Victory Nickel Inc. Restructuring Proposal Not Approved

Toronto, July 26, 2022 –Victory Nickel Inc. ("**Victory Nickel**" or the "**Company**") (CSE:NI, www.victorynickel.ca)

As previously disclosed, on April 14, 2022, Victory Nickel filed a proposal (the "Proposal") to restructure its debt under Part III, Division I of the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act* (the "BIA").

A meeting of the Company's creditors was convened on May 5, 2022 and adjourned the same day to address concerns raised by the Company's single largest unsecured creditor holding approximately 78% of the unsecured claims.

The creditors' meeting was reconvened today and the Proposal was **not** approved by the requisite majority of creditors. As a result of the vote by the creditors, the Company was automatically deemed to be bankrupt.

The creditors moved to appoint A. Farber and Partners Inc. as the trustee in bankruptcy (the "Trustee") at the meeting. The Trustee will administer the bankrupt estate including liquidating all of the Company's assets for distribution in accordance with the priorities under the BIA. Ms. Nerina Jahja is the contact person for the Trustee (njahja@farbergroup.com).

Cynthia Thomas, Officer and Director of the Company and its subsidiaries and Michael Anderson, Director of the Company have tendered their resignations.

Management and the Board worked diligently over the past 18 months to complete the restructuring of Victory Nickel's balance sheet to allow the Company to continue to operate, and ultimately, provide greater value to its stakeholders. Regrettably this objective was not realized.

About Victory Nickel

Victory Nickel Inc. is a Canadian company with significant NI 43-101 sulphide nickel resources in Manitoba and Quebec, containing significant NI 43-101-compliant nickel resources. Additionally, through a wholly owned subsidiary, Victory Silica Ltd., Victory Nickel has established itself as a producer and marketer of industrial sands in the western Canadian marketplace from its 7P Plant in Medicine Hat, Alberta.

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