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NEWS RELEASE **CLOSING OF PRIVATE PLACEMENT**

DENTONIA RESOURCES LTD. (the "Company") wishes to advise that further to its news release of December 19, 2002, whereby the Company announced that it had arranged a non-brokered private placement of 1,200,000 units at \$0.10 per unit in the capital stock of the Company, this private placement has now been closed and the placees are Adolf Petancic (Insider) 600,000 units and four other additional placees for 600,000 units, for a total of 1,200,000 units.

Each unit consists of one common share and one non-transferable share purchase warrant (the "warrant"). One warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at an exercise price of \$0.10 per share, exercisable for a period of two (2) years from January 13, 2003.

The shares initially purchased and purchased by the exercise of the share purchase warrants are subject to a hold period, in the case of Adolf A. Petancic, expiring on May 13, 2003 and in the case of the remainder of the placees, on January 13, 2004.

The Company has received regulatory acceptance of this private placement and the \$120,000 has been placed into the Company's account and the 1,200,000 units are now being issued to the placees.

Dated at Vancouver, British Columbia this 13th day of January, 2003.

DENTONIA RESOURCES LTD.

"Adolf A. Petancic"

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President

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