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ADDITIONAL PLATINUM PALLADIUM MINERAL CLAIMS ACQUIRED

Empire Rock Minerals Inc. ("Empire") has agreed to acquire a 100% interest in 2 claim units (the "Orbit Property") in the Orbit Lake area in the Thunder Bay Mining Division, Ontario, Canada.

The Orbit Property is situated about 22 kilometres south of Empire's Buck Lake Platinum, Palladium and Nickel project where Empire is exploring for platinum, palladium and nickel mineralization in a mafic/ultramafic intrusive body, and near the NAP and Jordain Claims on which Empire has an option to acquire a 100% interest.

The Orbit Property is being acquired from Ontario prospectors William Richmond and Ken Stewart for \$7,000 and 25,000 common shares of Empire, subject to a 1% net smelter returns royalty. The purchase is subject to acceptance for filing by the TSX Venture Exchange.

Empire has issued 35,000 common shares in its capital to William Richmond pursuant to its option agreement to acquire the NAP and Jordain Claims. The shares are restricted from trading until February 15, 2017. Empire also acquired an additional mineral claim near its Jordain claim in the Wardrope area from Mr. Richmond pursuant to the area of interest clause in the option agreement.

The technical content of this news release was reviewed and approved by Dr. Bohumil (Boris) Molak, PhD, P.Geo, the Qualified Person for this project as defined by National Instrument 43-101.

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