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DRILL PROGRAM BEGINS ON SCHEDULE AT LEWIS GOLD PROJECT

Vancouver, British Columbia August 30, 2016 – Battle Mountain Gold Inc. (“Battle Mountain” or the “Company”) (TSX-V: BMG) advises that further to our news release of July 27, 2016, the Company’s diamond drill program at the Lewis Gold Project in Nevada commenced on schedule on August 16, 2016.

As of August 29th the first hole, V16C-01, of a planned 12-hole diamond drill-program has been completed to a target depth of nearly 300 meters (982 feet). The collar-site of the second hole, V16C-02, is located on the same drill-pad. Our news release of July 27th contains a number of technical exhibits including a plan view of the expected drill holes in the diamond drill program.

To find out more about Battle Mountain Gold Inc. please visit our website at www.battlemtngold.com.

**On behalf of the Board of Directors of
BATTLE MOUNTAIN GOLD INC.**

“Chet Idziszek”

Chet Idziszek, President

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