



LAURION ANNOUNCES CLOSING OF NON-BROKERED PRIVATE PLACEMENT OF FLOW-THROUGH SHARES

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TORONTO, ONTARIO (August 13, 2020) – LAURION Mineral Exploration Inc. (TSX.V: LME and OTC/PINK: LMEFF) (“LAURION” or the “Corporation”) today announced that it has closed its previously-announced non-brokered private placement (the “**Private Placement**”) consisting of an aggregate of 5,950,783 flow-through shares (the “**FT Shares**”) at a subscription price of \$0.185 per FT Share for aggregate gross proceeds to the Corporation of approximately \$1,100,900. As announced on August 11, 2020, the Corporation agreed to significantly upsize the Private Placement as a result of strong investor interest and over-subscriptions.

The gross proceeds will be used for “Canadian exploration expenses” (within the meaning of the Tax Act), which will qualify, once renounced, as “flow-through mining expenditures”, as defined in the Tax Act, which will be renounced with an effective date of no later than December 31, 2020 (provided the subscriber deals at arm’s length with the Corporation at all relevant times) to the initial purchasers of FT Shares in an aggregate amount not less than the gross proceeds raised from the issue of the FT Shares.

In connection with the closing of the Private Placement, certain arm’s-length finders received an aggregate of \$46,439 as a cash finder’s commission.

Pursuant to applicable Canadian securities laws, all securities issued pursuant to the Private Placement are subject to a hold period of four months and one day, expiring on December 13, 2020. The Private Placement remains subject to the final approval of the TSX Venture Exchange (the “**TSX-V**”).

About LAURION Mineral Exploration Inc.

The Corporation is a junior mineral exploration and development company listed on the TSXV under the symbol LME and on the OTC/PINK under the symbol LMEFF. The Corporation currently has 196,680,647 outstanding shares, of which approximately 60% of LAURION’s issued and outstanding shares are owned and controlled by Insiders who are eligible investors under the “Friends and Family” categories.

LAURION's emphasis is on the development of its flagship project, the 100% owned mid-stage 47 km² Ishkoday Project, and its gold-silver and gold-rich polymetallic mineralization with a significant upside potential. Ishkoday has a project-wide database (2008 to 2019) that includes 307 diamond drill holes totaling 48,879m, geological mapping, ground and airborne geophysics, and 21,800 individual samples with assays and geochemical analysis. The mineralization on Ishkoday is open at depth beyond the current core-drilling limit of -200 m from surface, based on the historical mining to a -685 m depth, in the past producing Sturgeon River Mine.

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