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Meridian Announces Exercise of Warrants

LONDON, United Kingdom, July 13, 2022, Meridian Mining UK S (**TSX: MNO**), (Frankfurt/Tradegate: **2MM**) (OTCQB: **MRRDF**), ("Meridian" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that all of the outstanding warrants (the "Warrants") issued in connection with the private placement financing (the "Private Placement") completed on [July 15, 2020](#), have been exercised in advance of their expiry, resulting in aggregate proceeds to Meridian of CAD 5.2 million. The Warrants were exercisable into one common share of the Company at a price of CAD 0.11 per common share, and were set to expire on July 15, 2022. No commission was paid in connection with the exercise of the Warrants. Proceeds have been and will be used for the Company's ongoing exploration programs and for general working capital purposes.

The Company has a total of 181,186,656 shares issued and outstanding, as at today's date.

Mr. Gilbert Clark, Executive Chairman, stated: *"We would like to thank our shareholders for their continued support and vote of confidence in Meridian. The proceeds received from the exercise of the Warrants have strengthened our balance sheet as we continue to deliver on the potential of the Cabaçal copper-gold VMS project"*

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ABOUT MERIDIAN

Meridian Mining UK S is focused on the acquisition, exploration, and development activities in Brazil. The Company is currently focused on resource development of the Cabaçal VMS copper-gold project, exploration in the Jaurú & Araputanga Greenstone belts located in the state of Mato Grosso; exploring the Espigão polymetallic project and the Mirante da Serra manganese project in the State of Rondônia Brazil.

On behalf of the Board of Directors of Meridian Mining UK S

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