

CONSENT OF EXPERT

I, Brian Thomas, P. Geo., consent to being named in the final short form base shelf prospectus dated February 17, 2023 (the “**Prospectus**”), and to the use of the report entitled “November 2022 National Instrument 43-101 Technical Report of the Tamarack North Project – Tamarack, Minnesota” dated effective November 2, 2022 (mineral resource effective date of October 10, 2022) (the “**2022 Technical Report**”) in connection with the filing of the Prospectus and to the inclusion of the written disclosure of the 2022 Technical Report and of extracts from or a summary of the 2022 Technical Report in the written disclosure contained in the Prospectus or incorporated by reference therein.

I hereby confirm that I have read the Prospectus, including the written disclosure of the 2022 Technical Report and of extracts from or a summary of the 2022 Technical Report contained in the Prospectus or incorporated by reference therein and have no reason to believe that there are any misrepresentations in the information contained therein that is derived from the 2022 Technical Report or that is within my knowledge as a result of the services performed by me in connection with the 2022 Technical Report.

DATED this 17th day of February 2023.

Signed and sealed

Brian Thomas, P. Geo.
Principal Resource Geologist
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