



O3 Mining Acquires Simkar Property from Monarch Gold

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Toronto, December 13, 2019 – O3 Mining Inc. (TSX.V:OIII) ("O3 Mining" or the "Corporation") is pleased to announce that it has completed the purchase of the Simkar property from Monarch Gold Corporation ("**Monarch**") pursuant to an asset purchase agreement dated December 12, 2019 (the "**Asset Purchase Agreement**"). The Simkar property is located 20 kilometres east of Val-d'Or and includes two mining concessions and 15 claims covering an area of 5 square kilometres.

Pursuant to the Asset Purchase Agreement, the Corporation acquired the Simkar property in exchange for (i) C\$140,000 in cash, (ii) 435,000 common shares of the Corporation, and (iii) 435,000 common share purchase warrants of the Corporation, with each warrant entitling Monarch to purchase one additional common share of the Corporation at a price of \$4.20 per share for a three-year period.

The transaction remains subject to the final approval of the TSX Venture Exchange.

About O3 Mining Inc.

O3 Mining is an emerging consolidator of exploration properties in prospective gold camps in Canada – focused on projects in Québec and Ontario – with a goal of becoming a multi-million ounce, high-growth company. The Corporation's goal is to become one of the premier gold exploration companies in Canada.

O3 Mining is well-capitalized and holds a 100% interest in a number of properties in Québec (435,000 hectares) and Ontario (25,000 hectares). O3 Mining controls 61,000 hectares in Val d'Or and over 50 kilometres of strike length of the Cadillac Larder break. The Corporation's projects host resources of 2,066,154 gold ounces of measured and indicated resources at 1.40 g/t Au and 1,059,057 gold ounces of inferred resources at 2.95 g/t Au in Val d'Or area, and also holds the Garrison project in Ontario with over 1,570,000 gold ounces of measured and indicated resources at 1.12 g/t Au. O3 Mining also has a portfolio of assets in the James Bay and Chibougamau regions of Québec and in the Hemlo district in Ontario.

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