some 370km northeast of Johannesburg by road or 95km north of Nelspruit (Capital City of Mpumalanga Province).

Following small scale production from 2011 – 2015, the Company is currently focussing on the construction and financing of a new gold processing plant within its approved footprint at the TGME plant. The company has completed a FS in July 2022 for the first four mines Beta, CDM, Frankfort and Rietfontein (TGME Underground Project). The Base Case LOM plan will comprise a 12.9-year mining operation starting in 2023 and delivering production of 1.24 million ounces of contained gold.

The estimated development capital or peak funding requirement is USD77 million (AUD102 million), with the Project forecast to generate a pre-tax NPV10% of USD324 million (AUD432 million) and pre-tax Internal Rate of Return (IRR) of 65% at the forecast gold price of averaging USD1,642/oz over the LOM. The Company aims to build a solid production platform to over next 5 years to 160kozpa based primarily around shallow, open-pit or adit-entry shallow underground hard rock mining sources. Theta Gold has access to over 43 historical mines and prospect areas that can be accessed and explored, with over 6.7Moz of historical production recorded.

Theta Gold holds 100% issued capital of its South African subsidiary, Theta Gold SA (Pty) Ltd ("TGSA"). TGSA holds a 74% shareholding in both Transvaal Gold Mining Estates Limited ("TGME") and Sabie Mines (Pty) Ltd ("Sabie Mines"). The balance of shareholding is held by Black Economic Empowerment ("BEE") entities. The South African Mining Charter requires a minimum of 26% meaningful economic participation by the historically disadvantaged South Africans ("HDSAs"). The BEE shareholding in

TGME and Sabie Mines is comprised of a combination of local community trusts, an employee trust and a strategic entrepreneurial partner.



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The Company confirms that all material assumptions underpinning the production target, or the forecast financial information derived from the production target continue to apply and have not materially changed from those previously released to ASX in a Feasibility Study dated 27 July 2022.