



NEWS RELEASE

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Independence Gold Acquires Property Option for Merit and Nicoamen in BC

Vancouver, BC – Independence Gold Corp. (TSX.V: IGO) ("Independence" or "the Company") is pleased to announce it has received TSX Venture Exchange approval and made the initial option payments totalling \$20,000 and issued an aggregate of 200,000 common shares (the "Shares") to Almadex Minerals Ltd. ("Almadex") to acquire a 60% interest in each of the Merit and Nicoamen properties pursuant to the terms of two definitive option agreements with Almadex (the "Option Agreements"). The Shares are subject to a hold period of four months and one day.

The Merit and Nicoamen properties (the "Properties") are located in the Spences Bridge Gold Belt of southern BC. For a detailed description of the properties, and the terms of the Option Agreements, please refer to the Company's February 28, 2019 news release.

About Independence

Independence Gold Corp. (TSX.V:IGO) is a mineral exploration company listed on the TSX Venture Exchange. The Company's holdings range from early-stage grassroots exploration to advanced-stage resource expansion in British Columbia and Yukon. For additional information, visit the Company's website www.ingold.ca.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF INDEPENDENCE GOLD CORP.

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