



NEWS RELEASE

Orford Announces Private Placement Financing

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Toronto, Ontario, December 28, 2018 – Orford Mining Corporation (“Orford”) (TSX-V: ORM) is pleased to report it has closed a portion of its previously announced (see Orford news release dated December 19, 2018) non-brokered private placement financing of 2,777,778 flow-through common shares of the Company (“Flow-Through Shares”) at an issue price of \$0.18 per Flow-Through Share (the “Issue Price”) for gross proceeds of \$500,000. The proceeds from the issuance of Flow-Through Shares will be used to incur Canadian exploration expenses (and will qualify as “flow-through mining expenditures” under the Income Tax Act (Canada)). Orford expects to close the remaining portion of this financing in mid-January 2019.

The proceeds of the Offering will be used by Orford to continue the exploration of the Qiqavik project in Northern Quebec. The Qiqavik project represents a new gold discovery in the Cape Smith Belt of Northern Quebec. Orford is currently working on budget proposals for its 2019 program at Qiqavik.

About the Qiqavik Property

The Qiqavik Property covers the 40-km long Qiqavik Break, part of the Cape Smith Belt event which is of Paleoproterozoic age (1.8-1.9 billion years). This geologic era is marked by its significant metal endowment as illustrated by the important gold districts that occur worldwide related to geological events of Paleoproterozoic age. These include the Flin Flon-Snow Lake Belt, the Ashanti Gold Fields of West Africa, the Tapajós-Parima Belt of Brazil, and the Tanami Region in Australia¹. The Cape Smith Belt is also home to Glencore’s world class Raglan Mine.

Early-stage exploration work completed to date on the Qiqavik Property shows that high-grade gold and copper occurrences are associated with secondary splay structures located along the district-scale Qiqavik Break Shear Zone which extends the full 40 km length of the Qiqavik Property. Geological data indicates that gold mineralization at Qiqavik is structurally controlled and associated with porphyry intrusions in places.

1) This information is not necessarily indicative of the mineralization on Orford Mining’s Properties.

About Orford Mining Corporation

Orford Mining is a mineral explorer focused on highly prospective and underexplored areas of Northern Quebec and the Carolina Gold Belt in United States. Orford's principal assets are the Qiqavik and West Raglan projects comprising of a land package totaling over 70,000 hectares in the Cape Smith Belt of Northern Quebec and properties in the U.S. Carolina Gold Belt. The Qiqavik Project hosts several new high-grade gold discoveries along a mineralized trend in excess of 40 km. Orford's common shares trade on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol ORM.

To view further details about the Qiqavik and Carolina projects please visit Orford's website, www.orfordmining.com.

Qualified Person

The disclosure of scientific and technical information contained in this news release has been approved by Alger St-Jean, Vice President, Exploration of Orford, a Qualified Person under NI 43-101.

The information regarding work disclosed herein in respect of the Qiqavik Property is based on the independent report of Clement Dombrowski, P.Ge of IOS Services Geoscientifiques Inc. titled "NI 43-101 Technical Report on Qiqavik Project, Northern Quebec, Canada" effective September 14, 2017, and on Orford's news releases available on Orford's website and on SEDAR.

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