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BALMORAL REPORTS GOLD RECOVERIES OF 91.4% FROM PRELIMINARY METALLURGICAL TESTING OF BUG LAKE GOLD ZONES, MARTINIERE, QUEBEC

(Vancouver, December 10, 2015) Balmoral Resources Ltd. (“Balmoral” or the “Company”) (TSX: BAR; OTCQX: BALMF) today announced that **gold recoveries of 91.4% and silver recoveries of 80.2%** have been achieved in preliminary metallurgical testing conducted on a composite sample comprised of material from the four principal gold bearing zones located along the Bug Lake Trend on the Company’s Martiniere Property in Quebec. Results were achieved by standard flotation followed by cyanide leaching of the floatation concentrate and tails.

The Bug Lake Composite sample was dominantly comprised of material from the Lower Bug Lake Zone, but included representative material from the Hanging Wall, Upper Bug Lake and Footwall Zones. Sampling for the composite avoided the highest/bonanza grade portions of the zones in order to produce a more representative first pass sample for the Trend as a whole. **The average assayed head grade for the Bug Lake Composite was 6.3 g/t gold and 7.1 g/t silver.** The current metallurgical testing was performed on behalf of the Company by Blue Coast Research Ltd. of Parksville, British Columbia following an initial stage of work conducted by SGS/Lakefield.

“A very positive start to the metallurgical work on the Bug Lake Zones indicating plus 90% gold recoveries” said Darin Wagner, President and CEO of Balmoral. “The preliminary work suggests there are no concerns regarding the blending of the multiple Zones located along the Trend and some room to potential increase recoveries with more detailed testing now that general metallurgical parameters have been established. The very fast leach kinetics, potential to work with a relatively coarse grind and lack of delirious elements were additional positives from the testing.”

Metallurgical Testing

Initial metallurgical testing consisted of directed cyanidation of the Bug Lake Composite following grinds to a series of sizes which would be typical of the industry. Direct cyanidation results achieved gold recoveries of 72 to 81%, and silver recoveries ranging from 65 to 73%. In general finer-grind sizes resulted in higher overall recoveries. Gravity recoveries ranged from 7.3% at a P₈₀ of 198 microns to 24.3% at P₈₀ of 58 microns. Gravity recovery followed by cyanidation of the gravity tails achieved virtually identical results to direct whole ore cyanidation.

Blue Coast conducted five flotation test on the Bug Lake Composite; three to establish optimal grind size and two to create concentrate for leaching. All three grind sizes tested (P₈₀ of 54, 86 and 127 microns) produced similar gold recoveries of 97% and silver recoveries of 92-93% to the concentrate at a mass pull of 20%. The coarsest grind – 127 microns – was selected for the leach testing.

Testing included separate and combined leaching of the floatation concentrate and tails. Optimal recoveries were achieved from separate leaching of the floatation concentrate and flotation tails. The table below summarizes the metallurgical balance for this scenario.

Metallurgical Balance from Separate Concentrate and Tails Leach Option

	Mass %	Gold %	Silver %
Feed	100	100	100
Flotation concentrate	20.4	96.1	92.5
Concentrate leach extraction	n/a	88.9	74
Concentrate leach residue	20.4	7.2	18.5
Flotation Tails	79.7	3.9	7.5
Tails leach extraction	n/a	2.5	6.2
Tails leach residue	79.7	1.4	1.3
Combined circuit extraction	n/a	91.4	80.2
Extraction rates		Gold, %	Silver, %
Conc leach extraction rate		92.5	80
Tails leach extraction rate		65	83

Leach testing of the floatation concentrate displayed very rapid kinetics with gold extraction peaking after only 3-5 hours. In general cyanide consumption during the tailings leach were very low and lime consumption was also low while consumption of both during the concentrate leach were average.

Quality Control

The technical information disclosed herein was prepared under the supervision of qualified person Mr. Chris Martin (C. Eng.) of Blue Coast Research Ltd.. Mr. Martin has supervised the metallurgical work reported on and has reviewed and approved the technical disclosure contained in this news release with respect to such work. Mr. Darin Wagner (P.Geo.), President and CEO of the Company, qualified person for the Company supervised the collection of the samples for metallurgical testing, reviewed the progress on the metallurgical testing on multiple occasions and has also reviewed and approved of the technical disclosure contained in this news release.

About Balmoral Resources Ltd. – www.balmoralresources.com

Balmoral is a Canadian-based discovery company focused on the delineation of high-grade gold and nickel-copper-PGE discoveries on its wholly owned, 700+ square kilometre Detour Trend Project in Quebec, Canada. With a philosophy of creating value through the drill bit and a focus on proven productive precious/base metal belts, Balmoral is following an established formula with a goal of maximizing shareholder value through discovery and definition of high-grade, Canadian base metal and gold assets.

On behalf of the board of directors of
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