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HPQ SUBSIDIARY BEAUCE GOLD FIELDS RECEIVES CONDITIONAL APPROVAL FOR ITS LISTING ON THE TSX-VENTURE EXCHANGE

HPQ Silicon Resources Inc ("HPQ") (TSX Venture: HPQ) is pleased to inform shareholders that HPQ subsidiary Beauce Gold Fields Inc ("BGFI") has received, from the TMX: TSX-Venture Exchange ("Exchange"), the conditional approval for the new listing. The new listing will trade under the reserved stock symbol BGF. As part of the conditional approval process, the Exchange has also approved a minimum concurrent BGFI private placement financing of \$550,000.

Patrick Levasseur, President and CEO of HPQ Beauce Gold Fields stated, "The listing of BGF will allow HPQ to unlock the full potential value of the Beauce Gold property through a fresh new entity starting with a tight capital structure." Mr. Levasseur also stated "The Beauce is Canada's last underexplored historical placer mining camp. It's similar to the White Gold projects in the Yukon or the Cariboo district in BC, that were both placer gold mining camps as well, but recently had major gold discoveries. Combining our large claims holding in St-Simon-Les-Mines together with our increasing knowledge of the geology, we believe we have narrowed the search in exploring for a hard rock gold deposit"

TSX-V Conditional Approval and Concurrent Private Placement

The Listing of BGFI is conditional to the submission and satisfactory review of the Listing Application, the required financial statements plus various supporting documents and the closing of the minimum Private Placement of \$550,000.

In this regard the Exchange has conditionally accepted the Company's notice for filing in connection with the proposed transaction of a BGFI Private Placement on the following basis:

- 1) A minimum of 1,666,666 flow-through units (FT Units) at the price of \$0.12 per FT Unit and 3,500,000 hard-cash units (HC Units) at the price of \$0.10 per HC Unit (\$550,000); and
- 2) A maximum of 1,666,666 FT Units at the price of \$0.12 per FT Unit and 5,500,000 HC Units at the price of \$0.10 per HC Unit (\$750,000).

Each HC Unit will be comprised of one common share and one warrant to purchase one common share at the price of \$0.15 per share for two years following the closing date. Each FT Unit will be comprised of one flow-through common share and one-half of one warrant, with each full warrant allowing the holder to purchase one common share at the exercise price of \$0.18 per share for a period of two years following the closing date.



Beauce Gold Fields – A Tight Capital Structure at Listing

Market Capitalization: ≈ \$1,8 million

Shares Outstanding: ≈ 18,866,666 to 20,866,666

HPQ Direct Ownership: $\approx 2,870,000 \text{ or } 14\% \text{ to } 15\%$ HPQ shareholders: $\approx 10,680,000 \text{ or } 51\% \text{ to } 57\%$

> of which HPQ Insiders would own: $\approx 1,000,000 \text{ or } \approx 5\%$ And PyroGenesis would own: $\approx 1,000,000 \text{ or } \approx 5\%$

Shares Fully Diluted: ≈ 29,258,972 to 31,258,972

Transactions	Number of Shares Minimum	Number of Shares Maximum
Private Placement to HPQ	200,000	200,000
Spin-out – Shares at \$0.10 per Share	13,350,000	13,350,000
Flow Through Private Placement at \$0.12 per Share	1,666,666	1,666,666
Hard Cash Private Placement at \$0.10 per Share	3,500,000	5,500,000
Warrants- Private Placement	4,333,333	6,133,333
Warrants – HPQ warrant holders *	4,158,973	4,158,973
Stock Option Plan (rolling 10%)	1,900,000	1,900,000



About Beauce Gold Fields

BGF is a wholly owned subsidiary of HPQ Silicon into which HPQ gold assets were transferred. Subject to approval by TSX-V, HPQ is in the process of listing BGF as a new public junior gold company, following the approval by shareholders during HPQ AGM held on Aug. 10, 2018, of the proposed terms of the plan of arrangement.

The Beauce Gold Fields project is a unique, historically prolific gold property located in the municipality of Saint-Simon-les-Mines in the Beauce region of Southern Quebec. Comprising of a block of 152 claims 100% owned by HPQ, the project area hosts a six kilometre long unconsolidated gold-bearing sedimentary unit (a lower saprolite and an upper brown diamictite). Textural observations (angularity) of gold nuggets suggest a relatively proximal source and therefore a short transport distance. The gold in saprolite indicates a close proximity to a bedrock source of gold, providing possible further exploration discoveries. The property was also hosts numerous historical gold mines that were active from 1860s to the 1960s (see HPQ SEDAR-filed report).



A Beauce Gold Fields presentation is available and can be downloaded via the following link. http://www.hpqsilicon.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/07/BGF-Presentation-V-Jul-2017.pdf

About HPQ Silicon

HPQ Silicon Resources Inc. is a TSX-V listed resource company planning to become a vertically integrated and diversified High Purity, Solar Grade Silicon Metal (SoG Si) producer and a manufacturer of multi and monocrystalline solar cells of the P and N types, required for production of high performance photovoltaic conversion.

HPQ's goal is to develop, in collaboration with industry leaders, PyroGenesis (TSX-V: PYR) and Apollon Solar, that are experts in their fields of interest, the innovative metallurgical PUREVAPTM "Quartz Reduction Reactors (QRR)" process (patent pending), which will permit the transformation and purification of quartz (SiO₂) into high purity silicon metal (Si) in one step and reduce by a factor of at least two-thirds (2/3) the steps required to transform quartz (SiO₂) into SoG Si. The pilot plant equipment that will validate the commercial potential of the process is on schedule to start mid-2019.

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