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NEWS RELEASE
SOUTHERN SUN MINERALS INC. ANNOUNCES PRIVATE PLACEMENT

October 22, 2015 – Vancouver, British Columbia **SOUTHERN SUN MINERALS INC. ("SOUTHERN SUN") (TSX.V: SSI)**, announces that it intends to complete a non-brokered private placement for up to 15,000,000 units raising gross proceeds of up to $225,000 at a purchase price of $0.015 per unit, pursuant to a discretionary waiver obtained from the TSX Venture Exchange on October 22, 2015 from the $0.05 per share minimum pricing requirements.

Each unit will consist of one common share at a price of $0.015 per unit and one non-transferable share purchase warrant ("Warrant"). Each Warrant will entitle the holder thereof to purchase one additional common share of the Company for a period of 24 months from closing at a price of $0.05 per share.

The proceeds of the private placement will be used for exploration and development of its Galleon Project located in Alaska, general working capital and payments to related parties in the amount of $17,605.

Finder's fees payable in cash, shares or warrants or a combination may be paid on connection with the private placement.

The shares to be issued with respect to the private placement will be subject to a four-month and a day hold period in accordance with applicable Canadian Securities Laws. Completion of the private placement and any finder's fees payable are subject to regulatory approval.

On Behalf of the Board of Directors

Harry Barr
Chairman & CEO