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TORONTO, ONTARIO September 6, 2016 – Chieftain Metals Corp. (**TSXV: CFB**) and its wholly owned subsidiary, Chieftain Metals Inc. (collectively “Chieftain” or the “Corporation”), announce that today Grant Thornton was appointed through court order as the receiver of all the assets, undertakings and properties of Chieftain. As at the date of this press release the majority of the directors of the Corporation have resigned, but several will remain on the board to continue with their efforts to assist the company through this process.

About Chieftain

Chieftain Metals Corp. is a public holding company, whose principal business is the acquisition, exploration and development of mineral properties. Chieftain's business has focused on the development of the Tulsequah Chief deposit located in north-western British Columbia, Canada. Chieftain's properties consist of 65 mineral claims and Crown-grants covering approximately 32,722 hectares including two previously producing mines.

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