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TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT PLAN APPROVED

The Board of New Talisman Gold Mines Limited (**NTL**) is delighted to announce that it has received notification from the Hauraki District Council that the Traffic Management plan submitted on 04 April 2016 has been approved in principle.

A valid Traffic management plan was approved for the proposed truck movements on the mine road on 15 May 2014 and NTL removed 100Tons of ore for treatment at (then) Newmonts Waihi treatment plant. Subsequently such was reviewed by the Hauraki District Council and a request made for a new application to be accompanied by an independent road user survey. The independent report showed that volumes of vehicular and non-vehicular are low and that the level of vehicle movements contemplated by NTL will have an insignificant effect on the efficiency and safety of the roads in question.

NTL has been working closely with the Planning and Roothing teams at the Hauraki District Council and are grateful for their efforts in ensuring that both the mine and the community can work alongside one another safely within the legal requirements of the District plan.

NTL takes the safety of the public and other road users as a priority and has been working with the Department of conservation with an aim of designing a walking track which would provide an alternative route to ensure trampers and pedestrians continue to have access to the area (with the exception of the Mine portal which will be closed off to the public at the appropriate time).

NTL takes the safety of the public and other road users as a priority and has implemented a number of self-imposed safety precautions to further enhance the effectiveness of the TMP.

Matthew Hill said “ We are delighted to accomplish yet another major milestone for the Talisman mine on its journey to regaining its stature in the New Zealand gold industry. The granting of the Traffic management plan demonstrates that NTL can progress its plans under the resource consents granted by HDC and the community can be satisfied that measures are proposed which ensure the highest levels of public safety are maintained with minimal effects”

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New Talisman Gold is a dual listed (NZSX & ASX: NTL) with over 1900 shareholders who are mainly from Australia and New Zealand. It is a leading New Zealand minerals development and exploration company with a mining permit encompassing the Talisman mine, one of New Zealand's historically most productive gold mines. Company assets include the Talisman mine, near Paeroa in the Hauraki District of New Zealand where the company has identified has identified a JORC compliant mineral resource and ore reserve within the original Talisman underground mine, and a Heads of agreement with Newcrest on an adjacent exploration permit along strike from the mine. The company is now advancing its plans to develop the mine, and advance the exploration project.

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